

## APPLICATION FOR KIDS AND YOUTH MINISTRY

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*The next generation is SO important to us. We want to grow a team of committed volunteers who can truly love God, and share that love with kids and youth.*

Qualifications for involvement in ministry at Covenant Grove Church: [see 1 Tim 3.8-13]

- A personal commitment to Christ – authentically growing in your relationship with Him.
  - Growing in Discipleship (loving God), Fellowship (loving God’s family) and Mission (loving the lost, needy and hurting).
  - Making a commitment to living out the key GROWING commitments of Covenant Grove: God’s Word, Relationships (Life Groups), Offering, Worship, Impact (serving outside of church), New Life (sharing Jesus), and Gifts.
- A willingness to share God’s love and your faith with those you are serving.
- A biblical model of Christian behavior in your actions, speech, faith, and attitude.
- Participation and enthusiasm in supporting the mission, staff and programs of the church.

## APPLICATION FOR MINISTRY WITH CHILDREN OR YOUTH

(Confidential) [only fill this out if we do not have a copy on file for you]

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (home) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell # \_\_\_\_\_ Job \_\_\_\_\_

Other churches (name & address) you have attended regularly during the past five years.

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I will regularly be attending the worship service in addition to my regular involvement in ministry: \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Have you ever been convicted of child abuse? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been convicted of a felony? \_\_\_\_\_

[A background check is required to serve in this ministry.]

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

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On a separate piece of paper, please briefly answer these questions:

1. Describe your spiritual journey, and where you are with the Lord now.
2. What experience do you have in working with children/students?
3. What are your talents, gifts, and passions?
4. List three references (previous pastors, close friends, etc.) whom we can call. List name, email, and phone.

*Thanks for taking time to fill this out. Turn this in, and someone from our team will contact you very soon!*

## Permission to Obtain a Background Check

*(This form authorizes the church to obtain background information and must be completed by the applicant. The church must keep this completed form on file for at least five years after requesting a background check.)*

In the interest of safety and security I, the undersigned applicant (also known as “consumer”), authorize Covenant Grove Church through its independent contractor, LexisNexis, to procure background information (also known as a “consumer report and/or investigative consumer report”) about me, prior to, and at any time during, my service to the organization. This report may include my driving history, including any traffic citations; a social security number verification; present and former addresses; criminal and civil history/records; and the state sex offender records.

I understand that I am entitled to a complete copy of any background information report of which I am the subject upon my request to Covenant Grove Church, if such is made within a reasonable time from the date it was produced. I also understand that I may receive a written summary of my rights under the Fair Credit Reporting Act.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Identifying Information for Background Information Agency (also known as “Consumer Reporting Agency”)

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
First
Middle
Last

Other Names Used (alias, maiden, nickname): \_\_\_\_\_

Current Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street /P. O. Box
City
State
Zip Code
County
Dates

Former Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street /P. O. Box
City
State
Zip Code
County
Dates

Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Driver's License Number: \_\_\_\_\_ State of Issuance: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender \_\_\_\_\_