

Police Explorer Post #2300 is a co-ed youth program affiliated with the Boy Scouts of America's "Learning for Life" program, and is staffed by members of the Antioch Police Department.

Police Explorers are active in communities across the country. The Antioch Explorer Program is a rewarding volunteer program that gives youth an opportunity to learn more about law enforcement, while developing valuable leadership and life skills and providing service to the Police Department and the community.

Young men and women will gain a better understanding of law enforcement functions and the academic and technical training needed to become future police officers.

This career-oriented program builds the leadership skills and self-discipline needed to become successful community leaders.

To apply for membership in the Antioch Police Department Explorer Post #2300, please pick up an application at the Police Department or download an application from the city website, [www.ci.antioch.ca.us/CityGov/Police/](http://www.ci.antioch.ca.us/CityGov/Police/)

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# ***EXPLORER POST #2300***



**Come see what  
Law Enforcement  
Exploring  
Can offer you!**



# **ANTIOCH EXPLORER POST #2300**



**Have you ever been curious about what a police officer does?**

**What is an Explorer Post?**

**How can I become an Explorer?**

These questions and many others are often asked by young adults.

Police Exploring is a program designed to give young men and women between the ages of 14 and 21 years of age an opportunity to gain first-hand experience, participation and understanding of the law enforcement profession and the rewards associated with a potential career in law enforcement.

## **WHAT DO POLICE EXPLORERS DO?**

The Explorer Program is challenging, demanding, and emphasizes volunteerism, professionalism, leadership, ethics, service to community, high self-esteem, and positive decision-making.

Explorers have the opportunity to study the field of law enforcement and community service first-hand, through observing and assisting police officers in many areas of their duties.

Our police department is committed to helping our explorers in their personal development. The program also provides the Police Department with an additional avenue to connect with and work with today's youth.



Explorer Post #2300 members are involved in a variety of training opportunities, community service events, and patrol ride-alongs with police officers. There is a strong team building element in the program.

We encourage cooperation and teamwork, along with maturity, responsibility and personal growth.

Police Explorers provide a valuable service to the community by assisting in traffic related duties, assisting with special events, participating in community functions and providing administrative service to the Police Department.

Participants attend monthly meetings, as well as compete in and attend regional and local Explorer Competitions.

## **Membership Requirements**

To become a member of the Antioch Police Department Explorer Post #2300 you must:

- Be a graduate of the 8th grade and be between the ages of 14 and 21 years old.
- Be enrolled in high school, college or any other school program.
- Maintain a 2.0 Academic Grade Point Average (GPA).
- Must pass a background check.
- Be of good moral character.
- Have no felony convictions.
- Pass an applicant screening process.
- Have an interest in learning about law enforcement and in serving your community.
- Minimum 10 hours per month