

# HARVEST KIDS STUDENT HELPER APPLICATION

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### OUR MISSION

To glorify God by leading children to be lifelong followers of Jesus Christ.



Please return completed form to the Get Connected Table or directly to the church offices.

Questions can be directed to:

e: [kids@harvestniagara.ca](mailto:kids@harvestniagara.ca) p: 905.646.7777 \*25

## GENERAL EXPECTATIONS

### PLEASE READ BEFORE COMPLETING APPLICATION.

Applicants must be willing to submit to the leadership of the staff and elders of Harvest Bible Chapel.

Applicants in Grades 6-8 are encouraged to serve alongside a parent or guardian.

Applicants must attend Harvest Kids 101 and are encouraged to attend Harvest Students.

PERSONAL INFORMATION		
Last Name:	First Name:	Date of Birth (MM/DD/YY):
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:	Email:
Address (Street, City, Province, Postal Code):		
Current Grade in School:	Do you regularly attend Harvest Bible Chapel Niagara?  <b>YES / NO</b>	How long have you been attending Harvest?
Are you currently attending Harvest Students?  <b>YES / NO</b>	Have you personally accepted Jesus Christ as your Lord and Saviour?  <b>YES / NO / UNSURE</b>	

If applicable, please list the names of any other churches that you have attended regularly during the past five years.

Church Name: \_\_\_\_\_ City/Province: \_\_\_\_\_

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What are your talents, skills, interests, hobbies, etc.?

## RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD

How did you become a follower of Jesus Christ?

What are you doing to grow closer to God? How has God been showing Himself to you recently?

How would you explain to a friend how they can know Christ?

## WORKING IN CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Please circle your desired age group or ministry area. You may select more than one!

**NURSERY\*** (Age 0-24 months)

**TODDLERS** (2-4 yrs)

**JK/SK** (4-5 yrs)

**GRADE 1-2**

**GRADE 3-5**

**WORSHIP**

*\*Note: You must 16+ years of age to work in the Nursery*

Have you volunteered or worked with children before (inside or outside the church)? If so, where and for how long? What was your role?

I have chosen to work with children at Harvest Bible Chapel because...

## REFERENCES

**List 3 adults whom you have known for at least 2 years who:**

- *are not related to you;*
- *have specific knowledge of your character and/or ability to work with children;*
- *fit the criteria set forth below.*

**1. Harvest Bible Chapel Niagara (or previous church) member or staff person:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Length of time known: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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

**2. Personal Contact (unrelated):**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Length of time known: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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

**3. Present Employer (if applicable), Harvest Student Leader or second Personal Contact (unrelated):**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Length of time known: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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

**APPLICANT AND PARENT CONSENT**

I understand that the staff, other volunteers, and families of Harvest Bible Chapel Niagara are counting on me to fulfill the following commitment. I have discussed these with my parents/guardians.

- I will arrive one hour before the start of service when I'm scheduled to serve.
- I will allow adults to handle washroom breaks and check-in/check-out procedures.
- I will stay in the class and engage children in activities as I am able.
- I will participate in both classroom and large group activities.
- I will model respect of authority for the children by listening to the storytellers and submitting to adult leadership.
- I will be flexible and move to other classrooms as needed.
- I will call or email appropriate ministry staff if I cannot serve when scheduled.
- I will leave all discipline issues to the lead worker/captain.
- I will agree to stay off my cell phone when I am serving and be engaged in my role.

I am familiar with and agree to adhere to the policies and procedures for serving in Children's Ministry at Harvest Bible Chapel Niagara.

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Applicant Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, the parent/guardian of \_\_\_\_\_, give my child permission to serve in Harvest Kids, the Children's Ministry of Harvest Bible Chapel Niagara. I will do my part to ensure he/she is on time and fulfills his/her commitment. I understand that he/she needs to worship regularly with the church family as well.

**Signature of Parent/Guardian:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_