



First Baptist Church

1306 Hampton Street
Columbia, SC 29201

FirstKids Volunteer Application

Thank you for taking the time to share with us about yourself. We want you to know that the following information will be confidential and only shared with relevant church staff.

General Information

Name _____ Today's Date _____

Address _____

Phone (H) _____ (Cell) _____ (W) _____

Date of Birth _____ Email _____

Occupation _____ Employer _____

Work: Part Time _____ Full Time _____ Student _____

Marital Status: Single _____ Married _____ Divorced _____

Education

High School _____

College / Trade School _____

Degree _____ Minor _____

Other Education _____ Year Graduated _____

Personal and Spiritual History

Write a brief testimony about how and when you became a Christian.

How would you describe your current spiritual journey?

Ministry

How long have you attended First Baptist Church? _____

Are you a member? yes no If no, where? _____

List other churches you have attended regularly during the past five years.

Church Name _____ Church Name _____

Address _____ Address _____

List the date and activities of your other ministry experiences here at First Baptist Church, and the reasons for ending that ministry.

Date Stated	Ministry / Activity	Date Ended	Reason

Describe any other past ministry / church experience you have been involved in.

What spiritual gifts do you feel you have, and how would you like to use them in First Kids?

Why do you want to serve in FirstKids Ministries?

Personal References

(Do not include former employers or relatives.)

1. Name _____ Phone _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

2. Name _____ Phone _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

The information contained in this application is correct to the best of my knowledge. First Baptist Church may contact my references and appropriate government agencies as deemed necessary in order to verify my suitability as a children's worker. I understand that the personal information in this application will be held confidential by the relevant FBC church staff.

Signature: _____ Today's date: _____

I am interested in serving in the following area(s):

_____ Sunday School

_____ AWANA

_____ Missions

_____ PALS

_____ VBS

_____ Other _____

Preferred age group: _____

Leader Commitment

Your Commitment to FirstKids

I choose to:

- Commit to God which includes a profession and commitment to Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord that is demonstrated through Christian growth, spiritual leadership and godly lifestyle.
- Commit to the Children's Ministry of First Baptist Church. Through this commitment I agree to support the programs and philosophy of our ministry and our church through consistent attendance at weekly services and activities.
- Commit to have a teachable spirit that is exemplified by faithful attendance at leadership meetings and a desire to grow as a teacher/leader.
- Commit to be a contributing member of a team that is praying regularly for the ministry, the children in my class, and the ministry workers.
- Commit to complete the FBC screening process and agree to follow the church policy as well as the Children's Ministry Guide.
- Commit to the children themselves. This includes a commitment to excellence by being faithful in attendance in my classroom, on time, ready to greet my students, and prepared to teach.
- Commit to teach the "Grounded for Life" Principles in word and action.

Our Commitment to You

- To seek out qualified individuals who are committed to serving Christ by ministering to children.
- To provide volunteers with training, and equipping them as teachers.
- To provide the facilities, materials and curriculum needed for teaching and learning.
- To support each teacher in prayer and provide supervision and assistance.

Signature: _____

Date: _____