



**Miami-Dade Fire Rescue  
EMT Academy  
Attendance Scholarship  
Information Packet**

*Bring application in an envelope to the  
designated drop box*

*EMT Academy Attendance Scholarship*

Miami-Dade Fire Rescue

9300 N. W. 41 Street

Doral, FL 33178

**Please hand-deliver your application to the front of the building.  
There will be a labeled and locked drop-box to safely and  
securely submit your enclosed application. Do not leave your  
application with anyone at reception.**



# **Miami-Dade Fire & Rescue**

## **EMT Academy**

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# **MIAMI-DADE FIRE RESCUE EMT ACADEMY**

## **Attendance Scholarship**

**i** *Miami-Dade Fire Rescue (MDFR) EMT Academy will be awarding Attendance Scholarships to qualifying Miami Dade County Public School graduating seniors.*

## **PROGRAM OVERVIEW**

MDFR's EMT Academy will award up to 40 Attendance Scholarships with the goal of providing recent high school graduates the opportunity to obtain an Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) certificate through Miami-Dade College (MDC). This certification provides eligible candidates with the opportunity to become State of Florida licensed EMT's through a combination of classroom lectures and practical application of patient assessment, with each student earning up to 10 college credits. Academy graduates will also have the opportunity to receive job preference in the next MDFR recruitment process.

The EMT Academy will be held at Miami-Dade Fire Rescue Training facility located at 9300 N. W. 41<sup>st</sup> Street, Doral FL 33178.

## **Selection Process**

The Attendance Scholarship is awarded through a competitive review process. The offer of this scholarship is valid only during the academic year for which the offer is made. Not all applicants will receive an award.

## **Application Instructions**

It is the responsibility of the student applicant to submit a complete packet. Complete your application using a word processor, typewriter, or PRINT in **BLACK Ink**.

## A complete application packet consist of the following:

- **Personal Information:** Use the form provided; answering each question.
- **Personal Statement Essay:** This is your opportunity to present yourself in the best possible light to the Scholarship Review Committee. The essay questions may be attached to the Personal Statement form or answered directly on the document provided.
- **Scholarship Recommendation:** Three letters of recommendation must be submitted on the forms provided. Print recommendation form three times. It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure that Miami-Dade Fire Rescue receives all scholarship recommendations prior to the application submission deadline.

## Application Requirements

- Graduated from a Miami-Dade County public high school
- Be at least 18 years of age at the time the EMT program begins
- Have obtained a minimum 2.5 overall high school grade point average (Please provide a printout of transcripts signed by a counselor)
- Submit a minimum of 500 to a maximum 1,500 word essay addressing the following:
  - Why are you pursuing the Attendance Scholarship?
  - How would you benefit from the scholarship?
  - Educational and employment goals
- 3 Scholarship Recommendation Forms
  - Personal: Must not be a relative
  - Two Academic
- Complete the MDFR interview process (interview will be after applications are submitted)
- Meet the entrance requirements for Miami Dade College
- Submit a complete and accurate application by the stated deadline

**Miami-Dade Fire & Rescue is excited to present this opportunity to our community and is committed to providing young adults with the opportunity to work and gain experience in the fire service.**



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**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

**TYPE OR PRINT IN BLACK IN ONLY**

D.O.B _____		
_____	_____	_____
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
STREET ADDRESS _____		APARTMENT/UNIT# _____
CITY _____	STATE _____	ZIP _____
HOME PHONE _____	CELL PHONE _____	
EMAIL ADDRESS _____		
HIGH SCHOOL _____		
G.P.A _____	CPR Expiration Date _____ (if applicable)	Male      Female

I declare that all the information submitted in my application is complete and true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that false or misleading information in my application or interview will result in the loss of my scholarship award.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name                      Signature of Applicant                      Date



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**PERSONAL STATEMENT FORM**

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**APPLICANT'S NAME** (Last, First, M.I.)

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**APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE**

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Please type in the space provided below or attach on a separate piece of paper answers to the following essay questions listed with a minimum of 500 and a maximum of 1,500 words.

1. Why are you pursuing the Attendance Scholarship?
2. How would you benefit from the scholarship?
3. What are your educational and employment goals?



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## Attendance Scholarship

### SCHOLARSHIP RECOMMENDATION FORM

APPLICANT'S NAME (Last, First, M.I.) \_\_\_\_\_

1. What is your relationship to the applicant? *(Please check)*

- School/Lead Teacher
- Employer
- Friend
- Other

Explain \_\_\_\_\_

2. Please give your personal appraisal of the applicant by checking the appropriate box below:

	Excellent	Good	Average	Below Average	Unable to Evaluate
Communication Skills					
Team Player					
Self-Reliance & Initiative					
Organization & Follow - Through					
Leadership					
Motivation					
Responsibility & Conscientiousness					

3. Please comment on any exceptional scholastic abilities and/or other accomplishments exhibited by the applicant.

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4. Are you aware of any obstacles or financial hardships the student has had to overcome?

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Name (Please Print): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_