

# Basic Leadership School Information

## WHERE IS CHICO AND WHAT IS THE SPRINGS?

Chico is a mid sized university city, four hours Northeast of San Francisco, located on the edge of the Sacramento Valley. The YWAM facility is located 15 minutes out of town at the end of a canyon. In the 20's and 30's this facility catered to the rich and famous due to the healing properties of the mineral springs located on the property. The original 7 story brick hotel, 50+ buildings, and 500 acres of land is still in frequent use by the thousands of conference guests and youth that come through each year to get blessed and refreshed. On the grounds we have tennis/basketball court, an Olympic sized swimming pool, a sand volleyball court, a climbing wall, hiking trails, water fall, creek, and loads of wildlife!

The DTS and BLS are housed in "the Lodge", a four story building next to the hotel. The bedrooms house two bunk beds, sleeping two to four students per room and have an attached bath or half bath. The lodge has a spacious living room, dining room, and sunroom that each school can call their own.

## WHAT IS A BLS?

A Basic Leadership School is aimed at mentoring and training leaders. It's goal is to equip and build character, servanthood, leadership, and continue to add to the foundation that God started in DTS. BLS students work closely with the DTS and are given different leadership responsibilities with guidance from the BLS leader. BLS is a unique opportunity that allows students to learn about leadership and to put it to practice at the same time.

## BLS COURSE CONTENT

Our BLS program consists of a lecture and outreach phase that involves leadership training while assisting the DTS staff in working with the DTS

## LECTURE PHASE:

The first three months of the BLS includes the following:

### Personal devotions

This time is set aside each day for you to be alone with God., It is the most important time of the day for personal growth.

### Worship & Intercession

Every morning we set aside time to worship the Lord. Each week we take time to pray for the nations and the outreach phase.

### Classroom curriculum

BLS students will attend classes in the mornings with the DTS students, receiving powerful teaching and ministry from Christian leaders and missionaries on topics like those covered in their own DTS. They will also attend classes three afternoons a week for teachings focused on leadership. One afternoon session will be taught by the guest speaker for that week.

### Small groups

BLS students are required to co-lead the DTS small groups. This is a great opportunity to develop relationships with the DTS students and to provide an environment where they can share what God is doing in their life, discuss the weeks teachings, and receive prayer and support from the group.

### Required reading and journaling

Books will be given as required reading throughout the lecture phase and will be discussed in BLS classes. BLS students will also be required to read a weekly creative journal that is completed and turned in by each DTS student. This is a helpful tool in understanding where the DTS students are at in their relationship with God and allows you to encourage them and know how to pray for them.

## **DAILY SCHEDULE:**

An average day during lecture phase might look like the one below.

### **6:45 AM Breakfast**

Mornings usually consist of:  
Personal Devotions, BLS Prayer Time, Worship,  
Intercession / Meditation, Lecture

### **12:00 PM Lunch**

Afternoons usually consist of:  
BLS Meeting , Work Duties, Small Groups &  
Outreach Preparation

### **5:30 PM Dinner**

Generally, evenings and weekends are free to study and relax, but there are a few scheduled meetings.

## **OUTREACH PHASE:**

The eight - nine week outreach is designed not only to give you the opportunity to minister the love of Jesus, but is also an opportunity to be a part of leading an outreach. Our goal is to allow BLS students to be completely responsible for a time period during the outreach with staff being used only as resources.

After the outreach, there is a period of debriefing and evaluation for the BLS students. BLS students will also help to prepare the DTS students for going home and to move on to whatever God has for them.

## **SUMMER INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY**

This optional internship segment is a very practical “hands-on” experience. It involves assisting the Church Ministries Department in summer programs as a part of the summer staff. Leadership skills are sharpened through lectures, responsibilities and accountability. This segment of the BLS program is designed to provide opportunities to lead in teams and as an individual.

## **REQUIREMENTS FOR BLS**

The BLS is geared for singles and couples (without children) aged 18 and over. To apply for a BLS, you must have completed a DTS or CDTS. You will also need not only a desire and hunger to know and serve God, but a desire to lead and serve others with love and humility.

## **LIFE AFTER BLS**

After BLS, a world full of opportunities is open to you. Whether the Lord has called you into full-time missions, or back to school or work, your BLS is a leadership foundation that the Lord will continue to build on for years to come. Many times, God calls us to move out of our comfort zone and join a school or staff for a season before he releases us into the main ministry He has for us. Just as often though, he calls us to go home for a season to work on relationships and be an influence there. Whatever He has for you, we want to be there to encourage and pray with you.

