

Application Packet



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CHRISTIAN YOUTH IN ACTION®

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2023

Dear Summer Missionary,

I am so pleased to know that you want information to serve the Lord the summer of 2023 as a CEF[®] missionary. It will be a joy to watch God use you in the lives of boys and girls. Last year because of the COVID-19 pandemic CEF of Northern Virginia did not schedule many in-person 5-Day Clubs in our area. But, the harvest field is still ripe and waiting for harvesters to come!

On **May 20, 2023**, there will be a **mandatory pre-training** to prepare you for the summer's work. We will meet at the CEF office from 10:00 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. The pre-training that will be taking place on May 20 is also open to anyone who wants to do their own 5-Day Club[®] or to strengthen their ability to share the Gospel. On that day, you will receive your own 5-Day Club kit and be introduced to the 5-Day Club ministry. This pre-training will make it much easier for you when you come to the week-long Christian Youth In Action[®] training school. **Be sure you call me at 703-641-9201 or email to cefnova.office@gmail.com and let me know if you will be there.**

Christians Youth In Action (CYIA[®]) training school will be June 18 – June 24, 2023. The training school will be held at the *Eagle Eyrie Baptist Conference Center* (1 Eagle Eyrie Drive, Lynchburg, VA 24503; www.eagleeyrie.org). On the last day (June 24th), there will be a graduation ceremony, and families are invited. It is an enjoyable time for your family to get an idea of what you did and meet your new friends.

Enough about schedules, on to something that is probably more important to you, and that is “fund raising.” We have seen that the most effective way to raise money is to send out a support letter. **Make a list of your relatives, friends, and friends of your family, people in the church, etc.** If you sit down with your parents, you could probably come up with at least 50 people who have shown some interest in you (don't forget Sunday school teachers and Bible study leaders). By the way, if you have some dear friends or relatives who are not saved, it is still okay to send them a letter. Many times, these people are very generous in their support.

As far as the letter is concerned, make it clear, simple and one page. In the first paragraph, please explain what you will be doing this summer. In the next paragraph, you tell them why you decided to do this ministry and what you hope to accomplish. It is in the last paragraph where you mention the finances. Politely, but clearly, share how much money you need and ask if they would consider sending a monetary gift to put towards these costs. **All gifts are tax deductible and need to be made out to CEF[®] of NOVA.**

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On the envelope flap or on a piece of paper with the gift, they should write your name. These donations should be sent to CEF of NOVA (8001 Forbes Place, Suite 101, Springfield, VA 22151).

Be sure you provide the CEF office number (703-641-9201), just in case there are any questions. If it would be easier for you, we can provide return envelopes as well.

Please remember that people are interested in you. If they feel that you are using your summer to make a difference for the Lord, especially in the local area, the chances are good they will send in a donation. We have a sample letter that you can use.

You should approach church's mission committee and ask them for financial help as well. Perhaps your pastor will let you share your testimony in a service. Then an offering may be collected to help you towards this goal.

The cost of the schooling, materials, transportation during the 5-Day Club[®], and the administration cost will come to \$600.00. This money will have to be raised and turned in before coming to the week of training. The following is a breakdown of the cost: Week of Camp (\$360.00, subsidized); Materials (\$75.00); Transportation during clubs (\$100.00); and Administration Cost (\$65.00).

If you will be working with your church and your church provides transportation, the cost will be \$500.00. The breakdown goes like this: Week of Camp (\$360.00, subsidized); Materials (\$75.00); and Administration Cost (\$65.00).

Please don't let the money issues disturb you. Believe me. God loves to provide for His children. He loves it when you depend on Him to provide the impossible. This is your opportunity to take a step of faith and watch God do miracles. We are praying for you.

What wonderful adventures you will have with Him!

I am looking forward to meeting you on May 20, 2023.

In Him, for the children of Northern Virginia,

E. J. Hwang
Executive Director
CEF[®] of Northern Virginia

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SUMMER - 2023

Dear Summer Missionary,

We are very excited that you have chosen to use your summer serving Christ in Christian Youth in Action®. As you receive this packet, you are probably trying to complete all your schoolwork, get GREAT grades, and looking forward to the last day of school - coming somewhere down the road - but not soon enough for you.

We have been praying throughout the Fall and Winter that God would provide us with the summer missionaries that HE wanted to use - and you are now one of them as you have chosen to share Christ with the children.

Our theme for this summer is *Jesus: My Savior and Friend; missionary story: Operation Auca (Nate Saint)*. Did you know that many children have never visited a church or heard about how Jesus died for their sins? Children around Northern Virginia need to be told - and that's where YOU come into the picture!

Your serving with CEF is part of God's plan! You are choosing to be trained for life! We look forward to working with you and getting to know you better - and YOU getting to know us better.

