



## PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

1. Must be at least 16 years old at start of program and no older than 20 years old.
2. Must be in high school or General Educational Development (GED) program, or graduated from high school with a diploma or GED certificate.
3. Must possess/maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or equivalent in school course work.
4. Must pass the Cadet Program physical ability test.
5. Must pass Shoreline Fire Department Cadet background check.
6. Must meet required attendance expectations.

## SELECTION PROCESS

The following information must be submitted to the Shoreline Fire Department to be considered for the Fire Cadet Program:

1. Fire Cadet Application and Questionnaire
2. Copy of cumulative GPA of 2.0 (recent report card) or equivalent in school course work  
OR  
Copy of High School Diploma or GED certificate.

## APPLICANT'S CERTIFICATION AND AGREEMENT

*Signature Required*

I hereby certify that I meet the criteria for the Shoreline Fire Department Cadet Program and that the above information is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
*If applicant is under the age of 18*



# SHORELINE FIRE DEPARTMENT

## Fire Cadet Program Questionnaire

Reason for wanting to join the Shoreline Fire Department Cadet Program:

What does teamwork mean to you?

How do you deal with stress and/or traumatic situations?

What do you do for physical fitness?

**What are your greatest strengths and weaknesses?**

**Describe a time you were in a leadership role. How did you perform in that role?**

**Describe a challenge you have overcome and describe how you overcame that challenge.**

**List some examples of how you work with diverse groups.**

**What are the challenges you face working in a team or group and how do you use teamwork to resolve the problem?**

**How do you react to criticism, regardless of whether you believe it to be constructive or unwarranted? Do you believe that criticism is reasonable or necessary? Why or why not?**

**What personal goals do you hope to accomplish by being a part of the Shoreline Fire Cadet Program?**

**PERMISSION TO CONDUCT A RECORDS CHECK**

As an applicant for the Shoreline Fire Department Cadet Program, I hereby authorize Shoreline Fire Department to conduct a criminal history records check, including convictions, pending charges and outstanding warrants. I understand that this criminal history check is being conducted due to the nature of the training given at the Shoreline Fire Department Cadet Program.

I understand that all available criminal records will be checked and that the information will be used in determining eligibility of applicants for the Cadet Program. All information is to remain confidential as required by Washington State and Federal statutes.

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Signature of Applicant Date

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Signature of Parent/Guardian (if applicant is under the age of 18) Date

**REQUIREMENT:**

List all personal/public social media accounts that you have (i.e. Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Reddit, YouTube, LinkedIn, etc.)

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List all Fire Service, Fire Department, Fire Cadet Programs, Fire Explorer Programs, and Fire Science Programs that you presently have or have had affiliations with and list the general contact information (phone numbers, e-mail addresses).

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