Application Form for voluntary work with Children and Young People

We ask all prospective workers with children and young people (0-18) who are not church members to complete this form. If there is insufficient room to fully answer any question, please continue on a separate sheet. We require anyone taking overall leadership of any youth/children's group to be a church member, and encourage anyone considering involvement in one of the groups to become a church member if they are not already. N.B. The standard minimum age for anyone helping in one of our youth or children's groups is 14, unless otherwise approved by the youthworker / trustee responsible for children's work.

(The information you provide here will be kept confidentially by the church, unless requested by an appropriate statutory authority).

Personal Details

Full name:

Other names by which known in past:

Address:

Postcode:

Telephone Number: Daytime

Evening

Mobile

How long have you lived at the above address? years

If less than 3 years, please give previous address(es) with dates:

Address:

Address:

Postcode: Postcode:

Experience and skills

Please tell us about your Christian experience i.e. how long have you been a Christian, which church(es) have you attended (with dates), any activities undertaken:

Please give details of previous experience of looking after or working with children and/or young people. Please include details of any relevant qualifications or appropriate training either in a paid or voluntary capacity:

Do you suffer, or have you suffered any illness which may directly affect your work with children or young people? Yes / No (Please delete as appropriate) If yes, please give details:

References

If you are not a church member, please give the names, addresses and telephone numbers and role or relationship of two people who know you well and who would be able to give a personal reference and comment on your character and work with the church. One referee should have experience of the your work or attitude to children and the other of whom should be a current member of NMBC. In addition, we reserve the right to take up character references from any other individuals deemed necessary.

Name:	Name:
Address:	Address:
Postcode:	Postcode:
Connection with you:	Connection with you:

Criminal Records Declaration

Because of the nature of the duties the post-holder would be expected to undertake, the successful candidate will be required to co-operate in obtaining a Standard or Enhanced Disclosure from the Disclosure and Barring Service. If considered suitable for the post, do you agree to co-operate in obtaining a DBS check at the Standard or Enhanced level?*

Yes / No (Please delete as appropriate)

Because of the nature of the work for which you are applying, this position is exempt from the provision of section 4(ii) of the Rehabilitation of offenders Act 1974 (Exceptions Order 1975), and you are therefore not entitled to withhold information about convictions which for other purposes are 'spent' under the provisions of the 1974 Act and in the event of appointment, any failure to disclose such convictions could result in the withdrawal of approval to work with children and / or young people within the church.

Declaration

I confirm that the submitted information is correct and complete.

Signed..... Date