

Dear_____,

Please let me share with you what the Lord has called me to do this summer.

Child Evangelism Fellowship[®] of Wyoming has accepted me to train and serve with Christian Youth In Action[®] as a volunteer summer missionary.

I will participate in one week of missionary training from June 10-18. After training, I will be working with other missionaries teaching children in 5-Day Clubs[®] and counseling children at Camp Good News[®]. I will be sharing the Gospel with children through evangelistic Bible lessons, memory verses, real-life missionary stories, and counseling children for salvation.

The CYIA training camp and my teaching materials are \$350. Therefore, I am asking if you would prayerfully consider giving a financial gift to CEF of Northwest Wyoming to help defer this cost for me.

If you are willing to help, please send your gift with a note on the memo line to CEF of Northwest Wyoming, P.O. Box 455 Powell, WY 82435. Please send your donations in before May 1^{st,} 2022, so I will not incur a late fee of \$25.

Also, I would ask that you pray that I successfully complete the missionary training and faithfully serve the Lord this summer. Pray also that many churches and individuals will host 5-Day Clubs and invite children to come and hear the Gospel in their neighborhoods. Please pray for the salvation of those children as they hear God's Word.

Any amount given in excess of \$350 will be placed into the CYIA account. As a volunteer, I can receive only the amount needed to pay for the training fee. CEF of Northwest Wyoming will cover any other expenses incurred during the summer.

I am looking forward to this summer ministry opportunity. Thank you for praying about partnering with us in prayer and finances as I serve the Lord through Christian Youth In Action and the ministry of CEF.

Yours for the Children,



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P.O. Box 455 Powell, WY 82435

CYIA TRAINING RULES

*Parent & Students Please Initial

The dress code is intended as a guideline in assisting all students in developing a Christcentered attitude toward their outer appearance and a maturing view toward the appropriateness of certain attire for certain occasions. It is not intended to be an exhaustive listing of acceptable and unacceptable attire. Rather, the dress code is an outgrowth of our experience in maintaining an atmosphere consistent with the instructional goals of CYIA Training. It is not meant to take the place of parental rules, which may be more restrictive in this document. Nor is it meant to relieve the student of the opportunity to grow in personal responsibility for his or her own appearance.

We need parental assistance to maintain modest dress at CYIA Training and during the summer. Please read and address these standards with your child. Thank you for helping in this matter.

_____Dress Code: Since we are working with a variety of people from various religious convictions, it is important that we not offend in our dress and, at the same time, that we honor God with our dress. This means we are expecting conservative dress - for some of you, that may mean more conservative attire than you are used to wearing. If you have any doubts about a clothing item, don't bring it. All students and staff must present themselves, both in dress and physical features, in a manner consistent with their birth gender.

Code for training week: You may wear shorts, although they must be of the longer variety (3" above the knee when kneeling)! Guys, please wear pants that fit snugly around your waist. No sagging.

_____ The following are not allowed: short shorts, tank tops, sleeveless shirts, tight T-shirts, spaghetti straps, belly shirts, immodest necklines, or armholes (2" below collar bone + 2" below armpit for armholes), T-shirts designs that reflect anti-Christian values (i.e., occult, vulgar language, etc.). Nothing tattered or torn and no low-rise skirts or pants. Hair should be kept clean neat. Leggings are allowed under the skirt or dress (3" above the knee). Leggings can be worn with a top that extends to the tip of the fingers while hands are at your sides. Holes in jeans cannot be above the knees and no low-rise skirts or pants. Tears or rips higher than 2" above the knee must be worn with a layer of fabric underneath so that no skin shows.

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_____ Guys & Gals: No excessive body piercing. No excessive tattoos. Keep your appearance neat and clean. No piercings beyond ears & nose and only small studs in the nose.

_____ Electronics: Cell phones will be silenced and placed in a drop box during class. Phones will be collected after class. There will be a specified time daily for contacting parents/guardians.

*Parents: It's important that you communicate with your child(ren) directly, provide a Christ-centered paradigm for smartphone use, and set sensible boundaries. Teach them to pick up their phones for a purpose, not just because they're bored. CYIA Training is to focus on learning to share the Gospel with kids. There will be downtime where they will be able to use their phones. However, we encourage students to engage with others during these times.

CYIA Training is a week to pull away from distractions and focus on preparing for ministry.

_____ Done in bathrooms by 10:50 p.m., Lights out at 11:00 p.m. No crises after 10:00 p.m.

_____ Stay in assigned sleeping rooms until 7:00 a.m. Roaming out of sleeping rooms without an appropriate excuse will result in a phone call to parents.

_____ No student is to change their assigned room number at check-in without explicit permission from CYIA Staff. (In the event of an emergency we need to know where students are located). If you would like to be in the same room as a friend, please notify your director.

No one leaves the buildings at night except for emergencies. Doors are on a night timer and automatically lock after lights out. In an emergency, a staff must accompany anyone leaving the dorm.

The dorm leaders will report excessive noise after lights out (talking, rowdy behavior, etc.) to the nighttime staff.

