

Application for Children and Youth Work

Confidential

This application is to be completed by all persons for any position (volunteer or compensated) involving the supervision of instruction of minors. It is being used to help the church provide a safe and secure environment for those children and youth who participate in our programs or use of facilities.

- Member- Level 1
- Non-Member - Level 2
- Minor - Level 3

By action of the Board for the protection of our children, for the testimony of our church and to maintain the integrity of our programming, the following policy was adopted May 7, 1995. "Those who supervise or teach children or youth must be faithful members in good standing. Faithful non-members may assist in a helping capacity. All workers must complete an application for Christian service." Generally, a six-month waiting period will be observed for all new attenders/ members before service in children/youth ministry will be allowed.

Name: _____ **Date of birth:** ____/____/____

Address: _____ **Phone:** _____

_____ **Email:** _____

Driver's license number or state ID: _____

- In what areas of children/youth ministry would you like to serve in?
- In what areas of children/youth ministry have you been involved in the last five years?
- What is your favorite age group to work with?
- What special talent or abilities do you have to minister to children/youth?
- Please list any conditions or limitations that might be beneficial to know as you serve.
- Have you ever been arrested or convicted of child abuse, sexual molestation of a minor, domestic violence, assault, drug or alcohol abuse or any other crimes? Yes or No. If yes, please explain.
- What church or churches have you been a part of for the past five years?

Leading and teaching children is a serious task, no matter their age. Please take a few minutes to answer these questions about your spiritual life as a potential influence on the spiritual and moral development of the children and teens at Calvary Baptist Church.

- Please explain the basics of the gospel - What must someone understand and believe to trust Christ?

- Briefly explain your pattern for spiritual growth - what actions and habits of heart do you seek to practice in order to draw near to God and take on the character of Christ?

-If you are a member at Calvary, you may skip this section-

Personal References

Name _____

Name _____

Address _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Phone _____

- Please write out your salvation testimony and how you have grown in Christ in the time since then.

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 may have regarding my character and fitness for children/youth work. I release all such references from any liability for furnishing such evaluations to you, provided they do so in good faith and without malice. I waive any right that I may have to inspect references provided on my behalf. I have received a copy of the Child Safety Policy, approved by the Calvary Baptist Church Board. I agree to follow its direction in my ministry position. I grant permission for a criminal background check to be performed and understand that the results may disqualify me from service in children’s and youth ministry at Calvary Baptist Church.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

If Applicant is a minor, the parent or guardian should sign below indicating agreement with the above statement.

Parent or Guardian: _____ Date: _____

To finish this application, place it inside the envelope. Seal it, complete the front of the envelope and deliver it to the church office.