## **COME JOIN US!**

We know that God has an amazing destiny for YOU and a future where you can impact others for God. So why not come and join us to learn more about God and to take the Gospel to the world!





## Checklist to Completing BLS Application

The following items must be submitted BEFORE your application can be processed. All the questions on the application must be completed. If a question does not apply to you, write N/A (not applicable) in the space provided. Husbands and wives must complete separate application forms.

- Application Form.** Print and fill out completely, send a recent passport size photograph of you, and sign the application form.
  
- Registration Fee.** Your fee in the amount of U.S. \$50.00 for a single, \$80.00 for a couple must be forwarded with your application. This fee is not refundable and your application cannot be processed without it.
  
- Confidential References.** Two confidential reference forms are enclosed. One reference form should be given to your Pastor and the other to your DTS leader. Request them to fill out the form and mail it directly to the DTS Registrar at: YWAM, 15850 Richardson Springs Rd. Chico CA 95973 USA. You may want to give them a stamped envelope with the address on it. Those applicants who completed their DTS at YWAM, Chico within the last 2 years do not require a Pastor's reference. A DTS leader's reference is still required.
  
- Medical Requirements.** Please complete the enclosed Confidential Health Form. We also ask that you provide us with a copy of your current immunization records. (You must have an updated tetanus booster at least every 10 years.) These things are very important, and your application cannot be processed without a complete Confidential Health Form. Those applicants who completed their DTS at YWAM, Chico within the last 2 years are not required to complete the health forms unless there is a significant change in your health.
  
- Release of Liability, Consent for Treatment, Acknowledgment of Financial Responsibility and Statement of Burial.** These forms must be signed and returned with the rest of the application. If you are under 18 years of age be sure to have a parent/guardian sign the form too.

**IMPORTANT:** Applications for U.S. citizens must be received no later than two weeks prior to start of school and for non-U.S. citizens, four weeks prior to start of school. It is very important that at least the first page of the application be sent in with the registration fee as soon as possible as this will enable us to keep a count of those interested in attending. The passport information may be mailed in at a later date or given to us when you arrive. (You **MUST** obtain or apply for your passport BEFORE COMING!)

**Please keep in mind that before we can consider you for acceptance into the program,  
WE MUST RECEIVE ALL OF THE ABOVE INFORMATION TO PROCESS THE APPLICATION!**

### BLS Tuition

Lecture Phase: \$2,500.00 plus a \$50.00 Registration Fee

Outreach Phase: Costs will vary from \$2,600.00 - \$3,200.00 depending on the outreach location. This price includes transportation to and from the outreach, food, local transportation and accommodation. Additional costs include passports, shots and personal items.

### Tuition Policy

1. Each student is to send a deposit of \$500.00 (\$1,000 per couple) as soon as you know you are accepted to the school.
2. **The balance of tuition must be paid in full before the school begins.** Do not wait until the last minute to start raising support. Seek God on the approach you are to take in raising your school funds. **Any student arriving without the full tuition or pre-arranged approval will not be permitted to attend.**
3. All payments must be made in U.S. Funds. Please do not send cash through the mail, checks are fine. If you live outside of the U.S.A., go to your bank and secure a bank check made payable to Youth With A Mission for U.S. dollars.
4. Student fees cover tuition, materials, room and board, supplies, literature, and expenses for visiting lecturers. In order to keep fees as low as possible, students participate in scheduled on-campus work duties. Any personal or medical expenses incurred while involved with YWAM are the responsibility of the student. Medical expenses in the U.S. tend to be costly so we encourage you to have health insurance. On outreach you will be fully responsible for any and all costs should you need health care or hospitalization.
5. Variations to these policies are rare and require written approval from the school director. If you desire to apply for an exception, please contact the school director for help in developing a suitable proposal.

If you are having difficulty in financing your school, please let us know so that we can be praying for you. Financial difficulty is an opportunity for you to exercise your faith by believing in God's ability to provide for you.

One area that students often find difficult to approach is raising the financial support needed for a BLS. Below are some suggestions that you may find helpful.