*"O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!
You have set your glory above the heavens.*

Psalm 8:1

That is what we are going to do this summer - share with the children WHO Christ is and HOW they can KNOW Him.

We are praying for each one of you as you complete your school year and as you prepare your hearts for the summer ministry to which God has called you.

Looking forward to serving Him together,

E. J. Huang
CEF® of Northern
Virginia Executive Director



Child Evangelism Fellowship[®] of Northern Virginia Christian Youth in Action[®] Application

PART A

Personal Information:

Full Name: _

Present Mailing Address: _
Street City State Zip Code

Phone Number: () _ - _ At this address until: _

Permanent Mailing Address (If different from above):

Street City State Zip Code

Code
 Phone Number (If different from above): () - Citizenship: _

Social Security Number: - - T-shirt size: **S M L XL XXL 3X**

Are you over 13 years of age? _ Name of parents or guardians: _

Their Address (If different from above):

Street City State Zip Code
 Are your parents/guardians in sympathy with your missionary purpose? _ If not, what is their objection?

How did you become interested in the CYIA[™] program? _____

Education and Training

List below your schooling, including high school, college, Bible institute, seminary, or any other special school.

Name and Address of School	Date Entered	Date Left	Courses Pursued	Degree, Certificate of hours completed

***With Application, please include a recent individual picture.**

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Give approximate date of coming to faith in Christ: _____

Name and denomination of your church: _____

How have you been involved in your local church? _____

Write a biographical sketch (on another sheet of paper) describing your Christian experience. You **must** include:

- 1) The basis of your salvation. (give scriptural references)
- 2) Your spiritual growth since conversion.
- 3) Your practices in prayer, Bible study, church attendance, fellowship and witnessing.
- 4) Your Christian service.
- 5) Your convictions regarding tobacco, drugs, and alcohol.
- 6) Your purpose for applying to the CYIA™ program.

Are you willing to be involved in a ministry which may mean working with denominations other than your own, but which are in agreement with Child Evangelism Fellowship's ® Statement of Faith? _

Are you in full agreement with the Child Evangelism Fellowship®'s:

	YES	NO
Statement of Faith?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Experience:

Present occupation: _____
(If employed, give name of employer, if student, give name of school and year expecting to graduate)

Have you ever been arrested or convicted of child abuse? _____ (If yes, please explain on a separate sheet of paper.)

Describe any training and experience you've had in Child Evangelism Fellowship®.

Do you have any prior experience serving with CEF®? _____ Name, address and title of person under whom you served: _____

Describe any experience you've had in children's work in general. _____

Have you ever been used to lead a child to Christ? _____ Describe. _____

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MINISTRY:

Have you duly considered the sacrifices involved in being a summer missionary this summer? _____

Have you applied to any other summer missionary program? If so, please give name(s) _____

How do you expect to cover your expenses this summer? _____

Are you willing to work under the direction of the CEF® of No VA staff and to accept and to perform assignments cheerfully? _____

Do you have a driver's license? _____ License # _____

Will you have a car available to drive this summer? _____ Describe. _____

Are you covered by health and accident insurance? _____

Name and Address of Company
Policy Number

References

	Name	Address	Phone #
Your Pastor			
A CEF® Worker			
A Mature Adult			

Please feel free to give further details or matters not covered in this application.

I understand that Child Evangelism Fellowship® will investigate my work and personal history and verify data given on this application. I authorize all individuals, schools and firms named therein to provide information about me and I release them from all liability for damage in providing this information.

I certify that to the best of my knowledge all answers and information given on this application are true and correct.

Signature
Date

Signature of Parent/Guardian if under 18 or Signature of Witness
Date

Please Return this Application to:
 Child Evangelism Fellowship® of Northern Virginia
 8001 Forbes Place, Suite 101
 Springfield, VA. 22151

Dress Code

Class Dress

Men

Shirts

- Dress, polo, and t-shirts are allowed.
- Shirts must be in good condition (no holes, tears, stains, or objectionable words or pictures, etc.).

Pants/Shorts

- Dress, Khaki, Jeans, or Joggers (excluding sweat joggers) are allowed.
- Casual shorts (denim/khaki style) are allowed, but must be mid-thigh in length. This excludes gym/athletic shorts.
- All must be modest and in good condition (clean, without rips or holes, and covering underwear at all times).

Shoes — All shoes, flip-flops, and sliders are acceptable and must be in good condition.

Women

Shirts

- Shirt/blouse must be in good condition (no holes, tears, stains, or objectionable words or pictures, etc.).
- Shirts/blouses must be modest (length must cover stomach and back while bending over or raising hands; must be loose-fitting; no immodest necklines, front or back). No skin will show while touching your toes as you sit in a chair, with feet flat on the floor. Also, while in this position, no one may see down your top.
- Any sleeveless shirt/blouse straps must be at least 2" wide (to prevent exposed bra straps, etc.). If not (i.e. spaghetti straps), something must be worn over shirt/blouse that is at least 2" wide (i.e. another shirt/blouse or cardigan).

