



Volunteer Application & Background Check Release

Thank you for your interest in working with the Family Ministry of High Hill Christian Church. Please complete the following information so we can get to know you better. The information you share will be confidential and only given to appropriate pastoral staff. Once you have completed the application, return it to the office; we will call to schedule an interview. We look forward to speaking with you. Please check the boxes below to let us know in which age group you prefer to volunteer.

- First Impression Safety Team Administrative Students (6th-12th Grade)
 Elementary (1st-5th Grade) Early Childhood (Birth - Kindergarten)

General Information

last name: _____ first name: _____ date: _____
email address (Please notify Staff if you don't have an E-Mail address): _____
address: _____
date and city of birth: _____ - _____
aka or maiden name: _____ male _____ female _____
phone (home): _____ (cell): _____
occupation: _____ employer: _____
work status: part time full time student
marital status: single married divorced
spouse's name: _____ are they involved in an HHCC ministry: _____
of children: _____ do they attend HHCC: _____

Education

high school: _____ year graduated: _____
college / trade school: _____ year graduated: _____
degree: _____ minor: _____
other education: _____ year of completion: _____

Lifestyle and Important Legal Concerns

Are you a member of HHCC: _____ if yes, for how long: _____

How long have you attended HHCC: _____

Have you ever been involved in another HHCC ministry: _____ if yes, what ministry: _____

Have you ever worked with youth before: _____ if yes, where at: _____

Is your lifestyle a model of consistent Christian life: _____

Are there any issues or concerns in your life that could have an impact in your commitment and involvement in working with youth? (e.g. relationships, other commitments, etc.) yes no
if yes, please explain:

In caring for the children and students of HHCC, we feel it is our responsibility to seek adult team members who will provide healthy, safe, and nurturing relationships. Please answer the following questions honestly. Any specific concerns can be discussed individually with the pastoral staff.

Are you using illegal drugs? yes no

Have you ever been treated for alcohol or drug abuse? yes no
if yes, please describe:

What is your view on drinking alcohol?

Have you ever been arrested and / or convicted of a crime? yes no
if yes, please describe:

Have you ever been accused of and / or convicted of child abuse or a crime involving actual or attempted sexual molestation of a minor? yes no
If yes, please describe:

Have you been involved in any homosexual activity? yes no

Have you ever been addicted to pornography? yes no

Have you been involved in sexual activity, outside of marriage in the last 5 years? yes no

Are you willing to fill out a background check form yes no
(Please note that if you do not allow a background check, you will not be able to be considered to work in any capacity within HHCC Family Ministries. No exceptions.)

Spiritual History

Have you accepted Christ as your Savior?: _____ when: _____

Have you been baptized by immersion: _____ where: _____

Why do you have an interest in working with youth: _____

What expectations do you have for the ministry staff: _____

Please briefly describe your relationship with Christ:

In which of the following areas are you gifted and/or have training, education, interest or experience? This is not necessarily an indication of what area of the youth ministry you'd like to serve in:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Playing instrument | <input type="checkbox"/> Leading worship |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Drama | <input type="checkbox"/> Setup/tear down |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Leading games/activities | <input type="checkbox"/> Helping others |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hospitality/greeting | <input type="checkbox"/> Sound or video production |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Advertising, marketing | <input type="checkbox"/> Computers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Natural leadership | <input type="checkbox"/> Administration |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Small groups | <input type="checkbox"/> Teaching |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Event/activity preparation | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (explain below) |

References - Please list three references that we may contact:

- 1. Name _____ Phone _____
Email _____ Relationship _____

- 2. Name _____ Phone _____
Email _____ Relationship _____

- 3. Name _____ Phone _____
Email _____ Relationship _____

The information contained in this application is correct to the best of my knowledge. I, undersigned, give my authorization to High Hill Christian Church (HHCC) or its representatives to release any and all records or information relating to working with minors. High Hill Christian Church (HHCC) may contact my references and appropriate government agencies as deemed necessary in order to verify my suitability as a youth worker. I understand that the personal information in this application will be held confidential by the professional Church staff.

signature: _____ today's date: _____

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**High Hill Christian Church
Background Check Authorization**

Print Name: _____
(First) (Middle) (Last)

Former Name(s) and Dates Used: _____

Current Address Since: _____
(Mo/Yr) (Street) (City) (Zip/State)

Previous Address From: _____
(Mo/Yr) (Street) (City) (Zip/State)

Previous Address From: _____
(Mo/Yr) (Street) (City) (Zip/State)

Social Security Number: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Drivers License Number/State: _____

The information contained in this application is correct to the best of my knowledge. I hereby authorize High Hill Christian Church and its designated agents and representatives to conduct a comprehensive review of my background causing a consumer report and/or an investigative consumer report to be generated for employment and/or volunteer purposes. I understand that the scope of the consumer report/ investigative consumer report may include, but is not limited to the following areas: verification of social security number; current and previous residences; employment history, education background, character references; drug testing, civil and criminal history records from any criminal justice agency in any or all federal, state, county jurisdictions; driving records, birth records, and any other public records.

I further authorize any individual, company, firm, corporation, or public agency (including the Social Security Administration and law enforcement agencies) to divulge any and all information, verbal or written, pertaining to me, to High Hill Christian Church or its agents. I further authorize the complete release of any records or data pertaining to me which the individual, company, firm, corporation, or public agency may have, to include information or data received from other sources.

I hereby release High Hill Christian Church, the Social Security Administration, and its agents, officials, representative, or assigned agencies, including officers, employees, or related personnel both individually and collectively, from any and all liability for damages of whatever kind, which may, at any time, result to me, my heirs, family, or associates because of compliance with this authorization and request to release.

Signature: _____ Date: _____