



**The City of
Hopewell, Virginia**

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****Hopewell Police begin their first Citizens Academy****

We are excited to announce that The Hopewell Police Department is accepting applications for our first ever Citizens Police Academy. This 8-week educational program was created to strengthen understanding and communication between our agency and our community. Participants will be provided an opportunity to increase their overall understanding of how our officers are trained, as well as experience the actual working environment that our team serves in. Courses will include criminal investigations, decision making, traffic stops, building community partnerships and other law enforcement related topics. Our classes will be held on Wednesdays from 6pm-9pm. Please follow the link below to access the application. You can complete the application and submit it in person at Police Headquarters, 150 W. Randolph Rd. Hopewell, Virginia 23860. For additional information, please go to our Facebook page. Space is limited and you will be contacted if your application is selected.

<https://hopewellva.gov/.../uploads/2022/04/Application.pdf>

For any questions, comments, or to speak with the point of contact for this exciting opportunity, please contact our community engagement team at 804-452-4668.

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WE ARE PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE THAT WE WILL BE HOSTING OUR

HOPEWELL POLICE DEPARTMENT



CITIZENS ACADEMY

ENROLLMENT IS NOW OPEN **Until APRIL 12TH, 2022**

TO APPLY
CONTACT OUR
COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT
TEAM

MUST BE AT LEAST 18 YEARS OLD

START DATE	APRIL, 20TH 2022
END DATE	JUNE, 8TH 2022
DURATION	8 WEEKS (WEDNESDAYS ONLY)
TIME	6:00 PM - 9:00 PM
LOCATION	HPD HEADQUARTERS 150 W. RANDOLPH RD.

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