Pants/Shorts

- Dress, Khaki, Capris, Jeans, or Joggers (excluding sweat joggers) are allowed. Leggings or jeggings worn as pants are not allowed.
- Casual shorts (denim/khaki style) are allowed, but must be mid-thigh in length. This excludes gym/athletic shorts.
- All must be modest and in good condition (clean, without rips or holes, and covering underwear at all times).

Dresses/Skirts — Must touch middle of the knee (including slits) when standing. If the skirt/dress does not touch the middle of the knee, but is longer than mid-thigh, leggings are permitted to be worn underneath.

Shoes — All shoes, flip-flops, and sliders are acceptable and must be in good condition.

Recreation Dress Code for Men and Women

Shirts – See your respective guidelines above.

- Men — sleeveless shirts may only be worn during recreation time.

Pant/Shorts – See your respective guidelines above.

Student Copy

- Sweat joggers or pants are allowed, but must not have any writing on the backside.
- Gym/athletic shorts are allowed. Must be to mid-thigh or lower and loose fitting.

Shoes – See your respective guidelines above.

- If participating in physical activities, closed-toed shoes are required (this is to prevent potential injuries).

Swimming —

- A cover-up to be worn to and from the pool area.
- Shoes must be worn at all times around the camp facility, even to the pool.
- WOMEN — One-piece swimsuit is required. (A two-piece is allowed only if covered with a DARK shirt worn while swimming.)

The purpose of the dress code is to help protect you, your ministry for the Lord, and the ministry of CEF from any “appearance of evil” (I Thessalonians 5:22). It is not intended to be a legalistic set of laws, although it may very well seem that way at first. We need to learn to avoid things that might unduly offend others who have different convictions than our own, especially when we are directly involved in Christian ministry. We also need to remember that everything that is acceptable to the “world” around us is not always acceptable to God and the standards He gives us through His Word. Thank you for your cooperation.

As those who are representing the Lord and Child Evangelism Fellowship, we want our dress to be appropriate and non-offensive. We ask that, while you are at CYIA training, you cooperate with the above guidelines.

I, _____ (name of student), agree to willingly abide by the above guidelines and dress code.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Christian Youth in Action®
Summer Ministry Service Agreement 2023

1. I will follow directions from those in authority over me.
2. I have read and understand the Code of Conduct and the Dress Code, and I am willing to cheerfully conform to these standards.
3. I will commit to attending the entire training school: June 18 – June 24, 2023.
4. I will commit to work with other young people as part of a team and to rotate with partners that will be assigned to me.
5. I realize that I have to raise my support to cover the expenses. I realize that I have to raise support to cover the cost of my training school and materials for clubs before May 20, 2023.
6. Doctor's appointments or other commitments that may conflict with the 5-Day Club® schedule must be reported at least one week in advance.
7. All reports must be turned in at the end of each week of clubs. Each Summer Missionary is responsible for the money that is raised in the missionary offering and attendance sheets.
8. I have enlisted at least two people to be prayer partners for my ministry while involved with Christian Youth in Action.

Names of prayer partners: _____

9. I will commit to serve the weeks in 5-Day Clubs for CEF – Northern Virginia Area Chapter as indicated below.
 - Week 1: July 3– July 7
 - Week 2: July 10 – July 14
 - Week 3: July 17 – July 21
 - Week 4: July 24 – July 28

I, _____, am committing to be available to serve the above weeks/dates.
(Print name)

(Parent/Guardian Signature)

(Date)

(Summer Missionary Signature)

(Date)

(CEF® Staff member Signature)

(Date)

Code of Conduct

Christian Youth in Action (CYIA) is an intensive training program that requires diligence, dedication and proper conduct. Each summer missionary needs to be dedicated to the task of preparing properly to assure quality teaching in the 5-Day Clubs. Conduct should be becoming of a Christian. Good behavior must come from the heart, in love and obedience to Jesus Christ.

Expectations of all CYIA

1. To live daily in a way that brings honor to God.
2. To maintain a Daily Quiet Time.
3. To be respectful to everyone in attitude, speech and conduct.
4. To follow the Dress Code
5. Prepare your studies well, and teach to the best of your ability.

Your conduct should bring honor and glory to the Lord Jesus Christ at all times. Failure to adhere to this Code of Conduct could result in being sent home from Christian Youth in Action Training School.

At Training School:

Dorms:

1. Each person is responsible for keeping his/her area clean. This includes the bathrooms.
2. Everything should either be hung or folded and put away neatly.
3. Belongings of others are off limits.
4. All money, jewelry, and other valuables should be kept on your person as we cannot, and will not, be responsible for lost or stolen property.