**God is our provider:** Phil 4:19, Mt 6:8, 7:8 – We must remember that God is committed to and responsible for our needs. He loves us and desires to give us good things. As we are obedient to His leading, we must trust Him to make the way for us. It is easy for us to look to others instead of God, putting pressures on those who are not responsible. We must keep in mind, God is our provider and we need to trust Him to provide in unexpected ways.

**Define your ministry:** Heb 2:2 – Before you can effectively share with others, you must know to what God is calling you. Pray over and define the vision and direction of your ministry, the circumstances that have led up to your call to BLS, and how you feel the BLS will affect what you hope to do short and long term. It will also be helpful for you to understand the vision of our base and why God is calling you to be a part of the Chico base. As you are aware of what God has called you to, there will be a confidence and excitement in what you share. People want to support those who will be fruitful; and make a difference.

The vision God has given this base is for seeing every Christian involved in a short-term ministry sometime during their life. We believe that as Christians go out short term, they will have a better understanding of God's administration over the "whole" earth. As we see what God sees and feel what He feels, we will become more involved with His work around the world through prayer, financial support, and possibly by going. As Christians go out short term, their lives and the local church will be enriched, as they better understand how they fit into God's overall plan to extend His kingdom on the earth.

**Share your need:** People are not likely to support you unless they are aware you have a need. Personal contact, whenever possible, is the most effective means of communication. A key to remember is: the more personal you can be, the better. Relationship is the key. As you share your vision and needs with others, commit yourself to seeing their needs met as well. Look for ways to serve and bless them. Your motivation must not be "What can I get?", but "What can I give?" Begin calling and setting up appointments with those you feel are interested in what you are preparing to do. Ask God to show you those He would have you contact. Be sure to have some information regarding Youth With A Mission on hand to share with them. As you share, remember that God is your provider. Do not make people feel responsible for your needs. Most likely, they already feel weighed down by their own needs and responsibilities. Giving should be a blessing for them, not a burden.

**Your Church:** Ask your Pastor if your church will designate you as a missionary. If so, ask if they will support you financially and if they will accept support gifts from family and friends. Church checks should be made payable to YWAM Chico and send to YWAM at 15850 Richardson Springs Rd, Chico, CA, 95973. Please do not have them write your name on the check but attach a memo designating credit to your needs.

**Practical things to do:** In obeying God, we must be willing to make sacrifices ourselves. Sometimes God wants to see just "how willing" we are to obey Him. Many YWAMers have earned money for their tuition and expenses by selling cars, home, furniture, stereo, etc. The rich young ruler was willing to serve God in a deeper way until Jesus asked him to sell his possessions. We must be willing to ask God if there are any possessions He would have us sell and we must be willing to obey.

#### Helpful Books To Read:

\* Friend Raising by Betty Barnett

\* Daring to Live on the Edge by Lauren Cunningham



**FAMILY**

\_\_\_\_\_ Single \_\_\_\_\_ Engaged \_\_\_\_\_ Married \_\_\_\_\_ Widowed \_\_\_\_\_ Divorced \_\_\_\_\_ Separated

If married, date of marriage \_\_\_\_\_ Spouses Name \_\_\_\_\_

*If divorced or separated, please give relevant history on a separate sheet of paper.*

Name(s) of Children	Birth Date	Sex	School Grade
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

**EDUCATION**

Secondary/High School or equivalent from which you graduated: Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Location \_\_\_\_\_

Total years of primary and secondary school completed: \_\_\_\_\_

University/Seminary: Name \_\_\_\_\_ Location \_\_\_\_\_

Date Graduated \_\_\_\_\_ Qualification \_\_\_\_\_

List any musical abilities or other skills \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Which languages do you speak? Please list in order of fluency and rate from 5 (PROFICIENT) to 1 (LIMITED)

Language	Rating
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
3. _____	_____

**EMPLOYMENT**

Present Employer/Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Since \_\_\_\_\_  
Employer/Type of work

If you have been employed at your present occupation for less than 2 years, please give details of the previous three places of employment.

