

# Christian Youth in Action

## Summer Application

Referred by: \_\_\_\_\_

### Child Evangelism Fellowship®

of Alberta

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Check one – CEF Missionary: \_\_\_\_\_ Intern \_\_\_\_\_ Church Trainee: \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Prov. \_\_\_\_\_ Code \_\_\_\_\_ email: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Soc. Ins. # \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Prov. \_\_\_\_\_ Code \_\_\_\_\_

Church Affiliation \_\_\_\_\_ Member: Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

Church Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Prov. \_\_\_\_\_ Code \_\_\_\_\_

Pastor's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Prov. \_\_\_\_\_ Code \_\_\_\_\_

Do you believe in the Lord Jesus as your own personal Saviour? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you believe a child can believe in Jesus? \_\_\_\_\_

### General Questions

Please check weeks available.

Training     2 weeks (July 4-16)

Teaching     Week 1 (July 19-23)     Week 2 (July 26-30)     Week 3 (August 2-6)

Week 4 (9-13)     Week 5 (16-20)

Reunion     Aug 21-22

### Time Off During the Summer

If you are planning to take time off during the summer please let us know the details so we can plan your itinerary effectively. This is especially important if it is a weekend between ministry. We try to discourage this as much as possible as we like you to make an appearance in the Sunday service of your host church.

## Health Care

Doctor's name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Health Care # \_\_\_\_\_ Present health \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been seriously ill? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, please attach full particulars.

Please circle or list any health problems. Diabetes, Epilepsy, Asthma, Hay Fever,  
Fainting spells, Rheumatic Fever, Allergies, other \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been a victim of abuse? (physical, sexual, emotional) \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any disabilities that may restrict your activities. \_\_\_\_\_

## Experience Record

Teaching (Sunday School, VBS, assistant etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Platform Speaking \_\_\_\_\_ Leadership roles \_\_\_\_\_

Office (typing, phone, computer, projects) \_\_\_\_\_

Musical Abilities (vocal, instrumental, choir) \_\_\_\_\_

Leading others to Christ, counseling \_\_\_\_\_

CEF involvement \_\_\_\_\_

Last place of employment \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Code \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Job \_\_\_\_\_

Special Interests: \_\_\_\_\_

Driving Record – (accidents, violations etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a driver's license? \_\_\_\_\_ Learners? \_\_\_\_\_ Driver's Training? \_\_\_\_\_

Can you drive a standard? \_\_\_\_\_ City or rural? \_\_\_\_\_ Years driving? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have access to a vehicle you could use this summer? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you willing to be assigned to any area Alberta? \_\_\_\_\_

If not, why not? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you speak in tongues? \_\_\_\_\_ Have regular devotions? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a criminal record or background? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, please specify.

Do you give permission to do a background check? \_\_\_\_\_

## References

List 3 persons, not relatives, who are well acquainted with you.  
Circle name if practicing Christian.

1. Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ Code \_\_\_\_\_
2. Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ Code \_\_\_\_\_
3. Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ Code \_\_\_\_\_

## Personal Testimony – (on a separate piece of paper)

Write about how & when you became a believer in Jesus and His forgiveness of your sins. Give a synopsis of your Christian growth over the past 2 years and why you are interested in serving with CEF. Some of this information may be used in prayer letters & promotional material.

It is important to have close personal support when becoming a missionary. We would like you to approach 2 Christian leaders, friends or parents and ask them to sign your application indicating their support and that they will pray for you regularly.

1. Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relation \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_
2. Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relation \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_

## Education

<u>Level</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>Area of Study</u>	<u>Special Achievement</u>
High School			
Bible School			
College/Univ.			
Other			

Last day of school year \_\_\_\_\_. Are you studying on a student visa? \_\_\_\_\_

## Self Evaluation

Please evaluate your own abilities below. This will help us get to know you better so we can support your weaknesses & reinforce your strengths. Yes, we want to know your weaknesses. We all have them and God uses us in spite of them and often through them.

Circle all the appropriate comments.

Leadership	<u>Among Peers</u> : exceptional, good, fair, follower <u>With Children</u> : exceptional, good, fair, follower
Responsibility	enjoy it, shy from it, dependable, need supervision, quitter, never give up
Personality	quiet, out going, pessimist, optimist, creative, cheerful
Testimony	dynamic, effective, difficult to share, don't share
Sociability	friendly, enjoy people, loner, sense of humor, need privacy
Flexibility	adjust quickly, adjust with difficulty, enjoy change
Emotions	constant, moody, nervous, irritable, easily discouraged
Health	rugged, average, low tolerance, tire quickly, frequent sickness
Activity/Sport	love it, once in a while, only if necessary, not interested
Work	enjoy it, complete assignments, shy from work, lazy
Authority	respect it, resent it, cooperate with it, put up with it

**Personal Comments** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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## Check List

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Attach 2"x 3" photo of yourself       | <input type="checkbox"/> Signed Commitment                          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Signed Statement of Faith             | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Testimony                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Personal note for support letter      | <input type="checkbox"/> Completed Application                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Support List: 20-50 names & addresses | <input type="checkbox"/> RCMP, Soc. Services Checks<br>(If over 18) |

In order for CEF to use your picture in any promotion, we need to have permission from you, if you are over 18 years old, or from your parents, if you are a minor.

I give permission to use any pictures in promotional materials.  Parent

DATE \_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

# Child Evangelism Fellowship

## STATEMENT OF COMMITMENT

(CYIA)

I have read and agree with the Statement of Faith of Child Evangelism Fellowship. Realizing the spiritual need of boys and girls in my own community and throughout the world, I would like to assist in the work of CEF.