Personal

1. All medication must be turned into the "nurse".
2. If you miss more than one day of training due to illness, you will be required to return home.
3. No one may leave the premises without permission from Training School director and local director.
4. During free time, you must sign up for, and participate in, one of the activities.
5. Everyone is required to attend all meals.
6. There will be no pairing off. Groups of three or more are required.
7. Nametags must be worn at all times.

Daily Schedule and Study Time

1. You are expected to attend all sessions unless excused by the Director of Training.
2. Study time is to be spent in study and completing assignments.

Phones, iPods, tablets and any other technology

These may only be used during free time in the afternoon. Upon arrival, you will turn off all your devices and check them into the "technology corral". You may check your devices out once you have been released from your afternoon study hall/practicums. You will need to return them to the "corral" by dinnertime. Please be sure they are turned off. If you need them for a special reason outside the designated time, then talk to your local director for permission. You will be allowed to use your phones for Talent Night.

1. Punctuality – Ephesians 5:15-16, Colossians 4:5
2. Orderliness – I Corinthians 14:40
3. Cleanliness – Psalm 51:10

Student Copy

- 4. Dependability – I Corinthians 15:58
- 5. Loyalty – I Corinthians 3:7

I, _____ (name of student), agree to willingly abide by the above Code of Conduct while serving with Child Evangelism Fellowship.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Photography and Video Release

Child Evangelism Fellowship® may, from time to time, document the activities of the ministry with photographs or videos. I hereby assign and grant to Child Evangelism Fellowship Inc., its subsidiaries and successors, and assign the unqualified right to the ownership, use and proceeds of all photographs or video of me or my minor child, without reservation or limitation, including use of photographs or video of me or my minor child for, but not limited to, advertising, educational and promotional purposes.

Please **print** clearly.

Name of Child or Adult Participant: _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone number _____

Email address _____

Signature (**or** parent/guardian of a minor): _____

Print name _____

Date _____

Witnessed by _____

Print name _____

NOTE: On digital forms, your typed signature has the same effect as your written signature.

RETENTION: Permanent

Name
Address
City, State Zip

Dear _____,

I can't believe what God is calling me to do during the summer of 2023! The Lord has called me to begin working on an exciting project, and I am looking forward to see Him do great and mighty things.

This project that God has called me to serve is called Christian Youth in Action® with Child Evangelism Fellowship (CEF®). I will be a summer missionary working with children in local Bible clubs called "5-Day Club®." Currently, I am developing financial support for my part in this ministry here in Northern Virginia.

As you know, CEF summer missionaries are supported by the gifts of interested friends and churches. I am particularly seeking to have folks on my team who has known and cared for me over the years. These individuals would share my deep burden to reach children for Christ. I sense that you may have the same burden.

I would like to invite you to join the "_____ Support team." (Checks payable to

CEF-NOVA, sent to *CEF-NOVA, 8001 Forbes Place, Suite 101, Springfield, VA 22151*)

To achieve my support goal, I am seeking _____ new financial support individuals who would consider a \$20 - \$50 pledge. The money will go towards my training expenses, ministry, travel and living.

By joining my support team, you will be giving more than finances. You will become partners with me in reaching boys and girls for Christ with the Gospel message and developing effective youth leaders.

God has brought the world to me. Many of the children I hope to reach have come from countries where it is almost impossible, or at least very difficult, to openly share God's truth with them. In the past, 5-Day Clubs have had children originally from Korea, Africa, China, Switzerland, Jordan, Egypt, El Salvador ... and America.

Thanks, _____ for taking the time to read this letter. Will you please ask the Lord for His leading in this matter? Of course, give only as He leads you to. If you have any questions, you can call the CEF office at 703-641-9201.

For the kids who still need Jesus,

P.S., CEF® reached 22+ million children with the Gospel last year all over the world. Thanks for praying!

Dear _____,

This summer, the Lord has called me to participate in something immensely exciting, something that I know will definitely touch my heart and I pray many others' as well.

This project that God has called me to serve in this year is called Christian Youth in Action® (CYIA). This is a ministry in which I have served in previous years and have been called back to serve in once again. I will be a summer missionary trained to reach out to kids through local Bible clubs called "5-Day Club®".

For me, children hold a special place in my heart. Since I been given this opportunity to spend a summer talking to, listening to, and pouring God's love and light on kids, how could I say, "No"? Even if God uses me to touch just one child's heart, that in itself is a beautiful blessing.

However, as you may know, CEF® summer missionaries are supported by the gifts of friends, family, and churches. We especially seek the support of those who have cared for us, who share the same burden of reaching out to children, and who will join me in prayer for this mission. Currently, I am working on raising my own financial support for my part in this ministry in Northern Virginia.

I would like to invite you to be part of my support team.

In order to reach my goal, I am seeking at least 20 financial supporters who would consider a \$20-\$30 pledge. The money will go towards my training expenses, ministry, travel, and living.

