



Calvary Chapel Fullerton



"Wiggles & Giggles" Children's Ministry Application

The following questions are designed to give us information to assist us in determining your suitability for placement as a Children's Ministry Teacher/Aide. We are not looking for professionals, or even the experienced; we are looking for those with hearts committed to our Lord Jesus Christ. Please read the responsibilities of Children's Ministry Teachers/Aides and pray hard before proceeding.

Personal Data:

Name: _____ Age: _____ DOB ____ / ____ / ____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (____) ____ - ____ Email: _____

How do you prefer we contact you? CIRCLE ALL THAT APPLY Call Text Email

Place of Employment: _____ Type of work: _____

Marital Status: _____ Spouse's Name: _____

Names and ages of children: _____

Children's Ministry Data:

I am interested in: CIRCLE ALL THAT APPLY

Position	Classroom	Service
Teacher	Nursery	Sunday Morning 1 st Service (9am)
Aide	"Wiggles" PreK – 1 st Grade	Sunday Morning 2 nd Service (11am)
	"Giggles" 2 nd – 5 th Grade	Thursday Evening (7pm)

Why do you desire to serve in the Children's Ministry?



Do you have experience in ministering to children at a Calvary Chapel or other Protestant church?
If yes, please give details (where, when ...) _____

Other experience ministering to children? _____

Do you have any special talents or abilities that you would like to share with God's children?

Hobbies & Interests: _____

Spiritual Data:
Briefly give your testimony. How and when did you come to know Jesus as your Savior?

How do you know that you, personally, are saved?

Describe your spiritual walk at the present time:

Do you agree with our "Statement of Faith"? (found on page 6) CIRCLE ONE Yes No

How long have you been attending Calvary Chapel of Fullerton? _____

What services/studies are you presently attending at Calvary Chapel of Fullerton?



Where did you attend before Calvary Chapel of Fullerton?

Do you have membership in any other Christian fellowships, social, or humanitarian organizations? CIRCLE ONE Yes No

If so, what? _____

Doctrinal

It is important to us that those teaching our children would be in harmony with us on basic doctrinal issues.

<i>A child under the age of 12 is too young to understand the Bible.</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>
<i>Jesus Christ is fully God and fully human.</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>
<i>The Holy Spirit is an impersonal force. It is not God. It is not a person.</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>
<i>When someone is sick, it is because they have either sinned, or because they lack faith.</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>
<i>The Book of Mormon is another testimony of Jesus Christ.</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>
<i>A person must believe in the resurrection of Jesus from the dead in order to be saved.</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>
<i>God exists in three persons, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>
<i>A person must be baptized in water in order to be saved.</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>
<i>The Scriptures (Genesis through Revelation) are inspired of God and infallible.</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>
<i>Jesus isn't really coming again personally, but only as we remember Him in our hearts.</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>
<i>As long as you have enough faith, you will be healed.</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>
<i>A five-year-old child is too young to understand salvation.</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>
<i>You have not been filled with the Holy Spirit unless you speak with tongues.</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>
<i>Jesus never claimed to be God, but was a good, moral teacher.</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>
<i>Repentance is necessary for salvation.</i>	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>

Do you disagree with any of the teachings of Calvary Chapel of Fullerton? If so, which and why?

How would you explain salvation to a child?



References

Is there a pastor or elder at Calvary Chapel of Fullerton who knows you?

Please give us two references whom we may contact:

Name: _____ Phone: (____) ____ - ____

Email: _____ Relationship: _____

Name: _____ Phone: (____) ____ - ____

Email: _____ Relationship: _____

The information contained in this application is correct to the best of my knowledge.

I authorize any references listed in this application to give you any information that they may have regarding my character and fitness for "Wiggles & Giggles" Children's Ministry.

In consideration of the receipt and evaluation of this application by Calvary Chapel of Fullerton, 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 damages of whatever kind or nature that may at any time result to me, my heirs, or family, because of compliance or any attempts to comply, with this organization.

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.

I understand the responsibilities and all guidelines that pertain to the duties of a Children's Ministry Teacher/Helper and agree to uphold them.

Signature: _____ Date: _____



Background Investigation Consent

I, _____, hereby authorize Calvary Chapel of Fullerton and/or its agents to make an independent investigation of my background, references, character, past employment, education, credit history, criminal, or police records, including those maintained by both public and private organizations and all public records for the purpose of confirming the information contained on my Application and/or obtaining other information, which may be material to my qualifications for employment (or voluntary participation) now, and if applicable, during the tenure of my employment (or voluntary participation) with Calvary Chapel of Fullerton I release Calvary Chapel of Fullerton and/or its agents and any person or entity, which provides information pursuant to this authorization, from any and all liabilities, claims, or law suits in regards to the information obtained from any and all of the above referenced sources used.

The following is my true and complete legal name, and all information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge:

Full Name (Printed): _____

Maiden Name (or other names used): _____

Current Street Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____ How long? _____

Former Street Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____ How long? _____

DOB ____ / ____ / ____ SS# ____ / ____ / ____ Driver's License # _____ State: _____

Signature: _____ Date: ____ / ____ / ____



Teachers and Helpers Ministry Expectations

1. Regular church attendance
2. Being an example to the children in Christian conduct and service
3. Praying weekly for the children and the lesson
4. Lesson preparation (ahead of time)
5. Punctuality: Showing up 15 minutes before class
6. Notifying the Coordinator of absences in advance
7. Keeping classroom clean, returning materials to resource center, closing up room
8. Taking attendance
9. Continuing education: Attending a potluck/workshop twice a year, provided by the coordinator.

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Statement of Faith

In order to identify the church as conservative in theology, and evangelical in spirit, we set forth this general statement of fundamental beliefs:

We believe the Bible to be the inspired, the only infallible, authoritative Word of God and inerrant in the original writings.

We believe that there is one God, eternally existent in three persons, Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

We believe in the deity of our Lord Jesus Christ, in His virgin birth, in His sinless life, in His miracles, in His vicarious and atoning death through His shed blood, in His bodily resurrection, in His ascension to the right hand of the Father and in His personal return in power and glory.

We believe that the lost and sinful man must be saved, and that man's only hope of redemption is through the shed blood of Jesus Christ, the Son of God.

We believe in the present ministry of the Holy Spirit by whose indwelling the Christian is enabled to live a godly life.

We believe in the resurrection of both the saved and the unsaved; they that are saved unto the resurrection of life and they that are unsaved unto the resurrection of damnation.

We believe in the spiritual unity of believers in our Lord Jesus Christ.

(These are the same beliefs as Calvary Chapel of Costa Mesa, with whom we are affiliated.)



Children's Ministry Risk Management Guidelines

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- *Teachers/volunteers will be screened through a teacher application and interview process with a pastor and/or children's ministry coordinator.*
- *A background release form must be presented to the church or children's ministry director. Any discretionary claims will be presented, discussed and voted on by a board consisting of Pastor's and Elder's.*
- *A six month waiting period of church attendance will be required before new volunteers are allowed to interact unsupervised with a minor.*
- *Teachers should not be alone with a single child in a room. Other children and/or an unrelated adult should be present.*
- *Teen volunteer/helpers under 18 will only work with minors under the direct supervision of a present adult screened teacher.*
- *Teachers will have an open door if no other adult is present in the classroom.*
- *Whenever possible children should not be alone in the restrooms with an adult.*

I have read and understand the attached Children's Ministry Risk Management Guidelines and I am aware of the requirements of the Children's Ministry program.

Signature: _____ Date: ____ / ____ / ____



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