_____ Students are not to invade the personal space of other students. A reasonable separation rule will apply at all times. Students will adhere to the guidance of any staff member regarding this rule.

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_____ Boyfriend/girlfriend relationships are not allowed throughout the CYIA Training. This includes the entire summer working relationship.

_____Do NOT bring food or drink in the dorms and do NOT bring personal food from home.

_____ All students must obtain permission from one of the directors before leaving the boundaries or going beyond the established limits.

_____ There is zero tolerance on pranks at CYIA training.

_____ I understand and agree to the Biblical Sexuality Policy as discussed with my local director or another staff member.

*By initialing & signing, you acknowledge you have read & are agreeing to all the above.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date:_____

Date:_____





CYIA Suggested Packing List

Christian Youth In Action (CYIA) training will occur at Frontier School of the Bible, LaGrange, WY. Training starts Friday, 10 JUNE 2022 at 2-4:30 pm (Registration) and ends on 18 JUNE 2022, Saturday morning. You will be sleeping in designated rooms (rooms with other teens of your same sex, small closets) with central bathrooms down the hall. <u>Please do NOT bring anything of high value because there</u> <u>is no secure storage space available</u>. Whatever you bring, YOU are responsible for keeping track of.

BE SURE TO PACK: (Please label your items)

- 1. A hard copy of a Bible (ESV for teaching clubs- If you do not have an ESV we will get you one.)
- 2. Pencils and pens & paper for notetaking
- 3. Proper clothing (see dress code attached)
- 4. You will need clothing for nine days/nights
- 5. Water shoes, flip flops, or sandals to wear in the bathroom/shower
- 6. Tennis shoes (for recreation)
- 7. Camera (optional)
- 8. Reusable Water Bottle (labeled with your name)
- 9. Sleeping bag or sheets and blankets (twin bed)
- 10. Pillow
- 11. Towel and washcloths
- 12. Personal articles (shampoo, soap, brush, toothbrush & toothpaste, etc.)
- 13. Flashlight
- 14. Alarm clock (optional as staff will awaken each day)
- 15. Offering money: there is a missions project offering each day to raise funds for the missionaries that we will be supporting for the summer
- 16. Regular medicines/prescriptions (All medication should be in the original containers and must be turned in to the Nurse for distribution during CYIA)



DO NOT BRING:

- Weapons of any kind (i.e., guns, knives, lighters)
- Immodest or inappropriate clothing (see dress code) Parents: Students don't automatically understand the reason behind certain rules, so make sure to explain it to them. They're far more likely to keep the rules if they know the 'why' of rules. You may think that it's perfectly clear why modesty is good, but they don't necessarily do.
- Food (ants are a problem, so don't bring)
- Do not bring any electronics (No iPad, iPods, tablets, or computers) except for your cell phone if you have one.

OPTIONAL:

Please try to consolidate your items into a large duffle bag or suitcase. It helps with packing bags for travel and allows easier access to your belongings.

Please bring an extra tote bag or backpack for getting from class to class. The bag your kit comes in is not meant to haul your things. The teaching materials get ruined, and the bag will break down.



Reference Report

Please complete both pages & return immediately.

Applicant's Full Name											
is applying to Child Evangelism Fellowship to serve as a <u>Christian Youth in Action[®] Missionary</u> The applicant has listed you as a reference. Your personal evaluation and recommendation gives insight into the character of the applicant that would be very helpful in determining the applicant's ability to perform this responsibility. Please be candid and objective.											
 How long have you known the applicant? In what relationship? 											
 How long have you known the applicant? (Circle one) Casually Well Very well 											
► Is there any reason known to you that the applicant should not work with children? Yes/No											
If yes, please explain											
► Applicant's relationship with others, generally (circle one) Poor Fair Good Very Good											
► Applicant's attitude toward authority (circle one) Poor Fair Good Very Good											
► Applicant's ability to work with others (circle one)Poor Fair Good Very Good											
Applicant's work ethic when working alone (circle one) Poor Fair Good Very Good											
> What are the applicant's strong points and special abilities?											
► What are the applicant's challenges?											
► What is the applicant's general outlook on life? (Circle one) Negative Neg/Pos Pos/Neg Positive											
➤ Is the applicant active in the church? If so, in what capacities?											
Are you aware of any unbiblical sexual tendency in the applicant? If yes, please comment.											
► How do you rate this applicant's potential for ministry? (Circle one) Average Good Superior											
► Would you recommend that we accept this applicant? (Circle one) No Questionable Yes											
Additional Comments:											

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Applicant's Full Name_____

CHARACTER TRAIT EVALUATION	U N K N O W N	P O O R	1	2	3	4	5	E X C L L E N T	Comments to characteristics
Communications Skills								· ·	
Relationship Development									
Confrontational Skills									
Tactfulness/Sensitivity									
Drive/Initiative									
Mental Alertness									
Consistent Spiritual Walk									
Bible Knowledge									
Sense of Call or Mission									
Submission to Authority									
Self-respect									
Freedom From Worry									
Self-Discipline									
Conscientiousness									
Perseverance									
Good Judgment									
Flexibility									
Decisiveness/Follow-through									
Servant Spirit									
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