By becoming part of my support team, you are both joining me in reaching boys and girls with the gospel and developing leaders for Christ.

Regardless of finances, I ask that you join my support team in prayer, because without the Holy Spirit it will be a losing battle.

Thank you, _____, so much for taking the time to read this letter. Will you please ask the Lord for His leading in this matter?

Many blessings,
[your name]

If the Lord guides you to give, all gifts are tax deductible and need to be made out to CEF® of NOVA. On the envelope flap, piece of paper, or memo line of the gift, please write my name: *[your name]*. Donations should be sent to this address:

CEF of NOVA
8001 Forbes Place, Suite 101
Springfield, VA 22151

In case you have any questions here is the CEF office number: (703) 641-9201

CHILD EVANGELISM FELLOWSHIP® INC.
Medical Questionnaire

(To be filled out by parent or guardian, if applicant is under 18 years of age)

Name of Applicant: _____ Age: _____ Birth Date: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____ Blood Type: _____ (if known)

Parent's Name: _____

Name of Insurance Company: _____ Policy #: _____ Grp. # _____

Address of Company: _____ Phone # _____

Name of Family Physician _____ Phone # _____

Is the applicant subject to:	Yes	No	Has the applicant had:	Yes	No
Asthma			Chicken Pox		
Hay Fever			Rheumatic Fever		
Epilepsy			Mumps		
Food allergies List:			Rubella (German Measles)		
Allergies to medications: List:			Measles		
Other allergies (flowers, grasses, etc.) List:			Serious reaction to bee sting? If so, will they be carrying an emergency hypodermic needle?		

Does the applicant have: (Circle answer)

Diabetes ----- Yes No

Hypoglycemia----- Yes No

Is the applicant on a special diet?----- Yes No

Is so, what is it?

Has the applicant had any illness requiring a doctor or hospital visit in the last 3 months? Yes No

If so, what was the health problem? _____

CHILD EVANGELISM FELLOWSHIP® INC.

Medical Questionnaire

What is the date of applicant's last tetanus shot? _____

Please list any prescription drugs being brought by the applicant:

Name of Medication	What is it for?	Dosage

Please list any non-prescription drugs being brought by the applicant that you give permission for him/her to keep and take at his/her own discretion: _____

I hereby give my permission for _____ to participate in the Summer Ministries sponsored by Child Evangelism Fellowship. I assure the leadership that he/she is in good health and able to participate. I give permission for the adults in charge of Christian Youth in Action® (CYIA®) sponsored by CEF of Virginia, to give pain relievers (i.e. Tylenol, Advil, etc.) antihistamines, Mylanta, etc. at recommended doses for aches and minor physical disturbances and to administer simple first aid if needed.

In the event of illness or injury occurring to him/her participation in any CEF training or activity, I do hereby consent in advance to whatever x-ray examination, anesthesia, medical or surgical diagnostic procedure or treatment is considered necessary in the best judgment of the attending physician and performed by or under the supervision of a member of the medical staff of the hospital. I also agree to pay the cost and expenses so incurred, including ambulance transportation if necessary. I understand that I, or parent substitute, will be notified in case of an emergency as quickly as possible.

Parent/Guardian's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent or Guardian's phone # @ home: _____

@ work: _____

In the event that I cannot be reached in an emergency, please call

Name _____ Home Phone _____

Relationship _____ Work Phone _____

Please give this form to your local Child Evangelism Fellowship® Director, along with your application.

Statement of Faith of Child Evangelism Fellowship®

WE BELIEVE -

That “All Scripture is given by inspiration of God,” by which we understand the whole book called THE BIBLE; that it is inerrant in the original writing and that its teaching and authority are absolute, supreme and final. That the Holy Spirit guided the holy men of old in all that they wrote. 2 Timothy 3:16; Deuteronomy 4:2; 2 Peter 1:21

The Godhead eternally exists in three persons, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. These three are one God, having the same nature, attributes and perfection. Romans 1:20; Matthew 28:19; Deuteronomy 4:35; John 17:5

In the personality and Deity of the Lord Jesus Christ, begotten of the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, truly God and truly man. John 1:1, 14; 10:30; Matthew 1:20; Luke 1:30, 31; Philippians 2:5-7; 1 Timothy 3:16; Colossians 1:19

In the personality and Deity of the Holy Spirit, the source and power of all acceptable worship and service, the infallible interpreter of the infallible Word, who indwells every true believer, and is ever present to testify of Christ, seeking to occupy us with Him and not with ourselves or our experiences. John 15:26; Acts 5:3-4; 1:8; Romans 8:26-27; 1 Corinthians 2:12, 14; Romans 8:9; 1 Corinthians 3:16; 12:13; John 16:13-14