Business Name	Position	Reason for leaving
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

**HOME CHURCH**

Church Name \_\_\_\_\_ Pastor \_\_\_\_\_

P.O. Box/Street \_\_\_\_\_  
(City) (State/Province) (Postcode/Zip)

Country \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Length of attendance at the above church \_\_\_\_\_

**FINANCES**

Do you have your complete school fees? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If not, how much do you have at this time? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your plan for paying the remainder? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any outstanding debts? (Please explain) \_\_\_\_\_

***Please prayerfully answer the following questions on a separate sheet of paper.***

1. *What is your purpose in attending BLS?*
2. *What type or area of ministry do you feel God has called you to or given you a heart for?*
3. *Describe your present relationship with the Lord.*
4. *What spiritual gifts do you feel you have and are developing?*
5. *What areas in your life would you like to see God work in during BLS?*
6. *What is your definition of **LEADERSHIP**?*

I certify that all information in this application is complete and accurate and if accepted by Youth With A Mission, I will abide by the spirit, guidelines and schedule of the program.

Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Day / Month / Year

THANK YOU



Do you have any special dietary needs? No \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ (please describe) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Are you now a under a Doctor's care for any condition? No \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ (please describe)

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Are you taking medication at this time? No \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ (please describe) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any handicaps? No \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ (please describe) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Do you now or have you ever had any involvement with smoking, drugs or alcohol?  
If "Yes", please list which ones, frequency of use, and most recent dates of involvement.

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Please attach a copy of your immunization records.**

**NOTE:** This information is important for you to know when you are deciding on vaccinations for outreach.

**I declare that the contents of this health form are complete and accurate, to the best of my knowledge.**

**Signed:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_



# Statement of Burial

We would encourage each YWAMer, prospective student and volunteer to seriously consider some possible consequences of missions work and training. Although death is extremely rare in service with Youth With A Mission internationally, it is nevertheless an experience that awaits each one of us eventually. And we need to prepare for it.

In extensive travel in less developed countries where diseases are more prevalent, fatal accidents and sicknesses can occur. In these countries, burial is often a real problem. We would strongly encourage burial on the field, as decay can start very quickly. Shipping a body home could cost several thousand dollars. Also, a special, expensive coffin is sometimes required by law in some countries and the coffin must be accompanied by someone on the return journey.

We endeavor to maintain a Christian view of death, that it is not the final step but just a passage, that the person is not in that coffin but just his earthly shell and that the priority for limited resources must be for the living.

YWAM Chico does everything possible to protect staff and students in the field. In case of death, YWAM Chico cannot commit to cover the costs of shipping a body to another country for purposes of burial or to ultimately cover the burial costs in the country of death. If the family desires to see a body transported back home, the family must incur the entire cost.

Note: It is the responsibility of every individual or family to have field burial or death-related remains transport insurance, not YWAM Chico.

I agree that in case of my death while in Youth With A Mission, YWAM Chico may carry out the burial in the location of decease. If my family desires to see the body shipped home, they will pay for it. I hereby absolve YWAM, all its staff and associates, from any responsibility for burial costs.

Sign \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Names of children accompanying you: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of parent or guardian required if applicant is under 18 years of age

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



## Release of Liability, Consent for Treatment, Acknowledgment of Financial Responsibility

### **RELEASE OF LIABILITY**

I/ We do hereby release Youth With A Mission, Inc., its staff, agents and volunteer assistants from any liability whatsoever arising out of injury, damage or loss which may be sustained by said person (s) during the course of involvement with Youth With A Mission.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of parent or Guardian required if applicant is under 18 years of age

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### **CONSENT FOR TREATMENT**

In case of emergency, I/we hereby agree to the performance of such treatment, including anesthesia and surgery, the attending doctor or physician may deem necessary.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of parent or guardian required if applicant is under 18 years of age

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY**

I understand that payment of the required school tuition fees must be made prior to or upon my arrival, unless otherwise approved by the school Director before my departure to Chico, CA. I further understand that payment must be made in U.S. currency. I also confirm that I am fully aware of my financial obligations in attending the Basic Leadership School. I therefore promise to keep my word by paying in a timely manner all personal expenses incurred during my involvement with Youth With A Mission.

I have completed all portions of this application for admission to the school of which I am applying, and if accepted by Youth With A Mission, I will abide by the spirit, policies, and schedules of the school.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of parent or guardian required if applicant is under 18 years of age

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



## Work Skill Questionnaire

Part of the character building of our schools, and a means of defraying costs, is a ten-hour per week work schedule. The following is a list of jobs and skills that have been beneficial to us both now and in the past. Please mark an "X" by the specific skills in which you have experience.

