

# EXPLORING YOUTH APPLICATION

# Exploring®

The Exploring Learning for Life career education program is for young men and women who are 14 (and have completed the eighth grade) or 15 through 20 years old.

Exploring's purpose is to provide experiences to help young people mature and become responsible and caring adults. Explorers are ready to explore the meaning of interdependence in their personal relationships.

Exploring is based on a unique and dynamic relationship between youth and the organizations in their communities. Local community organizations initiate a specific Explorer post by matching their people and program resources to the interests of young people in the community. The result is a program of activities that helps youth pursue their special interests, grow, and develop.

Explorer posts can specialize in a variety of career skills. Exploring programs are based upon five areas of emphasis: career opportunities, life skills, citizenship, character education, and leadership experience.











WHITE BEAR LAKE FIRE DEPT  
FIRE EXPLORER APPLICATION ADDENDUM



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Explorer Applicant Name Birth Date 9524  
*First Last (please print)* *mm/dd/yyyy* Post

Are you employed?   \_\_\_\_\_ Avg hours per week  
Yes No Employer Name

Career Interests:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Previous Fire and/or EMS training:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Driver's License # \_\_\_\_\_

List any traffic violations you have received:

\_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been arrested? Why? Convicted? When?  
  \_\_\_\_\_   \_\_\_\_\_  
Yes No Yes No mm/dd/yyyy

Have you ever been suspended from school? Why? When?  
  \_\_\_\_\_ mm/dd/yyyy  
Yes No \_\_\_\_\_

How many days have you been absent or tardy last semester/quarter? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Explorer Applicant Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Explorer Applicant Signature

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

## Signature Page Acknowledgement

The undersigned acknowledges that they have received, read, accepted and agreed to the White Bear Lake Fire Department Explorer Post #9524 Standard Operating Procedures updated January 18th, 2012 and do agree to comply with the statements contained therein.

_____ (Signature of Member)	_____ Date
_____ (Signature of Parent/Guardian)	_____ Date
_____ (Signature of Lead Advisor)	_____ Date
_____ (Signature of Fire Chief)	_____ Date

The WBLFD Explorer Standard Operating Procedures can be found in the fire exploring section of the City's website at: [www.whitebearlake.org](http://www.whitebearlake.org)

Please read the complete document prior to signing above. Contact a post leader with any questions.