That man was created in the image of God, after His likeness, as stated in the Word of God, but the whole human race fell in the fall of the first Adam. Not only was his moral nature grievously injured by the fall but he totally lost all spiritual life, becoming dead in trespasses and sins, and subject to the power of the devil. “The carnal mind is enmity against God; for it is not subject to the law of God, neither indeed can be. So then, they that are in the flesh cannot please God” (Romans 8:7,8). Therefore, he cannot see nor enter the kingdom of God until he is born again by the Holy Spirit. That no degree of reformation however great, no attainment in morality however high, no culture however attractive, no humanitarian and philanthropic schemes and societies however useful, no baptism or other ordinance however administered, can help the sinner to take even one step toward Heaven; but a new nature imparted from above, a new life implanted by the Holy Spirit through the Word is absolutely essential to salvation. Genesis 1:26-27; Romans 5:12; Ephesians 2:1-3; John 3:3, 6, 7; Titus 3:5

That Jesus Christ became the sinner’s substitute before God, and died as a propitiatory sacrifice for the sins of the whole world. That He was made a curse for the sinner, dying for his sins according to the Scriptures; that no repentance, no feeling, no faith, no good resolutions, no sincere efforts, no submission to the rules and regulations of any church can add in the very least to the value of the precious blood or to the merit of that finished work wrought for us by Him, who tasted death for every man. 1 John 2:2; Hebrews 2:9; Galatians 3:13; Romans 3:25; 4:4-5; 5:8; Colossians 1:13-14, 20-21

In the resurrection of the crucified body of Jesus Christ; that His body was raised from the dead according to the Scriptures, and that He ascended into Heaven and sitteth on the right hand of God as the believer’s high priest and advocate. Luke 24:39; Acts 1:10-11; Ephesians 4:10; Hebrews 1:3; 1 John 2:1

That Christ in the fullness of the blessings He has secured by His death and resurrection is received by faith alone and that the moment we trust in Him as our Savior we pass out of death into everlasting life, justified from all things, accepted before the Father according to the measure of His acceptance, loved as He is loved and made one with Him. At the time of acceptance of Christ as Savior, He comes to dwell within the believer and to live out His life of holiness and power through him. Hebrews 9:15; John 5:24; Romans 3:28; 4:3,23-25; Ephesians 1:3; John 17:23; Galatians 2:20; 4:6-7; 5:16; Acts 1:8

That the Church is composed of all those who truly believe on the Lord Jesus Christ as Savior. It is the body and bride of Christ. That every believer, whether Jew or Gentile, is baptized into the body of Christ by the Holy Spirit, and having thus become members of one another we are responsible to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace, rising above all sectarian prejudices and denominational bigotry and loving one another with a pure heart fervently. Ephesians 1:22-23; 2:19-22; 1 Corinthians 12:22-27; 1:10-13; Romans 12:4-5; Ephesians 4:3-6; 5:32; Philippians 2:1-5; Galatians 5:13-15

That all believers in our Lord Jesus Christ are called into a life of separation from worldly and sinful practices, and should abstain from such amusements and habits as will cause others to stumble, or bring reproach upon the cross of Christ. Believers are created in Christ Jesus unto good works. “As we have therefore opportunity, let us do good unto all men, especially unto them who are of the household of faith” (Galatians 6:10). 1 John 2:15-16; Romans 13:14; 14:13; 1 Corinthians 10:31; Ephesians 2:10

In the evangelization of the world, that the supreme mission of the people of God in this age is to preach the Gospel to every creature. That special emphasis should be placed upon the evangelization of children. Mark 16:15; 2 Corinthians 5:18-19; Matthew 18:14

In the personal return of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, that the coming again of Jesus Christ is the “blessed hope” set before us, for which we should be constantly looking. “Our citizenship is in Heaven from whence we look for the Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ” (Philippians 3:20). Acts 1:11; 1 Thessalonians 4:16-17; John 14:1-3; Titus 2:13; Philippians 3:20-21

That the souls of those who have trusted in the Lord Jesus Christ for salvation do at death immediately pass into His presence, and there remain in conscious bliss until the resurrection of the body at His coming, when soul and body reunited shall be with Him forever in glory. Luke 23:43; 2 Corinthians 5:8; Luke 16:22,25 Philippians 1:23; 1 Thessalonians 4:15-18

That the souls of the lost remain after death in misery until the final judgment of the great white throne, when soul and body reunited at the resurrection shall be cast “into the lake of fire” which is “the second death,” to be “punished with everlasting destruction from the presence of the Lord, and from the glory of His power” (2 Thessalonians 1:8-9). Luke 16:22-23,27-28; Hebrews 9:27; Revelation 20:5,11-15; 2 Thessalonians 1:7-9

In the reality and personality of Satan, “that old serpent, called the devil, and Satan, which deceiveth the whole world” (Revelation 12:9). Ephesians 6:11-12; 1 Peter 5:8; Revelation 20:10



Worker's Compliance Agreement

Child Evangelism Fellowship

Doctrinal Protection Policy - Adopted by CEF International Board of Trustees, May 6, 2002

Child Evangelism Fellowship® continues in its commitment to its Statement of Faith, which embodies the non-negotiable and historic beliefs of evangelical Christians.

