



# GRACEchurch OF ORANGE

## Student Helper Application (for students in 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade only)

A Student Helper is a student between 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade who has been approved by Grace Church staff to assist in children's ministry classes and activities.

### QUALIFICATIONS

The basic qualifications for Student Helpers include:

- You are a Christian and are growing in your faith.
- Your parents approve and are willing to accommodate your ministry schedule.
- You have been actively attending Grace Church for a minimum of six months.
- You agree with and support the Statement of Faith of Grace Church of Orange.
- You complete the application and any training process.

### APPLICATION PROCESS

Note: Information contained in this application is completely confidential. All information is kept in a locked file, available only to the Elders and/or pastoral staff.

1. Return the completed application in a sealed envelope to the church office. Please keep the cover letter and Statement of Faith for your records.
2. A Pastor will evaluate your application and contact an appropriate ministry leader for your age group as a reference. He might also contact you and/or your parents to discuss your application.
3. You will be informed when your application has been approved.

In filling out this form, you agree to:

- Keep your eyes, mind, and body free from images or writings that would violate the principles of purity and holiness taught in God's Word.
- Set a positive example of good citizenship for the children you hope to serve by honoring the precepts of God's Word and the laws of the land.
- Keep your body physically pure and free from alcohol and drugs not prescribed by a medical doctor.
- Follow the teaching and activity instructions of the adult leaders who coordinate your area of service.
- Serve when you are scheduled or arrange an approved substitute when you must be absent. You must inform your adult leader of such changes.
- Attend training as requested.
- Regularly participate in the life, worship, and ministries of Grace Church of Orange.
- Live a life of prayer and the study of God's Word.

***(Applicant is to keep the first page.)***

## Student Helper Information Form

### Individual Information

Student's Full Name \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP Code \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Current Grade Level in School \_\_\_\_\_

Name of School \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Your Parent(s) or Guardian(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

### Church Information

Are you a member of Grace Church of Orange? yes no

How long have you attended Grace Church of Orange? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you given your heart and life to Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord? yes no

Briefly share how you became a Christian (testimony) \_\_\_\_\_

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Please list some of the ministries you participate in at Grace Church: \_\_\_\_\_

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Why do you want to work with children? \_\_\_\_\_

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Please tell us about any experience you have working with children \_\_\_\_\_

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## Agreement

The information contained in this application is correct to the best of my knowledge. I have talked openly and honestly with my parents and/or ministry leader about any experiences I may have had in the past that could negatively affect my work with young children.

I agree to:

- Keep my eyes, mind, and body free from images or writings that would violate the principles of purity and holiness taught in God's Word.
- Set a positive example of good citizenship for the children I hope to serve by honoring the precepts of God's Word and the laws of the land.
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- Follow the teaching and activity instructions of the adult leaders who coordinate my area of service.
- Serve when I am scheduled or arrange an approved substitute when I must be absent. I will inform my adult leader of this change.
- Attend training as requested.
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I have read the church policies related to Children's Ministry and agree to abide by them.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

## Approval

### Parent Approval:

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I affirm that my child, named above, has accepted Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord and give him/her permission to participate in the Children's Ministry of Grace Church of Orange.

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Print Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

### Pastoral Approval:

The applicant named above has been approved for ministry.

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Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date