

MVCC Short-Term Missions Trip Application

Mountain View Community Church

<u>Information Section</u>	
Participant Information:	
Name (as it appears in your passpo Government issued ID)	
Address	
City State Zip	
Telephone (home)	
Cell Phone (if available)	
E-mail	
Age Date of Birth	Gender of oM
Do you have a valid passport? 🗖 Y	□ N Passport #:
Emergency Contact Information:	
Contact(s) or Parent(s) or Guardian	(s):
Name:	Name:
Home Phone:	Home Phone:
Cell Phone:	Cell Phone:
Work Phone:	Work Phone:

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For the Participant:

By signing this application I (the participant) understand that I am responsible for my deposit and inevitably the full cost of my trip (which will be raised by me and the rest of the mission team). I promise to actively participate in fundraising and understand that the amount of my participation will affect my overall portion of the proceeds raised. At the end of fundraising, if the money raised is not enough to cover the trip, I will be responsible for paying the difference.

I also understand that preparation for this trip is crucial and promise to attend the mission trip meetings and fulfill all of the requirements for participation. If I fail to meet these requirements, I understand that I may be asked to give my spot to another participant who can cover the requirements.

Finally, I agree to participate fully in the mission trip regardless of what obstacles we may encounter. I understand that mission work is hard and promise to give of my whole self, allowing Christ to work through me. I understand that housing may be cramped and uncomfortable, that the environment maybe extreme and unforgiving, food maybe different and limited and I fully welcome these challenges and opportunities.

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Participant Signature:
For Parents (if applicable):
By signing this application I (the parent) understand that my family is responsible in supporting my child monetarily, physically and mentally. I promise to help my child in raising the funds and participating in the mission trip meetings to the best of my ability. I understand that we are responsible to cover the cost of the trip if the funds are not fully raised by fundraisers.
I promise to help keep track of times and dates to insure that my child is on time to meetings and events. I will do everything in my power to keep the leadership of the trip appraised of any conflicts or issues. I understand that my child maybe asked to give up their spot on the trip if we fail to meet the minimum requirements.
Finally, I understand that my participation and encouragement is vital to the overall group mentality. I agree to support my child and the church in this mission trip in every way that I can.
Parent(s) Signature(s):

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Trip Expectations

Please place an "X" next to everything you are willing to do. Prayerfully consider your answers – honesty is expected and appreciated.

- I am willing to raise the entire cost of the trip.
- I am aware that submitting an application does not guarantee my place on the mission team.
- I am willing to immediately apply for my passport if my application is accepted.
- I am aware I must attend at all of the pre-mission trip training meetings and complete all assignments (unless specifically excused by the mission team leader).
- I am willing to sleep on a dirt floor.
- I am willing to take a cold shower.
- I am willing to go without electricity, including phone chargers, hair straighteners/curlers, alarm clocks, etc.
- I am willing to go without a cell phone, iPad, iPod, internet and other electronic devices.
- I am willing to eat all meals prepared for the team while on the mission.
- I am aware I must strictly follow the dress code.
- I am aware that this mission is to serve, not to change a culture.
- I am willing to pray out loud for the group.
- I am willing to share my testimony publically.
- I am willing to pray for the mission, the team's leadership, and fellow team members.
- I am willing to commit myself fully to God's will for me and the group during this trip.
- I am willing to fully comply with the rules, guidelines, and directives of the mission trip both in regards to the "letter of the law" and "the spirit of the law".
- I am willing to submit to, and follow the instructions of mission team leadership without gossiping, grumbling, or complaining.
- I understand that I am expected to do everything without complaint or argument, consistent with the words of Philippians 2:14-16.
- I understand that I am called to peace, building up of others, and the unity of the Spirit on this mission.

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Please fill out this application completely. You may use the back of this application if needed.

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Describe your relationship with Christ:
What is your present and past involvement with Mountain View Community Church? Please include your membership status and areas in which you have served.
Please describe the particulars of this short-term mission: Destination of the trip:
Dates (and duration) of the trip:
The purpose of this mission trip:
The expected total cost of the trip:

Why are you interested in participating in this mission trip?
What are your expectations for this trip experience?
What are the gifts and talents you feel you would bring to this mission team?

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In what other, if any, mission trips have you participated?

Please list any previous travel experience:
What are your skills, interests, or hobbies (such as photography) that might be useful on the trip or in the interpretation experience after the trip?
Do you have allergies/ medical complications? Yes No (If yes, please
explain)
Dietary restrictions? ☐ Yes ☐ No (If yes, please explain)
Does your health insurance cover medical care in a foreign country?
Company
Policy #

Please attach two character reference letters (one personal and one pastoral) to this application.