

EAA Chapter 1044

Our Aviation Scholarship includes:

- Full Tuition to EAA Air Academy
- Airfare (Phoenix—Appleton, WI)
- Shuttle (to/from Camp)
- Lodging/Meals (Air Academy Lodge)
- \$50—\$100 spending money (Young Eagles & Basic Camp—\$50; Advanced Camp—\$100).

EAA Chapter 1044 is based at Mogollon Airpark (AZ82) located in the magnificent White Mountains of Eastern Arizona in Overgaard at approximately 6650 msl.

Our purpose is to promote, encourage and facilitate recreational aviation activities that provide educational opportunities.

Chapter 1044 is focused on education in the furtherance of (a) supporting and promoting the educational programs designed for the general aviation community (with specific emphasis on educational programs for youngsters between 10 and 17 years of age); (b) enhancing public interest in general aviation programs and the benefits provided thereby; (c) and enhancing flight safety in general, especially as it relates to the construction and operation of experimental aircraft.

Funding for the EAA Chapter 1044

Aviation Scholarship is through various fundraising efforts.



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AVIATION SCHOLARSHIP FAQS FOR PARENTS



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Scholarship FAQs for Parents

Scholarship Requirements

- Resident of Heber-Overgaard
- Completed at least one Young Eagle flight
- Letters of Recommendation
- Completed essay on why the applicant is interested in aviation.
- Completed scholarship application
- **Applications must be received by January 26th**

Tuition

EAA Chapter 1044's Aviation Scholarship includes full (100%) tuition to an Air Academy Aviation Summer Camp (camp is based on child's age).

All instruction, workshops, lodging, meals, snacks and flights while at the Academy.

Tuition will be paid directly to the Air Academy.

Airfare

Full airfare from Phoenix to Appleton, Wisconsin (including 1 checked bag).

Ground transportation to/from the Appleton airport.

EAA Chapter 1044 will work with the scholarship recipient and his/her parents to select

a reasonable flight. We will book and pay for the flight, including all taxes AND any fee for ONE BAG.

Spending money will be the only money awarded directly to the recipient.

About the Camp

Where is Air Academy? EAA Air Academy is located on the EAA Campus, 3000 Poberezny Road, Oshkosh, WI 54902. The mailing address is PO Box 3086, Oshkosh, WI 54903-3086.

How big is the camp? Each camp has a maximum of 56 participants per session. The Air Academy staff usually has about 16 instructors, counselors and pilots. The Advanced Air Academy adds 10 to 12 workshop instructors during those sessions.

Where will my child stay while at camp? Your child will stay at the Air Academy Lodge for the entire camp. It was built specifically for Air Academy in 1998. Your child will share a bunkroom with up to three other people. Bedding is supplied, so you don't need to send any with your child.

What about the food? The Air Academy Lodge has a commercial kitchen and Certified Food Service Staff and Cooks who prepare homestyle meals during your child's stay. All meals are family style in the dining area of the Great Room in the Lodge.

If your child has special dietary needs, be sure to include them on the medical form.

Healthy snacks and drinks will be provided. Juice, milk, water or lemonade is available at meals.

What paperwork will I need to complete? You will receive a package containing your acceptance letter and additional forms to complete. Forms need to be completed no later than 35 days before camp begins. You will need to complete a physical exam form, signed by a doctor, dated within 24 months of the start date of camp.

What about my cell phone/iPod/electronics? Your child will be required to turn their electronic devices in at the office when they arrive. They can be used during free time, but are not to be carried around.

What about a curfew? Yes, there is a curfew.

What do I send with my child? There will be a list in the acceptance package. Some of the items are: a towel and washcloth, soap, shampoo, casual clothes, a light jacket, closed toed shoes for the shop and outside activities, etc. You do not need to send a sleeping bag or pillow.

How much money do I need to send with my child? Most campers like to visit the Museum Gift Shop during their stay, so \$20-\$50 is usually sufficient. You may also want to include some money for food at the airport. Those here during AirVenture usually bring a little more because of all the vendors on the AV grounds. Some bring prepaid cash cards or traveler's checks. There is not a cash machine at the lodge or museum. Money can be held in the office safe. **EAA Chapter 1044 will provide spending money directly to the recipient.**

What are the bathrooms/showers like? There are separate men and women's bathrooms on the upper level of the Lodge. There are individual showers with a curtained dressing area for each.

Where can I find out more information about Air Academy? More information about all the Air Academy Aviation Camps at the EAA website, www.eaa.org/en/ea/aviation-education-and-resources/ea-youth-education.