

North Ridge Church Adventure Co. K-5th Grade Volunteer Application Packet



Thank you for your interest in serving our children in the Adventure Co. We believe that God has entrusted us with these kids, and we desire to encourage them and their families to know God and learn how to walk with Him. Please take time to read the following information to see where God can use you in the Adventure Co.

The Adventure Co. utilizes 252 Basics curriculum. 252 Basics is an easy-to-use curriculum designed to put your mind at ease and your heart into overdrive. It centers on 3 Basic Truths modeled by Jesus in Luke 2:52:

1. I need to make the wise choice.
2. I can trust God no matter what.
3. I should treat others the way I want to be treated.

By the time children reach the fifth grade, we want them to understand and own these 3 Basic Truths, so they're reinforced each week. We also focus on a core virtue each month. This virtue is supported by the weekly bottom line—the learning aim for the day.

On the whole, 252 Basics utilizes Bible stories, a core virtue, and a memory verse each month while offering engaging presentations of the 3 Basic Truths. We also throw in some handy illustrations of how God works in our lives to make us more like Him. To top it off, worship music is included to give the curriculum that added depth.

Every Sunday, volunteers show up and work together in their unique role to create an amazing environment for our kids. Adventure Company is totally volunteer fueled and wouldn't exist without the leadership and expertise of our volunteers. Each volunteer has a part to play on our team.

So, what steps can you take toward becoming a student ministry volunteer?:

1. **Pray**-take time to prayerfully consider your commitment. Take time to discuss this decision with family members and friends.
2. **Complete the application and background check authorization.**
3. **Schedule an interview**-once you have completed the attached application and background form, schedule an interview with Rebekah Hanson (rebekah@northridgenow.org) or Ray Conner (336-498-7751 OR ray@northridgenow.org).

Thank you for taking the first step toward serving in our youth ministries. We believe that God has great plans for you and our youth as a result of your getting involved. If you have any questions regarding the application process, please contact us.

Thanks!

Rebekah Hanson

We want to ensure a safe and secure environment for all of our children at NRC. The application process is in place to protect both you and the children with which you will be working. We ask that you answer the following questions as accurately as possible.

K-5 - 5th Grade

Today's Date: _____

General Information:

Name(First,Middle,Last): _____

Nickname: _____ Maiden Name: _____

HomePhone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

E-Mail: _____

Social Security# _____ Driver's License# _____ State _____

Birth Date: _____ Marital Status: _____

Anniversary (please include year): _____ Spouse's Name: _____

List your children and their date of birth:

Name: _____ DOB: _____

Name: _____ DOB: _____

Name: _____ DOB: _____

Hobbies or Special Abilities:

Employment:

Current Employer:

Job Title or Description: _____

Time at this Job: _____ yrs _____ mos

Okay to call at work? Yes No

Screening Information:

Please list any other churches you have attended regularly within the past five years, or any school, organization or athletic organization where you have worked with children:

Church/Organization: _____

Contact Person & Phone Number: _____

Dates attended or participated: _____

Church/Organization: _____

Contact Person & Phone Number: _____

Dates attended or participated: _____

List 2 personal references that are not relatives:

Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Telephone: _____

Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Telephone: _____

Have you ever been convicted or accused of any domestic violence, child abuse, child molestation, or any other crime related to children or youth?

YES NO

If yes, please explain: _____

To Be Completed With Adventure Co. Staff:

The volunteer position(s) I am interested in are:

Check In | Small Group Leader | Worship Leader | Drama Team

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Background Check Authorization

Print Name: _____
(First) (Middle) (Last)

Former Name(s) and Dates Used: _____

Current Address Since: _____
(Mo/Yr) (Street) (City) (Zip/State)

Previous Address From: _____
(Mo/Yr) (Street) (City) (Zip/State)

Previous Address From: _____
(Mo/Yr) (Street) (City) (Zip/State)

Social Security Number: _____ DOB: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Drivers License Number/State: _____

The information contained in this application is correct to the best of my knowledge. I hereby authorize North Ridge Church and its designated agents and representatives to conduct a comprehensive review of my background causing a consumer report and/or an investigative consumer report to be generated for employment and/or volunteer purposes. I understand that the scope of the consumer report/ investigative consumer report may include, but is not limited to the following areas: verification of social security number; credit reports, current and previous residences; employment history, education background, character references; drug testing, civil and criminal history records from any criminal justice agency in any or all federal, state, county jurisdictions; driving records, birth records, and any other public records.

I further authorize any individual, company, firm, corporation, or public agency (including the Social Security Administration and law enforcement agencies) to divulge any and all information, verbal or written, pertaining to me, to North Ridge Church or its agents. I further authorize the complete release of any records or data pertaining to me which the individual, company, firm, corporation, or public agency may have, to include information or data received from other sources.

**North Ridge Church and its designated agents and representatives shall maintain all information received from this authorization in a confidential manner in order to protect the applicants personal information, including, but not limited to, addresses, social security numbers, and dates of birth.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Notice to California, Minnesota and Oklahoma Residents:
Please check the box below if you wish to receive a copy of a consumer report that is requested.
 I wish to receive a copy of any Background Check Report on me that is requested.