### Communication Department

- Graphic Artist
- Print Shop Worker
- Typing
- Layout/Design
- Video/Audio Engineer

### Construction Work

- Asphalt
- Carpet Layer
- Concrete
- Electrical
- Masonry (brick layer)
- Painting
- Plumbing
- Power Tools
- Roofing
- Surveying

### Driving and Auto Repair

- Bus driver
- Delivery driving
- Engine repair
- Auto body repair

### Gardening and Grounds Maintenance

- Gardening
- Landscaping
- Tree maintenance

### Kitchen Related Duties

- Cooking
- Stocking Food

### Repair Work

- Air conditioner repair
- Appliance repair
- Pool repair

### Secretarial Skills

- Accounting
- Book keeping
- Bulk mail outs
- Computer operator
- Filing
- Receptionist
- Typing

Any Other Skills: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_



<p><b>Pastor/Pastoral Staff Member</b> <b>YWAM-Chico</b> <b>Basic Leadership School</b> <b>Confidential Reference Form</b></p>	<p><b>Please return to:</b> Registrar 15850 Richardson Springs Rd. Chico, CA. 95973</p> <p>Ph: (530) 893 6750 Ext. 220 Fax: (530) 893 6759 1-800-841-0739 email: schools@ywamchico.com</p>
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Dear Pastor or Pastoral Staff Member,  
The person who gave you this form (listed below) is applying to one of Youth With A Mission's ministries. YWAM is an international movement of Christians from many denominations dedicated to presenting Jesus Christ to this generation, to mobilizing as many as possible to help in this task and to the training and equipping of believers for their part in fulfilling the Great Commission. Your careful, succinct and thoughtful input is important to us in order to evaluate the applicant for admission. All information you provide will be kept in confidence and not disclosed to the applicant.

Name of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip code) (Country) (Phone #)

I, the above named applicant, waive any right to have or obtain copies of this recommendation knowing that this waiver is not required as a condition for admission.

**Applicant's Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

**Reference is for:**  Winter (January)  Fall (September) Year \_\_\_\_\_

- How long have you known the applicant? \_\_\_\_\_
- How well do you know the applicant? very well\_\_\_\_ well\_\_\_\_ casually\_\_\_\_
- How long has the applicant attended your church? \_\_\_\_\_  
In your association with the applicant, what has been the level of commitment you have seen exemplified?  
Faithful\_\_\_\_ inconsistent\_\_\_\_ Other\_\_\_\_
- Were you aware of the applicant's intention to participate in this program prior to receiving this form? \_\_\_\_\_
- In your opinion, in which of the following areas of ministry is the applicant gifted?
 

<input type="checkbox"/> Communication	<input type="checkbox"/> Youth Work	<input type="checkbox"/> Preaching	<input type="checkbox"/> Prayer
<input type="checkbox"/> Administration	<input type="checkbox"/> One-on-One	<input type="checkbox"/> Drama	<input type="checkbox"/> Servanthood
<input type="checkbox"/> Teaching	<input type="checkbox"/> Discipleship	<input type="checkbox"/> Evangelism	<input type="checkbox"/> Encourager
<input type="checkbox"/> Children's Work	<input type="checkbox"/> Counseling	<input type="checkbox"/> Worship	<input type="checkbox"/> Hospitality

Other: \_\_\_\_\_
- In which of the above areas has the applicant participated in since attending your church? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- Please rate this applicant by placing a check under each of the following categories:
 

Christian character	___immature	___growing	___mature
Self Discipline	___lacking	___growing	___very disciplined
Temperament	___fun loving	___reserved	___easy going
Ability to cope with stress	___poor	___growing	___responds well
Stewardship	___needs guidance	___growing	___very responsible
Leadership	___controlling	___growing	___mature
Punctuality	___often late	___growing	___punctual
Reliability	___not reliable	___growing	___dependable
Flexibility	___rigid	___growing	___Very flexible
Initiative	___needs direction	___growing	___self starter
Teamwork	___independent	___growing	___cooperative
Concern for others	___limited	___growing	___strong





<h2>School Leader</h2> <h3>YWAM-Chico</h3> <h2>Basic Leadership School</h2> <h2>Confidential Reference Form</h2>	<p><b>Please return to:</b> Registrar 15850 Richardson Springs Rd. Chico, CA. 95973</p> <p>Ph: (530) 893 6750 Ext. 220 Fax: (530) 893 6759 1-800-841-0739 email: schools@ywamchico.com</p>
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Dear DTS Leader,  
**The person who gave you this form (listed below) is applying to our Basic Leadership School. Your careful, succinct and thoughtful input is important to us in order to evaluate the applicant for admission. All information you provide will be kept in confidence and not disclosed to the applicant.**

Name of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Street) (City) (State) (Zip Code) (Country) (Phone #)

I, the above named applicant, waive any right to have or obtain copies of this recommendation knowing that this waiver is not required as a condition for admission.

