

Do YOU have what it takes?

# 2019 YOUTH



# TROOPER ACADEMY

**JUNE 24-28, 2019 ★ PIERRE, SD**



Are you interested in law enforcement? The Youth Trooper Academy provides an intensive weeklong experience at the South Dakota Law Enforcement Training Center in Pierre, SD. Veteran Troopers provide mentorship and hands-on training in the following areas:

- firearms safety
- defensive driving
- crash investigation
- traffic stops
- leadership
- defensive tactics
- criminal law

Applicants must be high school juniors or seniors in good academic standing. The program utilizes a paramilitary approach, and is therefore physically and mentally demanding. Be prepared!

## TO APPLY:

Check out <http://www.sdlegion.org/program/sd-youth-trooper-academy> for more information and qualifications. Applications can be found on the website, with any state trooper, your guidance counselor or at your local American Legion. **Application deadline is March 22, 2019.**

**Applicants are encouraged to apply early, as space is limited**