I understand that the doctrines in the Statement of Faith, along with other Bible truths commonly held by born again believers, can be taught freely in CEF ministries. I agree to exclude from all CEF activities other (and, often controversial) doctrines and practices about which evangelical denominations may differ.

I recognize the value of providing a sound presentation of the Scriptures, and will use exclusively the Bible Lesson material approved by CEF. I further commit to report to CEF concerning the results of any ministry.

I realize that first of all, the work of Christ, and secondly the testimony of Child Evangelism Fellowship will depend on me in the areas where I will be working. I will conduct myself as a Christian should, and will abide by any regulations that are set out for me as a summer missionary.

I understand that my final and complete acceptance depends upon my deportment, zeal, ability, teachability and cooperation, as exemplified during the training period.

I further agree to abide by the following lifestyle agreement:

It is expected that:

- a. All staff and volunteers will maintain healthy relationships with family, friends, colleagues and constituents. We are committed to speaking the truth in love, and resolving conflicts quickly and biblically. We are also committed to respecting the variations that exist between Christian traditions while carrying out our ministry.
- b. Biblical standards of personal, moral purity will be maintained. Each, being responsible for the expression of his or her own sexuality, will, therefore, maintain faithfulness in marriage, dress with appropriate modesty and in keeping with Scriptural principles avoid common-law, pre-marital, homosexual and lesbian relations. Further, acts of personal physical aggression, addictive and abusive behaviour and sexual harassment are deemed to be out of keeping with a Christian lifestyle. Therefore, any such violations, especially those involving minors, will be reported to the authorities, investigated and if proven will be grounds for dismissal.
- c. All staff and volunteers must abstain from all criminal activities, including, but not limited to, the promotion and use of pornographic materials, acts of theft, fraud, and the use of all illegal drugs. We expect abstinence from all alcoholic beverages to be practiced at all CEF business, social and ministry functions.

I am willing to submit to a police record check and/or Child Abuse Registry check.

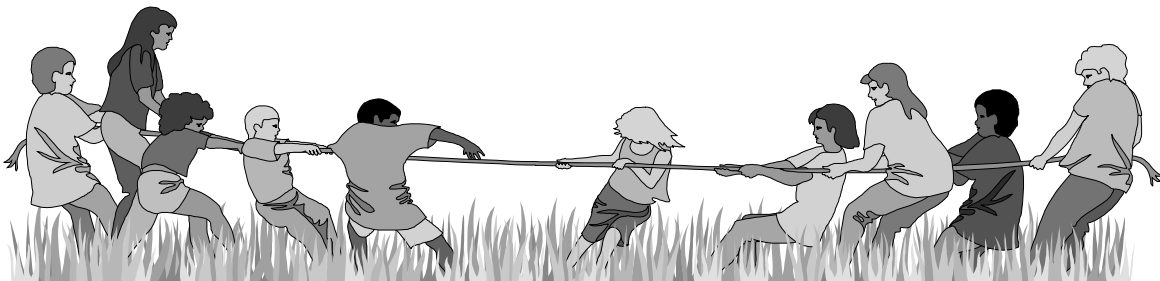
In offering my services, I trust the Lord will make me a fruitful servant, and should any problem arise between CEF and myself, which cannot be fully reconciled, I will quietly withdraw to preserve the harmony essential to an effective Christian witness.

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SIGNATURE

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DATE



## Child Evangelism Fellowship Statement of Faith

### WE BELIEVE:

- A. 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 is 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
- B. *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; Deut. 4:35; John 17:5
- C. *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 ; John 1:14 ; John 10:30; Matthew 1:20; Luke 1:30, 31; Philippians 2:5 -7; 1 Timothy 3:16; Colossians 1:19
- D. *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 experience. John 15:26; Acts 5:3, 4; Acts 1:8; Rom. 8:26, 27; 1 Corinthians 2:12,14; Romans 8:9; 1 Corinthians 3:16; 1 Corinthians 12:13; John 16:13,14
- E. *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
- F. *That Jesus Christ became the sinner's substitute before God and died as a propitiatory sacrifice for the sin 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. Romans 5:8; 1 John 2:2; Hebrews 2:9; Galatians 3:13; Romans 4:4-5; Romans 3:25; Colossians 1:13, 14, 20, 21
- G. *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
- H. *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 Saviour 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 Saviour, 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; - Romans 4:3, 23-25; Ephesians 1:3; John 17:23; Galatians 2:20; Galatians 4:6-7; Galatians 5:16; Acts 1:8
- I. *That the Church is composed of all those who truly believe on the Lord Jesus Christ as Saviour.* 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. Eph. 1:22, 23; 2:19-22; 1 Cor. 12:22-27; 1:10-13; Romans 12:4, 5; Ephesians 4:3-6; 5:32; Phil. 2:1-5; Gal. 5; 13 -15
- J. *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 14:13; Romans 13:14; 1 Corinthians 10:31; Ephesians 2:10
- K. *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
- L. *In the personal return of Our Lord and Saviour 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 Saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ "(Philippians 3:20). Acts 1:11; - 1 Thess. 4:16, 17; John 14:1-3; Titus 2:13; Philippians 3:20, 21
- M. *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 re-united 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
- N. *That the souls of the lost remain after death in misery until the final judgment of the great white throne,* when soul and body re-united 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 Thess. 1:8 & 9). Luke 16:22-23, 27-28; Hebrews 9:27; Revelation 20:5, 11-15; - 2 Thess 1:7-9
- O. *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

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_