



# FBI Chicago Edwin C. Shanahan Explorer Post #1920

## Basics

- Meet every other Thursday from 4:30-6:30pm from September to April
- All sessions are held at the FBI Chicago Field Office, 2111 W Roosevelt Rd, Chicago, IL 60608
- 36 FBI Student Explorers are divided into three squads led by Special Agents, Intelligence Analysts, and Professional Staff
- \$20 Fee if accepted into program

## Sessions

- Sessions include case presentations, team building activities, and dynamic hands-on exercises
- Students will receive training and presentations on:

<p><b>Case Management</b></p> <p><b>Surveillance</b></p> <p><b>Search and Arrest Warrants</b></p> <p><b>Evidence Response Team</b></p> <p><b>SWAT</b></p>	<p><b>Interviewing</b></p> <p><b>Crisis Negotiation</b></p> <p><b>Undercover Operations</b></p> <p><b>Bomb Technicians</b></p> <p><b>Behavior Analysis Unit</b></p>
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## Application Process

### ***Deadline April 1, 2022***

- Submit your application online at [www.fbichicagoexplorers.com](http://www.fbichicagoexplorers.com)
- Send any questions to [fbichicagoexplorers@gmail.com](mailto:fbichicagoexplorers@gmail.com)
- Applicants must be in 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade during the 2022-2023 school year, a U.S. Citizen, at least a 2.5 GPA, not have a prior arrest record or serious traffic violation, and can be at the FBI Chicago Field Office by 4:30pm on Thursdays during the school year

### **Phase 1: Online Application**

- 1) Student Application (Includes Two Essays; 300-400 words)
- 2) Teacher Recommendation Letter

***\*Only Complete applications (student application AND teacher recommendation) will be reviewed\****

### **Phase 2: Interview**

- Applicants will be notified if they are selected for an interview in April. Interviews will be scheduled from mid-April to mid-May either via Zoom or in-person at FBI Chicago.
- Acceptance letters sent late-May, early June