

 **Grace Bible Church**
Kids Ministry

Volunteer Application

Today's Date: _____ SSN: _____

Full Name: _____
 First Middle Maiden Last

Other Names by which you have been known (Nicknames, aliases):

Address: _____ City/State/Zip _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Marital Status: Single Married Widowed Divorced Spouse's Name: _____

Do you regularly attend church? Yes No
If yes, where and for how long? _____

If college student:
Address of where you reside in the summer/holidays:

Major: _____ Class of: _____ Expected Grad Date: _____

Circle the ministry for which you are applying:

Pre-K:
Sunday Morning
Wednesday Night
Wednesday Morning

Elementary:
Sunday Morning
Wednesday Night

REFERENCES (Please Include ALL Requested Information)

**Please do not list family*

PROFESSIONAL/CIVIC:

NAME		ADDRESS	
CITY	STATE/ZIP	EMAIL	PHONE

PERSONAL:

NAME		ADDRESS	
CITY	STATE/ZIP	EMAIL	PHONE

PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENT/VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

EMPLOYER	FULL/PART-TIME	DATES
POSITION	RESPONSIBILITIES	SUPERVISOR
REASON FOR LEAVING		

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EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

Please list schools attended, beginning with high school. Please include tech schools or special training.

LEVEL	NAME OF SCHOOL	CITY/ST	MAJOR	DEGREE
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PERSONAL BACKGROUND

1. Please describe how you came to believe in Jesus Christ.

2. Please describe your relationship with Jesus Christ.

3. How would you communicate the gospel to a child?

4. Do you understand that your lifestyle is an example to those whom you will be ministering to/with?

YES

NO

Your answer to the following question will be regarded as extremely confidential. Our purpose in asking is not to judge or condemn, but rather to stand with you in freedom and purity. Please know that answering yes to any of the following statements does not necessarily disqualify you from volunteering. Thank you for your honesty.

5. In which, if any, of the following areas have you struggled within the last 5 years?

Area (circle any that apply)

If yes, when:

If yes, please explain:

Use of Narcotics, Hallucinogens,
or Drugs not prescribed by a Physician

Alcohol Abuse or Excessive Use of
Alcohol

Pornography

Homosexuality

For any of the above that you answered "yes", please answer the following:

What steps have you taken to change this involvement/habit?

Is anyone holding you accountable in this area?

6. I agree to contact the Elementary or Pre-K Director if anything changes with the situations listed above. _____YES _____NO

7. Is there any other fact or circumstance involving you (currently or in your background) that could call into question your being entrusted with the care of children at Grace Bible Church?

YES /NO

If yes, please explain:

LEGAL BACKGROUND

For any "yes" answers, please explain on the lines provided below.

Y N Have you ever been convicted of a criminal offense excluding speeding/parking violations (i.e. a felony or misdemeanor) ? Answer yes even if you entered a plea agreement including a deferred sentence or deferred judgment arrangement in connection with a criminal case.

Y N Have you ever been charged with a sexual offense, offense relating to children, or a crime of violence?

Y N Have you ever been reported to any organization or registry for abuse or misconduct?

Y N Do you have any disciplinary action or investigation pending by an employer, other organization, professional association, or licensing body, for violence or misconduct?

Y N Have you ever been reprimanded, or asked to leave or end your membership in a church?

Y N Have you ever been accused of convicted of the use or sale of illegal drugs?

Y N Have you ever used illegal drugs?

Y N Have your ever been hospitalized, treated for, or struggled with alcohol or substance abuse?

Y N Are you engaged in any conduct that is contrary to the teachings of the Bible?

GRACE BIBLE CHURCH ESSENTIAL BELIEFS

These are the essential beliefs to which we hold:

We believe . . .

that the Bible is the verbally inspired Word of God and without mistakes as originally written. It is the complete revelation of His will for salvation and the only unfailing rule of faith and practice for the Christian life.

We believe . . .

in one God, Creator of all things, eternally existing in three persons: Father, Son and Holy Spirit, and that these three are co-eternal and of equal dignity and power.

We believe . . .

in the deity of Jesus Christ; His miraculous conception by the Holy Spirit; His virgin birth ; His sinless life; His substitutionary death on a cross; His bodily resurrection; His ascension to the right hand of the Father; and His personal, imminent return.

We believe . . .

that man was created by and for God; that by man's disobeying God, every person incurred spiritual death, which is separation from God, and physical death as a consequence; and that all people are sinners by nature and practice.

We believe . . .

the Lord Jesus Christ died for our sins and that all who believe in Him are declared righteous because of His sacrificial death and are, therefore, in the right relationship with God.

We believe . . .

in the present ministry of the Holy Spirit indwelling all believers and thus enabling and empowering the life and ministry of the believer.

We believe . . .

in the bodily resurrection of everyone who has lived, the everlasting blessedness of those in right relationship with God, and the everlasting punishment of those who have rejected God's forgiveness in His Son.

____ I agree to the statement of faith and will teach according to these beliefs. I will support this doctrinal position in my teaching and actively promote doctrinal unity within the church.

____ I have questions about this statement of faith.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date _____

APPLICANTS STATEMENT AND AGREED CODE OF CONDUCT

Children’s Ministry leaders are expected to be responsible examples in Faith, Conduct and Leadership. Maintaining a high standard for leaders is one of the best ways to represent **Christ** to the people of our church and our community. Therefore, we ask all of our leaders at GBC to follow these guidelines:

- ___ I have accepted Jesus Christ as my personal Savior.
- ___ I will be FAITHFUL to my assigned position.
- ___ I will attend leader meetings.
- ___ I will be faithful in attending church regularly.
- ___ I will give prior notice if I know I will be absent.
- ___ I will be present 30-minutes prior to the start of my assigned service.
- ___ I will wear my children’s ministry shirt and be neat in appearance.
- ___ I will read & follow my job description
- ___ I will give notice prior to resigning my position.
- ___ I will enthusiastically support the vision and outreach of Grace Bible Church.

Applicant’s
Signature: _____ Date _____

DPS COMPUTERIZED CRIMINAL HISTORY (CCH) VERIFICATION

I hereby authorize Grace Bible Church to verify all information contained in the application with any references, my past or present employers, or any other appropriate personnel at my present or past employers, churches or other organizations and any individuals to disclose any and all information to Grace Bible Church. I release all such persons or entities for liability that may result or arise from Grace Bible Church’s Collections of all such evaluations or information or its consideration of my application.

Applicant’s
Signature: _____
_____ Date _____

We conduct a police background check on all applicants, Do you have any objections? _____



Grace Bible Church Kids Ministry

We are excited you want to serve the body of Grace Bible Church. This letter outlines the steps you will take en route to serving. Whether you have been here for years or are brand new, we are excited to have you be part of raising up next generation leaders at Grace.

It is our desire to provide safe, welcoming, and doctrinally sound programming for all of our ministries. To accomplish this goal, Grace Bible Church Children's Ministry volunteers must complete this application process consisting of the following three steps.

1. Application. Please complete the attached application and return to the Pre-K or Elementary Director (the sooner the better 😊).
2. Interview. After your application has been processed, references and backgrounds checked, the Pre-K or Elementary Director will contact you for an interview.
3. Training. In keeping with the culture of safety that we promote at Grace Bible Church, all leaders must attend the training sessions offered during their time as a volunteer.