



Kids Ministry Application for Volunteers

Instructions: To assist us in better understanding your qualifications and interest and to assure the fullest consideration, please provide all of the information requested on this application. Please read the "Applicants Statement" found on page two of the application before answering any of the questions. Sign the application and return to the church office. Please PRINT all information.

(Please respond to all questions, and do not leave any response space blank. If you do not believe that a response is applicable, put "not applicable" in the blank, use additional paper to respond if necessary.)

Today's Date: _____

I. General Information:

Name: _____ Spouse's Name: _____

Address, City, State, Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Date of Birth: (month/day/year) _____

II. Personal Spiritual Information: on a separate piece of paper, please answer the following questions:

1. Do you regularly attend our Sunday adult services? YES NO If yes, since when? (month/year)
2. Are you currently serving at Faithbridge? YES NO If yes, where?
3. Have you personally accepted Jesus Christ as you Lord and Savior and are you committed to having the character of Jesus live through you?
4. Tell us about your spiritual journey to date.
5. I have chosen to work with children/or youth at Faithbridge because . . .
6. If there has been alcohol abuse, drug abuse, physical or sexual abuse in your family background, what steps have you taken to minimize the impact that those issues still create for you.

III. Personal Situation: please give explanations where needed on a separate piece of paper.

1. Do you have children of your own? YES NO If so what are their ages?
2. Is there any circumstance or pattern in your life that would make it inappropriate for you to serve with minors or would compromise the integrity of Faithbridge? YES NO If yes, explain.
3. Have you ever committed, been accused, charged or alleged to have committed any act of neglecting or molesting any child? YES NO
4. If yes, explain in detail, providing date and place of incident.
5. Have you ever been convicted of, or pled guilty or no contest to a crime other than a minor traffic violation, or are you now under charges for any criminal offense? (A criminal conviction will not necessarily disqualify you from consideration for service.) YES NO (If yes, please explain fully on a separate sheet)

IV. Church History and prior youth work: please give additional information where needed on a separate piece of paper.

1. Are you a participating member of Faithbridge? YES NO
2. List the names addresses of churches you have attended regularly in the past five years.
3. List all church work involving children or youth (name, address of church, type of work performed and dates).
4. List all non-church work involving children or youth (organization name and address, type of work, and dates).

V. Employment History:

Present Employer: _____

Address, City, State, Zip: _____

Position(s) held: _____ (full or part time) Emp. Date Start: _____ End: _____

VI. References: List 3 adults you have known for at least one year, who are not related to you and have a definite knowledge of your character and ability to work with children/or youth. **(PLEASE MAKE SURE ALL BLANKS ARE FILLED IN.)**

Name: _____ **Nature of association:** _____

Address, City, State, Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ **Work Phone:** _____ **Email:** _____

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APPLICANT'S STATEMENT

The information contained in this application is correct to the best of my knowledge; I authorize any references or churches listed in this application to give you any information (including opinions) that they have regarding my character and fitness for children or youth work. I authorize the release of the information contained in this application to any ministry at Faithbridge in which I seek a volunteer position. In consideration of the receipt and evaluation of this application by Faithbridge, I hereby release any individual, church, youth, organization, charity, employer, reference, or any other person or organization, including record custodians, both collectively and individually, from any and all liability for damages of whatever kind or nature which may at any time result to me, my heirs or family on account of compliance or any attempts to comply with the authorization. I waive any right that I may have to inspect any information provided about me by any person or organization identified by me in this application.

Should my application be accepted, I agree to follow the Faithbridge Values and Honor Code.

I further state that I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THE FOREGOING RELEASE AND KNOW THE CONTENTS THEREOF AND SIGN THE RELEASE AS MY OWN FREE ACT. This is a legally binding agreement, which I have read and understand.

Applicant's signature: _____ Date: _____

Please print full name: _____

Parent signature (if student helper is applicant): _____ Parent (please print full name): _____