



**P. O. Box 494 Groesbeck, Texas 76642**

**Limestone County Crime Stoppers, Inc.  
The Linda Jordan Scholarship**

Linda Jordan played a pivotal role in founding and shaping Limestone County Crime Stoppers, Inc. serving on the board since 1983. Rising quickly to leadership she held key roles including Vice-Chairman and Chairman, leading with vision and determination. From January 2008 to January 2024, Linda guided the organization as Chairman, strengthening ties with law enforcement and building community trust. After more than 40 years of dedicated service, Linda retired in 2025, leaving a legacy woven into the organization's many successes and its ongoing impact on the community.

**Eligibility for the Scholarship**

1. Applicants must be a high school graduate, or in their senior year of high school within 4 months of graduation in Limestone County in Texas, who wish to obtain a degree in Criminal Justice,
2. OR, a child of an employee of a law enforcement agency in Limestone County in Texas.
3. Applicants must agree to undergo a criminal background check.
4. Applicants must be citizens of the United States.

**Scholarship Requirements**

1. Two letters of recommendation.
2. A one page essay explaining why you are interested in pursuing a college education. List your short term goals and where you see yourself in five to ten years.
3. Participation in your community – volunteering to help with events in Limestone County; and/or participation in Junior Leadership programs.
4. Complete “Consent for Release of information” form.
5. Award must be used at any accredited Law Enforcement Academy, University, College, or Junior College.
6. Applicants must carry a minimum of 12 credit hours per semester.
7. Applicants must have a minimum cumulative G.P.A. of 2.5 or higher.
8. Applicants must be a graduate of schools in Limestone County, Texas.

The applicant must meet all the requirements listed under the Crime Stoppers Scholarship Requirements. There will be no exceptions. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

***\*Scholarship criteria may be modified upon the recommendation of the Scholarship Committee and the approval of the Limestone County Crime Stoppers, Inc. Board of Directors. Such modifications can occur at the discretion of the Scholarship Committee and without notice to any applicants or potential applicants.***



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### The Linda Jordan Scholarship

The Linda Jordan Scholarship is available to a graduate of a high school in Limestone County, Texas, who wishes to pursue a Criminal Justice degree or a child of a person who works for a law enforcement agency in Limestone County, Texas, who wishes to pursue a degree. **Applications for The Linda Jordan Scholarship must be received by April 1, 2026.**

#### Application for The Linda Jordan Scholarship

Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home/Cell phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_      Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

High School: \_\_\_\_\_

GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ (attach high school transcript)

Major (if known): \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

If parent or guardian works for a law enforcement agency in Limestone County, Texas list the agency:

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Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_      Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Participation in your community:** List organizations and events you have volunteered with in Limestone County, Texas.

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**Attach a one page essay explaining why you are interested in pursuing a college education. List your short term goals and where you see yourself in five to ten years.**

**Attach two letters of recommendation.**

**Attach a high school transcript.**

**Attach the Consent for Release of Information.**

I have personally prepared this application and all attachments, and believe it is to be correct.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent/Guardian

**Mail completed applications to:**

**Scholarship Committee  
Limestone County Crime Stoppers, Inc.  
P. O. Box 494  
Groesbeck, TX 76642**

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**Limestone County Crime Stoppers, Inc.  
Consent for Release of Information**

Applicant's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_

Driver License # \_\_\_\_\_ State Issued \_\_\_\_\_

List all other names by which you have been known \_\_\_\_\_

Have you continuously lived in Texas for the last 10 years? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If no, please indicate the state or country in which you've previously lived:

\_\_\_\_\_

I hereby authorize Limestone County Crime Stoppers, Inc. to conduct a criminal records background check for the purpose of ascertaining whether or not I have a prior criminal conviction. I understand that the background check is a condition of receiving a Crime Stoppers scholarship and that an unsatisfactory background check could lead to my being disqualified as an applicant.

I hereby release Limestone County Crime Stoppers, Inc. and its authorized representatives from any liability or damage connected with conducting the background check and obtaining said criminal record's information.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**FOR USE BY: Authorized Representative(s)  
Results of Background Investigation**

\_\_\_\_\_ No prior criminal conviction record was found.

\_\_\_\_\_ A prior criminal conviction record, described on the attached, was found.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Authorized Rep. Conducting security check

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date