

# Vineyard Kids Volunteer Worker Application

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

How Long: \_\_\_\_\_

If less than 2 years, list previous address: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Employer/School: \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status: ( ) Single ( ) Married ( ) Divorced

Why are you interested in becoming a Vineyard Kids Worker?

Have you ever taught children or a children's church program before? If so, where, when?

What other experience do you have working with children?

What are your Spiritual Gifts, and how do you see yourself using those gifts in kids ministry?

What age group(s) are you interested in working with? ( ) nursery 0 -2years ( ) preschool 3 – 5years ( ) elementary K – 6<sup>th</sup> grade ( ) young adults/teens

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## Evaluation of Child Care Background

(Questions apply to any setting ... your family, the nursery, work, etc.)

1. Do you have children of your own?
2. Do you babysit children?
3. Do you ever hug children in your care?
4. Do you ever kiss children in your care?
5. Do you ever hold children on your lap?
6. Are you ever with children as the only adult present?
7. Do you ever transport children as the only adult present?
8. Have you cared for young children who wet or soil their pants?
9. Have you ever touched a child in places that you now believe was inappropriate?
10. Do you have any concern about caring for children?

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## Christian Commitment/Background

(1) How long have you been a follower of Jesus Christ? \_\_\_\_\_

(2) How long have you consistently attended a church?  
\_\_\_\_\_

(3) Describe your current relationship with God and in what ways you foster a deeper relationship with him.

## If you have attended a different church within the past 3 years:

(1) What church/where? \_\_\_\_\_

(2) For how long did you attend? \_\_\_\_\_

(3) Is there a person from a former church that we may contact? ( ) Yes ( ) No

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## Evaluation of Criminal Background

1. Have you ever been, or are you currently charged with committing a crime?
  - a. If Yes, please explain:
  
2. Have you ever been convicted of committing a crime?
  - a. If Yes, please explain:
  
3. Have you ever been, or are you currently being investigated by a governmental agency for child abuse?
  - a. If Yes, please explain:
  
4. Have you ever been, or are you currently being accused of abuse of any kind?
  - a. If Yes, please explain:
  
5. Has your driver's license ever been suspended?
  - a. If Yes, please explain:

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## References

Please provide the following information for 2 references who are over 18 years of age and are able to provide a reference supporting your character and integrity in your relation to working with children and personal Christian commitment.

### Reference #1:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_  
How long have you known this person: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

### Reference #2:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_  
How long have you known this person: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

By signing this document, I agree that I have responded truthfully to the above questions and that these responses have been accurately recorded.

I understand that the Vineyard Church of Ithaca may perform a police background check and, upon reviewing this application, may e-mail a link with further instructions regarding said background investigation.

**Applicant's Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Director's Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_