



## Rhodes State College Criminal Justice Exploring Post Open House

Dear Student,

Are you interested in a future career in the Criminal Justice or Law Enforcement? If so, we would like to invite you to attend the Rhodes State College Criminal Justice Exploring Open House on **Wednesday, October 9. The open house will take place at Rhodes State College, 4240 Campus Drive, Lima, Ohio. Students are asked to meet at Keese Hall. Signs will help direct parents and students. The open house will begin at 6:00 p.m.** During this meeting, students will have the opportunity to talk to professionals in the field, current instructors, and will participate in hands-on activities.

The Exploring program will provide you with information about careers in all types of law enforcement, answer any questions you may have regarding the profession, and participate in hands-on projects demonstrating law enforcement principles. Exploring is a co-ed program for students 14-20 who have completed the 8th grade.

During once a month meetings, students will be given hands on experience in crime scene investigation, patrol techniques, fingerprinting, K-9 handling, firearms handling and safety, how to conduct traffic stops, first aid, and more!

The program is based on five areas of emphasis: Career Opportunities, Life Skills, Citizenship, Character Education and Leadership Experience. Explorers are offered the opportunity to gain exposure to various law enforcement fields through on-the-job observations and interactions with emergency services dispatching, corrections officers and road patrol deputies.

Application forms will be available at the event. The registration fee for this program is \$41.25 and provides all participants with liability insurance. **Students under 18 years of age will require a parent signature.** If you are interested in attending, want to RSVP, or have more questions contact Exploring Executive Matt Kibler at 567-245-1259 or email at [matt.kibler@scouting.org](mailto:matt.kibler@scouting.org)

Sincerely,

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Chair/Assistant Professor, Criminal Justice

