



Eddy County Fire & Rescue

Junior Volunteer Member Agreement

Junior Volunteer Members

- Must be at least 14 years of age
- Must have a signed Minor's Release form on file
- Shall have a parent/guardian present for New Member Orientation and District interview
- Junior volunteer members shall be attending high school, be a high school graduate, have a GED or be in a GED program.
- If applicant is a junior volunteer member in high school, he/she should have and maintain a minimum of a 2.5 Grade Point Average (GPA)
 - At the end of every grading period (generally 9 weeks), the junior volunteer member has seven (7) days to submit a copy to the District Chief or designee and Fire Operations.
 - Should a junior volunteer member's grade point average drop below a 2.5 GPA, he/she will not be allowed to respond to calls or wear Eddy County Fire & Rescue apparel until proof of a 2.5 GPA or above is provided.
 - Two consecutive semester report cards that fail to meet the 2.5 GPA standard, may result in disciplinary action, up to termination.
- Not authorized to take any fire equipment with them to school nor respond to any fire calls during school hours unless they have specific written permission from a parent or guardian and the proper school authority (provided on school letterhead).

Junior Volunteer Member – Parent/Guardian Awareness

- Junior member will be in a professional adult environment, with possibilities of exposure to adult mannerisms.
- Junior member will be expected to conduct themselves in a professional manner.
- Junior member will have to be able to take constructive criticism regarding their performance and/or attitude.
- The activities of firefighting are dangerous, and participation poses potential risks of serious bodily injury and death.

Junior Member Name (printed): _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

I authorize my son/daughter to respond to calls after 9 pm on school nights Yes No

Parent/Guardian Name (printed): _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____