

HOME Student Leadership Team
Application

Name: _____ Age: _____ Grade in the fall: _____

Address: _____

Phones: (home) _____ (cell) _____

Email: _____

Church presently attending: _____

When did you receive Jesus Christ as your Savior and Lord?

What does it mean to you to follow Christ?

What in your life currently demonstrates that you are growing in your faith?

How has God used you to make a difference in in someone's life in this past year?

What strengths, talents, or ideas would you bring to the HOME Student Leadership team?

Please list:

Activities you plan to participate in next year: (Sports, Running Start, Other Co-ops, Service Ministries, Employment Opportunities)

Three strengths you believe you possess:

Three difficulties you are working to overcome:

Please state why you desire to be in leadership:

Please list your top three choices for the position of leadership you believe you could best serve the HOME student body in. (The leadership positions available and their responsibilities are on previous pages.)

1.

2.

3.

HOME Student Leadership Team
Student Responsibilities and Expectations for Leadership

Please indicate your commitment to each of the following leadership expectations and responsibilities by initialing in the space provided.

- Authority
I will be accountable to the HOME Board and HOME Student Leadership Team Parent Advisors and have a submissive and respectful attitude toward their authority, including decisions I may not agree with. _____

- Attitude
I will make every effort to communicate ideas and differences of opinion in a way that is encouraging and affirming of others and accept constructive criticism graciously. _____

- Unity
I will make every effort to seek an environment of Christian love, especially among those with who I disagree. My conduct will reflect a pursuit of unity regardless of my personal feelings. _____

- Confidentiality
All discussions at HOME Student Leadership team meetings are confidential and must remain in confidence among team leadership until such a time as it is deemed appropriate it be made available for public pronouncement. I will keep issues of a private or sensitive nature in the strictest confidence out of respect to the individuals concerned.

- Decision Making and Purpose
All HOME Student Leadership council decisions and activities must support the HOME Mission Statements and Statement of Faith. I will avoid independent decision-making. I understand I am part of a team and no one speaks unilaterally for the whole leadership team. I will not promise or commit HOME funds without first establishing committee approval through the appropriate procedures. _____

- Participation
Student leaders on the HOME Student Leadership Team must be HOME members. _____

- Time Commitment and Attendance
I understand that HOME Student Leadership Team is a substantial time commitment of approximately, but not limited to, 3-6 hours a month, and my parents and I are fully committed to this activity. I will make it a priority to faithfully attend leadership meetings. _____

- Job Responsibilities
I will honor all deadlines as my job performance affects others on the team and the overall success of HOME.

- Dress Code and Behavior
As a representative of HOME in a position of leadership, I understand that I am considered a role model for other students in the way I dress and behave. I will abide by the Connections dress code, I will be respectful of teachers and parents, I will not text or use cell phones during class, and I will be kind to fellow students. _____

HOME Student Leadership Team
Candidate Evaluation and Recommendation

Dear _____ ,

The following student, _____, is applying for a leadership position with the HOME Student Leadership Team. As someone who knows this applicant, you have been asked to provide the Home Board with an honest profile of the student's character qualities.

Please complete and mail this form in the attached envelope by _____.

Your name _____ Date _____ Phone # _____

How long have you known the applicant? _____

How well do you know the applicant? _____

Under what circumstances have you known the applicant? _____

Please rate this applicant using the following criteria:

5 – Exceptional 4 – Good 3 – Average 2 – Needs Improvement 1 – Don't Know Enough

- 5 4 3 2 1 Christian Commitment: The overall modeling of Christian values and lifestyle.
- 5 4 3 2 1 Responsibility: The degree to which the applicant is dependable, prompt, accurate, and complete.
- 5 4 3 2 1 Leadership: The ability to inspire others, coordinate and lead activities, and to facilitate group interaction.
- 5 4 3 2 1 Prioritization: The ability to prioritize tasks and manage time wisely.
- 5 4 3 2 1 Hope: The ability to maintain a positive outlook in the face of challenges.
- 5 4 3 2 1 Initiative: The ability to approach new situations with self-motivation and setting and accomplishing goals.
- 5 4 3 2 1 Interpersonal Relationships: The attitude and ability to work with peers and supervisors with sincerity, flexibility, cooperation, and in managing conflict.
- 5 4 3 2 1 Communication: The ability to grasp ideas, to read, to speak, and to write effectively. This involves listening and conveying an understanding to others.
- 5 4 3 2 1 Emotional Stability: The direction and control of emotional response, general disposition, and predictability.

5 4 3 2 1 Social Sensitivity: The ability to be sensitive to and understand the feelings and reactions of others and the ability to make effective and gracious responses.

5 4 3 2 1 Maturity: The evidence of common sense, good judgement, integrity, and ability to deal with a wide range of personalities.

Please add any pertinent information including any particular strengths or weaknesses that might help us to clearly evaluate this candidate and make a decision that is in the best interest for all involved.

Please indicate your understanding of this candidate’s potential for success on the HOME Student Leadership Team by checking one response:

Highly recommend Recommend Recommend with reservation
 Would not recommend at this time

Thank you for your time in completing this recommendation and evaluation.

In His Service,
The HOME Board