

Believers Kids

VOLUNTEER APPLICATION
2015-2016

General Information

Date _____

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Cell Phone _____ Work Phone _____

Email Address _____

Facebook _____ Twitter _____

Date of Birth ____/____/____ Male Female

Marital Status: Single Married Separated Divorced Widowed

Do you live with anyone other than your spouse? **(Yes / No)** If yes, who? _____

Do you have children of your own? **(Yes / No)**

If yes, list ages _____

How long have you lived at your current address? _____

Previous address if you have lived at your current residence for less than 3 yrs.

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Current Occupation _____

Do you regularly attend Sunday service at Believers Church? **(Yes / No)**

If yes, since when? _____ / _____ (month/year)

Are you currently active in another church? **(Yes / NO)**

If so, what church? _____

How did you hear about serving in Believers Kids?

Ministry Information

1. How would you describe your current relationship with Jesus?

Please check one of the following:

I have made Jesus #1, asked him to forgive me of my sins, and am a Christ follower

I think I have made a personal decision to follow Jesus, but I am not sure

I have not yet made a decision to follow Christ

If you checked the first statement, please answer the following questions:

When did you accept Jesus as your personal Savior? _____

How did you come to know Jesus as your Lord and Savior?

2. Why do you want to work with children at Believers?

3. Please list all previous volunteer work or employment involving children.

4. List any talents, training or other experiences that have equipped you to work with kids

5. Check the team(s) you are interested in serving with:

Guest Services

Preschool (4yrs - K5)

Nursery (birth - 23mos.)

Elementary (1st - 5th grade)

Toddler Plus (2 - 3 yrs)

Champions Club (Special Needs)

6. Check the service time you would like to serve in:

Sunday AM

Sunday PM

8:30am

10:00am

11:30am

5:00pm

7. How often do you desire to serve?

Weekly

2 out of 3 weeks

8. Are you currently participating or serving in a Believers ministry?

If so, please list the ministry and the team you are currently serving on.

Personal Disclosure Information

Because we care for children, and desire to protect them, please answer the following questions. We understand that the answers may be private and deeply personal, and we will protect your privacy.

1. Have you ever been treated for a psychiatric disorder? **(Yes / No)**
If so, what type? _____
2. Have you ever been arrested, convicted or pleaded guilty to a crime? **(Yes / No)**
If yes, explain: _____
3. Have you ever physically or sexually abused a child? **(Yes / No)**
4. Has anyone ever accused you of physically or sexually abusing a child? **(Yes / No)**
5. Have you abused alcohol, legal or illegal drugs or have you ever been concerned that you may have an addiction to drugs, alcohol, pornography or any other addiction? **(Yes/ No)**

References

List two adults you've known for at least two years,
one may be related to you and both need to have a definite knowledge
of your character and ability to work with children.

DO NOT LIST PASTORAL STAFF.

**Please contact these references and inform them that an authorized
Believers Kids Staff member will be contacting them.**

Email addresses required

I.

Name: _____ Nature of association: _____

Length of time known: _____ *Email: _____

II.

Name: _____ Nature of association: _____

Length of time known: _____ *Email: _____

Volunteer's Statement and Agreed Code of Conduct

Please initial each of the following statements:

___ I declare that all statements contained in my application form are true. I understand that any misrepresentation or omission is cause for dismissal from any involvement in Believers Kids.

___ I understand that my references and contacts from prior volunteer or employment with children may be contacted and that an appropriate **criminal background check** will be conducted. I authorize investigations of all statements contained in this application. I specifically authorize Believers Church to undertake a criminal background check of my past.

___ I understand that I must be interviewed and screened before I begin service as a volunteer in Believers Kids.

___ I understand that Believers Kids has a policy of ZERO TOLERANCE FOR ABUSE and takes all allegations of abuse seriously. I further understand that Believers Church cooperates fully with the authorities to investigate all cases of alleged abuse. Abuse of any kind is grounds for immediate dismissal from my volunteer position and possible criminal charges.

___ I understand and agree that false statements regarding past conduct and / or present situations may be grounds for denial of this application to provide volunteer services, and that refusal to inform Believers Church of the contents of a sealed criminal record will result in the automatic denial of the application and opportunity to serve as a volunteer.

___ If accepted as a volunteer, I agree to read and abide by all Policies and procedures provided to me by Believers Kids.

Signature _____ Date _____