

# STREET REACH MINISTRIES

MAIL COMPLETED APPLICATION TO:

c/o Jason Cox  
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Please attach one 2x2  
image here.

Print name on back of  
photo.

Student Missions Application (Please print clearly, DO NOT abbreviate. Carefully complete each section that applies to you)

Applying for: SUMMER \_\_\_\_\_

Senior Staff       Junior Staff       Semester \_\_\_\_\_

## Dates Available

Earliest dates available to serve: \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
month                      day

Latest date available to serve: \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
month                      day

## Personal Information

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
first                                      middle                                      last

GENDER:  Male     Female    AGE: \_\_\_\_\_    DATE OF BIRTH: \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_    T-SHIRT SIZE: \_\_\_\_\_

### ADDRESS

street

city                      state                      zip

PHONE ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_

CELL ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Best way to contact you? \_\_\_\_\_

### In Case of Emergency, please notify

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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

Relation \_\_\_\_\_

### Name of parent(s)/guardian

\_\_\_\_\_

Have you discussed your desire to  
participate in student missions with your  
parents?

yes                       no

If yes, were they in:

in favor                       opposed                       neutral

## Education

Name of school attending (Please do not use initials) \_\_\_\_\_

Junior (High School)       Freshman (College)       Graduate Student

Senior (High School)       Sophomore

Junior

Senior

Expectant Graduation Year \_\_\_\_\_

Major \_\_\_\_\_

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Church Information

Church Attending/Membership \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_

Pastor's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Church Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Church Affiliation \_\_\_\_\_

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Health Information

My Health is:

Excellent

Good

Fair

Poor

Are you currently under any medications?

Yes       No

If yes, what medications?

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Any other health issues that might hinder your service?

Yes       No

If yes, please explain

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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Experience

High School (Organizations, Clubs, Positions Held, etc.):

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

College (Organizations, Clubs, Positions Held, etc.):

\_\_\_\_\_

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Ministry Activities (Involvement, Positions held, Missions Experience):

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\_\_\_\_\_

Employment Experience

\_\_\_\_\_

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Second Language: \_\_\_\_\_

Proficiency/ level: \_\_\_\_\_

Instrument(s) Played: \_\_\_\_\_

Proficiency/ level: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Personal Sketch

Please type a brief personal sketch of ½ page (single spaced) as a guide to introduce you to us. In first person, essay form, using clear and concise statements. Your sketch must be typed or word-processed. Carefully check spelling, sentence structure, and punctuation. Write or type your full name in the upper right hand corner of the page.

Include information from the following areas:

- Facts about yourself and your family background.
- Your gifts and ministry skills including music, sports, drama, ministry leadership, etc.
- School you are attending, major (if college student) and plans after graduation.
- Call – your send of leadership toward mission service.

## Application Essay

Compose a brief essay that gives attention to the following issues. Please limit your essay to less than 800 words. Your response must be typed or word-processed. We encourage you to share candidly in these areas. This essay is an important document and will be shared with staff.

- Briefly describe your initial encounter with Jesus Christ and your baptism experience. How is Christ active in your life now?
- How are you involved in witnessing to non-believers? Relate a recent experience of sharing your faith with someone who was not a Christian.
- Describe cross-cultural experiences you have had. How have these experiences led you to believe you can live and work effectively in another culture or setting?
- Give a brief statement of the basic Christian message that you hope to proclaim or share with persons you encounter in your ministry.
- List spiritual gifts God has given you and how you believe they may be used in your ministry.
- What are your expectations in serving as a student missionary?

## Confidential Personal History

The next nine questions are highly personal in nature. The information will be handled sensitively and confidentially by the staff members of Street Reach Ministries. It will not be shared with anyone outside of the Street Reach office. Because of the high visibility of our personal lives in a ministry of this nature, we need to be above reproach and an example of one representing Christ to others. The Southern Baptist Convention, North American Mission Board, Tennessee Baptist Convention, and Street Reach Ministries are concerned that participants exhibit strong convictions and a lifestyle consistent with Biblical standards.

As an applicant, we want you to understand that a *past* problem with illegal drug use and/or immoral relationships will not prevent you from being accepted *provided*: (1) it can be determined that current convictions are strong and consistent with Scripture and (2) a sufficient track record of Christian living has been established.

**If your answer is yes to and of these questions, please provide an explanation on a separate page.**

**Your explanation must be typed or word-processed.**

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|--|---------|--------|
| Do you have a police or prison record?   | Yes ___ | No ___ |
| Have you had a problem with anorexia or bulimia?   |         |        |
| Have you used narcotics, hallucinogens, or illegal drugs not prescribed by a physician?              | Yes ___ | No ___ |
| Have you been or are you now involved in a homosexual lifestyle?                                     | Yes ___ | No ___ |
| Have you had a voluntary sexual relationship with a member of the opposite sex within the last year? | Yes ___ | No ___ |
| Do you currently use or have used alcohol in the last 12 months?                                     | Yes ___ | No ___ |
| Do you currently use or have you used tobacco products in the last 12 months?                        | Yes ___ | No ___ |
| Were you the victim of sexual, physical, or emotional abuse as a child or adolescent?                | Yes ___ | No ___ |

**Guidelines and Policies Agreement**

I understand that I will be under the guidelines and policies of the North American Mission Board, Tennessee Baptist Convention, Street Reach Ministries, and my supervisor. I agree to abstain from the use of tobacco products, alcoholic beverages, illegal drugs, and any other behavior that would hinder my ministry during my term of service as a student missionary. I understand that use of these substances, or involvement in questionable conduct will be cause for dismissal as a student missionary.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Missionary's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Responsibility Release**

Furthermore, if I accept a term of service under the auspices of the North American Mission Board, the Tennessee Baptist Convention, and Street Reach Ministries, I wish to make clear my understanding that the before mentioned organizations assume no responsibility for loss of property, damage to same, personal harm or illness that may occur, and I, for myself, my heirs, executors, administrators, distributes and assigns, in consideration of my admission to volunteer service and other good and valuable considerations, do hereby absolve said North American Mission Board, Tennessee Baptist Convention, and Street Reach Ministries and hold them harmless from any claim or demand which I or they might conceivably assert upon the basis on the foregoing.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Missionary's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent or Guardian Signature  
*(if applicant is a High School Junior or Senior)*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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