Within the community of evangelical believers various distinctives exist which do not prevent our fellowship in the Lord and our effectiveness as child evangelists.

We therefore resolve that CEF® workers are qualified by their unreserved commitment to CEF's Statement of Faith and their further commitment in all CEF activities to refrain from teaching or otherwise advocating doctrinal distinctives either contrary to or in addition to the Statement of Faith.

Recognizing the spiritual need of boys and girls in our community and around the world, I would like to assist in the work of *Child Evangelism Fellowship (CEF)*.

I understand that CEF is without specific denominational affiliation, and have read the Statement of Faith and CEF Doctrinal Protection Policy. In becoming a coworker with CEF, and in order to protect the ministry, I agree not to propagate or practice in CEF ministries any distinctive or controversial doctrines, methods and practices that would go beyond the CEF Statement of Faith and the approved CEF curriculum. These would include but not be limited to such things as modes of baptism, speaking in tongues, interpretation of Scripture by experience, healing on demand, etc. I understand that anyone who does not adhere to this agreement cannot serve with CEF as paid staff or volunteer.

In teaching Bible lessons in core CEF programs I will use exclusively materials approved by CEF.

In offering my services I trust the Lord to make me a faithful servant, and should problems arise between CEF and me that cannot be fully reconciled, I will quietly withdraw to preserve the harmony essential to having an effective Christian witness.

By signing below, I indicate:

- My agreement with the Statement of Faith, and that
- I will abide by the above Worker's Compliance Agreement, and that
- I will abide by the policies of CEF as long as I am actively involved.

(Only applicable in the USA):

- I have reviewed the Protecting Today's Child presentation (866-878-4182 or [www.cefonline.com/child protection](http://www.cefonline.com/child%20protection)) in the last 12 months.

If you have a question about a specific policy or to see a complete copy of all policies, contact your director.

Signed _____ Date _____

Print name _____ Church Affiliation _____

Street Address _____ City/State/Zip _____

Email _____ Telephone # _____

Good News Club Name(s) _____

CHILD EVANGELISM FELLOWSHIP® REFERENCE

Pastor or Church Leader

Applicant's Full Name: _____

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- How long have you known the applicant? _____ In what relationship? _____
 - How well do you know the applicant? (circle one) Casually Well Very Well
 - Is there any reason(s) known to you why the applicant should not/could not work with children? (circle one) Yes No
If yes, please comment _____
 - Applicant's relationship with others is generally (circle one) Poor Fair Good Very Good
 - What is the applicant's attitude toward authority? (circle one) Poor Fair Good Excellent
 - What are the applicant's strong points? _____
 - What are the applicant's weaknesses or limitations? _____
 - What is the applicant's general outlook on life? (circle one) Pessimistic Optimistic Unknown
 - Has the applicant been active in the church? _____ If so, in what capacities? _____
 - In what aspect(s) of ministry have you personally observed this applicant? _____
 - Does the applicant work well with others? (circle one) Yes No If no, please comment _____
 - Are you aware of any unbiblical sexual tendency in the applicant? (circle one) Yes No
If yes, please comment _____
 - How do you rate the applicant's leadership ability? (circle one) Fair Good Very Good Excellent
 - What is the applicant's work ethic? (circle one) Undependable Dependable
 - How would you rate the applicant's standards for Christian living? (circle one)
Poor Fair Good Very Good Excellent
 - Has the applicant any special talents or abilities? _____
 - How do you rate this applicant's potential for children's ministry? Please give comments regarding your position.
(circle one) Average Good Superior _____
 - Would you recommend that we accept this applicant? (circle one) No Questionable Yes

CHARACTER TRAIT EVALUATION	Not Known	Poor	Below Avg.	Avg.	Above Avg.	Excel- lent	COMMENTS
SOCIAL MATURITY							
Ability to communicate							
Ability to develop relationships							
Attitude in confrontation							
Tactfulness/Sensitivity							
LEADERSHIP MATURITY							
Drive/Initiative							
Ability to quickly learn new materials							
Conflict resolution							
Ability to handle stress							
Ability to make split-second decisions							
Ability to work independently							
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Consistent spiritual walk							
Knowledge of the Bible							
Sense of call or mission							
Submission to authority							
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Freedom from worry anxiety							
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Marital harmony (if applicable)							
PERSONAL MATURITY							
Self-discipline							
Conscientiousness							
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Common sense and judgment							
Flexibility							
Decisiveness/follow through							
Servant's attitude							

Address _____

Telephone # _____ Position or occupation _____

Date _____ Print Full Name _____ Signature _____

For any further comments please use an additional sheet of paper.

