**SOUTH COUNTY FIRE DEPARTMENT EXPLORER POST 900**

**PROGRAM REQUIRMENTS AND APPLICATION CHECK LIST**

**Minimum Requirements:**

1. Must be between the ages of 14-20
2. Submit a completed Explorer application with essay
3. Letter of recommendation from an adult other than your parent/guardian/family member
4. Live within the South County Fire Department response area or Mountain House community
5. Pay a $100 annual participation fee ($100 collected on first day of academy)
6. Pass the oral interview
7. Complete a physical agility assessment
8. Willing to attend the initial mandatory training (Friday June 2nd and Week of June 5th-9th)
9. Maintain a 2.0 grade point average
10. Be willing to attend the two mandatory drills/events in October and February each year
11. Must be of good moral character and must not have been convicted of any felony, serious misdemeanor or crime involving moral turpitude

**Application check list:**

* + Completely filled out application
  + 500 word essay
  + Proof of 2.0 GPA
  + Signed release of liability
  + Letter of recommendation

**Please turn your completed application packet in to the South County Fire Headquarters located at 835 Central Ave by 5:00 pm on April 28th**

**Contact an Explorer Post Advisor with any questions at (209) 831-6700**

**South County Fire Explorer Post 900 appreciates your interest**