



Application for Summer TFC Mission Trips

Last Name _____ First Name _____

Middle Initial _____ Preferred Name on Prayer Card _____

Male _____ Female _____ Age _____ Date of Birth _____

Address _____ City _____

State _____ Zip _____

School _____ Current Grade _____

Home Phone _____ Your E-mail _____

Cell Phone _____

Parent's Name _____ Your Parent's Email _____

Church _____ Pastor's Name _____

Pastor's Phone # _____ Do you attend regularly _____

TFC Group _____ Do you attend regularly _____

T-shirt size: S [] M [] L [] XL [] XXL []

Please Consider This MISSION TRIP AGREEMENT Before Applying!

1. I agree to make this Mission Trip a special one for the team members by obeying the rules and guidelines that TFC Connection and the ministries in which we travel with and are associated with establish. I realize that they have my best interest and welfare in mind -- and even though I may not always understand why a rule is necessary, I will trust their judgment and obey them. The staff have the right to confront me if they see a problem in my attitude or in my obeying the rules.

2. I agree to participate in the support raising part of this project. I realize there is a lot to learn from raising my own support, and even though I may have the finances to pay my own way, I will send out a minimum of 10 letters to people who would be interested in this project. I realize that raising support will be required and if at some point I back out of the trip, I understand the money cannot be refunded but will be left for the rest of the team to use. **I will also respect the deadlines to get my letters in the mail and realize this may lead to my dismissal from a trip if I haven't done my part.**

3. I realize I am expected to do my share of the work on the projects and I'll be willing to do what is asked of me.

4. I will have no other commitments for the duration of this trip. Meaning I will be able to leave with the team from the appointed starting time and place and not leave the team until the program is finished when we return.

_____(Sign if you agree with the above)

To the Parents

I have read and agree with the above information and I approve of my teenager's participation in this summer mission project.

_____(Sign)

TAKE NOTE

- **Application is due February 1. The 3 reference forms must be at our office by this date also.**
- **Notification will be received around Feb. 16th**

For office use only - Date Received _____

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Even though 3 different trips are being offered, each trip is pending, due to the number of teens applying for each team. If you are an 8th grader the only trip you will be able to apply for is the trip to Horn Creek, CO. The TFC staff will make the final decisions after we review the mission trip applications. You will know for sure what team you will serve with when you are accepted for a Mission Trip team. Please pray about where God wants you to go. DO NOT choose a team because of where it is going. Be obedient to where God will ask you to serve. Please indicate 1st and 2nd choices if you are High School student.

Doctor Arroyo, Mexico with Dayspring Outreach Ministries.... Dates —May 31 - June 13 — High School only
TFC will partner with Dayspring Outreach Ministries as we do DRAMA ministry around Doctor Arroyo, Mexico which is 300 miles south of the border. Our team will experience the challenge of sharing the gospel through a mime drama presentation that you will learn at the beginning of the trip and then perform throughout the trip. This challenge of the trip will be sharing the gospel through drama in a cross cultural experience. Our team will experience the joy of impacting lives as we minister alongside the Dayspring staff who will help us understand the culture. Although there are many areas of Mexico that are in turmoil this area is far from that conflict and the Dayspring Ministries believes it will be a safe environment for our team. **YOU MUST HAVE A PASS-PORT TO GET INTO MEXICO. IF YOU DON'T HAVE ONE YOU MAY WANT TO START THE APPLICATION PROCESS NOW, THIS WILL BE AN APPROXIMATE \$140 ADDITIONAL PERSONAL EXPENSE.** This will be a great cross cultural experience and it will provide you with an experience far outside your comfort zone!
Support requirement \$1,000 - \$1,100

Cary Christian Center— Cary, Mississippi - Dates —May 30 - June 11 — High School only
The Cary Christian Center is located in the heart of the Mississippi Delta — close to the mighty Mississippi River — serving people who are trapped in poverty. It's an area where there is a deep sense of hopelessness and despair and the Cary Christian Center has chosen as their mission to “break the cycle of poverty through relationships one person at a time.” TFC has partnered with the Cary Christian Center for many years so we know on this trip we are guaranteed lots of work—we may be shingling, painting, sheet rocking, working in a thrift store, etc. — and doing it all in the context of building relationships with people so we can play a role in helping them break out of the cycle of poverty as we touch them with the hope of Jesus Christ. You won't be leaving the country on this trip but it will provide you with a great cross cultural experience and move you way outside of your comfort zone too!
Support requirement \$700 - \$800

Horn Creek, Colorado — Dates — May 24 - May 31st — 8th grade and above
This last fall a Christian camp and retreat center in the southern Colorado mountains called Horn Creek experienced a lot of damage from extremely high winds, which, among other things, brought down many trees all over the camp. While crews have cut up many trees to restore the ability to simply get around the grounds, much work remains to be done to get the trees removed before the next camping season. The winter season will delay much of the clean up. This trip will be labor intensive and include very physical work. But the exciting part is that it will provide us with an opportunity to serve the Lord as we help get the camp ready for a summer of ministry. We need some experienced mission work team members, but this is also open to teens that have not been on a mission trip yet. 8th grade students are welcome to apply!
Support requirement \$500 - \$600

***A \$25 APPLICATION FEE MUST BE INCLUDED WITH THIS APPLICATION**

If accepted the \$25 counts toward your support. If for some reason you are not accepted the \$25 will be returned to you!

APPLICATION IS ALSO NOT COMPLETE WITHOUT A PICTURE

Please send a digital picture of yourself to abbie@tfconnection.org. Or include a photo with this application. This picture is used in printing so please make sure it is of printing quality. If you do not have one, tell the TFC staff person in your area so they can take a digital picture of you. Do not staple your picture to the application.