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CHILD EVANGELISM FELLOWSHIP® REFERENCE

CEF Worker or Adult Friend

Applicant's Full Name: _____

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If yes, please comment _____

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• What is the applicant's attitude toward authority? (circle one) Poor Fair Good Excellent

• What are the applicant's strong points? _____

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CHILD EVANGELISM FELLOWSHIP® REFERENCE

Mature Christian Adult

Applicant's Full Name: _____

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• How would you rate the applicant's standards for Christian living? (circle one)

Poor Fair Good Very Good Excellent

• Has the applicant any special talents or abilities? _____

• How do you rate this applicant's potential for children's ministry? Please give comments regarding your position.
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VERSES TO MEMORIZE

Christian Youth in Action® ~ 2023

As you prepare for CYIA Training, the following verses will need to be MEMORIZED and WRITTEN OUT.

You need to memorize these verses by May 20, 2023.

(Verses are in English Standard Version. You can memorize them in KJV if you want.)

Luke 19:10

“For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost.”

Ephesians 2:8-9

“For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so no one may boast.”

Romans 5:8

“But God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.”

John 1:12

“But to all who did receive him, who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God.”

Romans 3:23

“For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.”

1 Corinthians 15:3-4

“... Christ died for our sins in accordance with the Scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures.”

2 Peter 3:18

“But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ . . .”

Hebrews 9:22

“... without the shedding of blood there is no forgiveness of sins.”

Hebrews 13:5b, 6a

“... I will never leave you nor forsake you . . .”

“... The Lord is my helper . . .”

I John 1:9

“If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.”

Acts 16:31

“Believe in the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved, you and your household.”

Wordless Book Chart

 Gold	 Dark	 Red	 Clean	 Clean	 Clean	 Green
Who God Is	Problem/Need	Solution/Way	Appropriation	Assurance	Confession of Sin	Spiritual Growth
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Heaven (street of gold) 2. Creator—He made you. 3. Love—He loves you. 4. Holy—perfect, without sin 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Definition of sin 2. All have sinned. 3. Examples of sin 4. Born with sin nature 5. Sin must be punished 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Perfect Son of God 2. Willingly took your punishment 3. Gave blood and life on the cross 4. Died, rose again and was seen by many 5. Alive in Heaven 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Invitation verse (John 1:12) 2. Ask, "Have you ever believed?" 3. Review questions 4. Child indicates belief in Christ and responds in prayer 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Assurance of salvation (John 1:12) 2. Show and explain Hebrews 13:5b, 6a 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Confession of sin 2. Show and explain 1 John 1:9 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Read 2 Peter 3:18 2. Growing in Christ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Go to church and Sunday school • Read the Bible and Pray • Obey God • Witness
John 3:16a	Romans 3:23	Hebrews 9:22b 1 Corinthians 15:3-4, 5a	John 1:12	Review John 1:12 Hebrews 13:5b, 6a	1 John 1:9	2 Peter 3:18
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. God's home is in Heaven. 2. God made everything. <i>Give examples of creation.</i> He made you. 3. God loves you. 4. He is holy. Everything He does is always perfectly right. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Sin is anything that goes against God. 2. You have sinned. 3. Give examples of sin on child's level. 4. We are born with a "want to" to do wrong things. 5. The Bible sin must be punished. That means to be separated from God now and forever. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Jesus, the Son of God, never did anything wrong. 2. He willingly took your punishment on the cross. He is the only one who could do this. 3. Jesus gave His blood and life for you. 4. He died but He didn't stay dead. He came alive again. He was seen by many people on Earth. 5. Now He is alive in Heaven in a place of honor. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Read John 1:12, explaining the condition and promise. 2. Ask if the child has ever believed on Jesus as Savior. 3. Review message of salvation by asking questions about: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • God • Sin • Person and Work of Christ • Appropriation 4. Child responds, expressing belief in Jesus. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Give him assurance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Whose child are you now? • How do you know? • Go back to John 1:12. 2. Read and explain Hebrews 13:5b, 6a. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Where is Jesus now? (Heb. 13:5b) • Who will help you say "no" to sin? (Heb. 13:6a) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Approach from a positive perspective 2. Read and explain 1 John 1:9 phrase by phrase 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Read and explain 2 Peter 3:18 2. Growing in Christ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • G—Go to church and Sunday school. • R—Read God's Word and Pray (talk to God). • O—Obey God! God the Holy Spirit lives in you to give you the power to help you do what is right. (Hebrews 13:5,6) • W—Witness to others, telling them about what the Lord Jesus has done for them.
"But there is one thing that keeps you apart from God. That is sin."	"God has a wonderful plan so you and I don't have to be punished for our sins."	"And now because of what the Lord Jesus did for you, you can have your sins forgiven."			"When you become God's child, you can get to know Him better."	Give literature Thank-you prayer Pray for the child