**Applicant's Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

Reference is for:  Winter (January)  Fall (September) Year \_\_\_\_\_

1. How long have you known the applicant? \_\_\_\_\_

4. How well do you know the applicant? very well\_\_\_\_ well\_\_\_\_ casually\_\_\_\_

3. Were you aware of the applicant's intention to participate in this program prior to receiving this form? \_\_\_\_\_

4. In your opinion, in which of the following areas of ministry is the applicant gifted?
- |  |                                       |                                     |                                      |
|--|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Communication   | <input type="checkbox"/> Youth Work   | <input type="checkbox"/> Preaching  | <input type="checkbox"/> Prayer      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Administration  | <input type="checkbox"/> One-on-One   | <input type="checkbox"/> Drama      | <input type="checkbox"/> Servanthood |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Teaching        | <input type="checkbox"/> Discipleship | <input type="checkbox"/> Evangelism | <input type="checkbox"/> Encourager  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Children's Work | <input type="checkbox"/> Counseling   | <input type="checkbox"/> Worship    | <input type="checkbox"/> Hospitality |

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

5. On a scale of 1-10, please rate the applicant's leadership ability \_\_\_\_\_

6. Please rate this applicant by placing a check under each of the following categories:
- |                             |                    |             |                     |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|-------------|---------------------|
| Christian character         | ___immature        | ___growing  | ___mature           |
| Self Discipline             | ___lacking         | ___growing  | ___very disciplined |
| Temperament                 | ___fun loving      | ___reserved | ___easy going       |
| Ability to cope with stress | ___poor            | ___growing  | ___responds well    |
| Stewardship                 | ___needs guidance  | ___growing  | ___very responsible |
| Leadership                  | ___controlling     | ___growing  | ___mature           |
| Punctuality                 | ___often late      | ___growing  | ___punctual         |
| Reliability                 | ___not reliable    | ___growing  | ___dependable       |
| Flexibility                 | ___rigid           | ___growing  | ___Very flexible    |
| Initiative                  | ___needs direction | ___growing  | ___self starter     |
| Teamwork                    | ___independent     | ___growing  | ___cooperative      |
| Concern for others          | ___limited         | ___growing  | ___strong           |

7. Please circle the words or descriptions that pertain to the applicant:

Easily embarrassed	Anxious	Discouraged	Frequently worried
Argumentative	Domineering	Unable to cope with stress	Insecure
Addictive behavior	Easily offended	Impatient	Moody
Nervous or tense	Critical of others	Intolerant	Prejudice toward groups

8. Please answer the following to the best of your knowledge:  
 Has the applicant proven to be unreliable, dishonest or of questionable character? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
 Has the applicant has been arrested for any offense? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
 Has the applicant ever been involved in drug abuse, the occult or other addictive behavior? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
 If "Yes", please explain \_\_\_\_\_
9. Does the applicant respond well to authority? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_
10. Please comment briefly on the applicant's family background: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_
11. In your opinion, which of the following would best describe the applicant's Christian experience?  
 Mature\_\_\_ Contagious\_\_\_ Genuine and growing\_\_\_ Superficial\_\_\_ Over-emotional\_\_\_
12. How did the applicant respond to difficult or adverse situations during the DTS **lecture** phase? \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_
13. How did the applicant respond to difficult or adverse situations during the DTS **outreach** phase? \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_
14. Does the applicant work well in a team setting? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ If "no", please explain \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_
15. Would you please make any comments regarding the applicant that you feel could be helpful (use a separate sheet of paper if necessary): \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_
16. What is your overall evaluation of the applicant as a BLS student?  
 Definitely unsuited  Average prospect  
 At this time, he/she is unsuited  Above average prospect  
 Good prospect, but I have some reservations  Unusually exceptional prospect

I declare that the contents of this confidential reference are correct to the best of my knowledge.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
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