



*Partners in Reaching the Heart, Teaching the Mind*

## TEACHER APPLICATION

*Your interest in **Pacific Christian School** is appreciated. We realize the key to a successful Christian School is its staff. We are looking for those who are professionally qualified, who really love children, and who, by the pattern of their lives, are Christian role models (Luke 6:40).*

*The first step toward employment is to complete this application and return it to the office. After calling some of your references, we will arrange for a personal interview. We look forward to reviewing your initial application; thank you again for your interest in the ministry of the school.*

## ATTACHMENT CHECKLIST

- Letter of Introduction
- 3 Letters of Reference
- Completed Application
- Copies of all college transcripts and/or credentials held (do not need to be official copies)
- Copies of any teaching credentials you hold

## APPLICANT'S INFORMATION

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Date available to start: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: Cell ( ) \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ Home: ( ) \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ Work ( ) \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_

Best time(s) to call you: \_\_\_\_\_

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

## POSITION(S) DESIRED

Please check all in which you are interested in teaching:

- Early Elementary (K-2)
- Elementary (3-5)
- Middle School (6-8)
- Specials: PE, Music, Computers, Library

## CHRISTIAN BACKGROUND

**Bible** Do you believe the Bible to be the only inspired and infallible Word of God, the final authority in all matters of faith, truth and conduct?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**Church** What is your local church affiliation? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your denominational preference? \_\_\_\_\_

How many times a month do you attend services? \_\_\_\_\_

In what church activities are you involved and with what degree of regularity? \_\_\_\_\_

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**Devotional** Describe your routine of personal Bible study: \_\_\_\_\_

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Describe your routine of personal prayer: \_\_\_\_\_

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Describe your routine of personal worship: \_\_\_\_\_

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## PERSONAL PHILOSOPHY

What is your Christian testimony? \_\_\_\_\_

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Why do you wish to teach in a Christian School? \_\_\_\_\_

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What do you consider to be the proper classroom atmosphere for learning? \_\_\_\_\_

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What areas do you feel are your strengths? \_\_\_\_\_  
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Weaknesses? \_\_\_\_\_  
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Any additional information that you would like to present regarding your candidacy: \_\_\_\_\_  
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## STATEMENT OF FAITH

We believe there is one God, eternally existent in three persons – Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. (Genesis 1:1, Matthew 28:19)

We believe in the deity of Christ (John 10:13);

His virgin birth (Isaiah 7:14, Matthew 1:23, Luke 1:35);

His sinless life (Hebrews 4:15, 7:26);

His miracles (John 2:11);

His vicarious and atoning death (1 Corinthians 15:3, Ephesians 1:7, Hebrews 2:9);

His resurrection (John 11:25, 1 Corinthians 15:4);

His ascension to the right hand of the Father (Mark 16:19);

His personal return in power and glory (Acts 1:11, Revelation 19:11).

We believe the Bible to be inspired by God, the only infallible and inerrant Word of God. (2 Timothy 3:15, 2 Peter 1:21)

We believe in the absolute necessity of regeneration by the Holy Spirit for salvation because of the exceeding sinfulness of human nature. We believe that men are justified on the single ground of faith in the shed blood of Christ, and that only by God's grace through faith alone are we saved. (John 3:16, John 5:24, Romans 5:8-9, Ephesians 2:8-10, Titus 3:5)

We believe in the resurrection of both the saved and the lost; that they are saved to the resurrection of life and those who are lost to the resurrection of damnation. (John 5:28-29)

We believe in the spiritual unity of believers in our Lord Jesus Christ. (Romans 8:9, 1 Corinthians 12:12-13, Galatians 3:26-28)

We believe in the present ministry of the Holy Spirit by whose indwelling the Christian is enabled to live a godly life. (Romans 8:13-14, 1 Corinthians 3:16, 1 Corinthians 6:19-20, Ephesians 4:30, 5:18)

\_\_\_\_\_ I fully support the Statement of Faith as written.

\_\_\_\_\_ I support the Statement of Faith except for the area(s) listed and explained on a separate sheet of paper.

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Signature of Applicant

## PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

**Formal Training**      Degrees You Hold: \_\_\_\_\_ Issuing Institution: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Teaching Experience**      List your teaching experience with most recent first:  
School/Organization's Name:      Grade or Subjects:      Dates:  
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**Curriculum**      To what degree are you familiar with Christian or secular curriculums? (i.e. ACE, Abeka, Bob Jones Press, Moby Max, Accelerated Reader, etc.)  
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**Credentials**      What Teaching Credentials do you hold (i.e. ACSI teaching certificate, state teaching certificate, substituting credential/emergency 30-day credential)?  
Credential:      Issuing Institution:      Expiration Date:  
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## EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Please start with your current or most recent employer and work backward.

1. Employer: \_\_\_\_\_  
Position: \_\_\_\_\_ Dates of Employment: \_\_\_\_\_  
Supervisor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Supervisor's Number: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Employer: \_\_\_\_\_  
Position: \_\_\_\_\_ Dates of Employment: \_\_\_\_\_  
Supervisor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Supervisor's Number: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Employer: \_\_\_\_\_  
Position: \_\_\_\_\_ Dates of Employment: \_\_\_\_\_  
Supervisor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Supervisor's Number: \_\_\_\_\_
4. Employer: \_\_\_\_\_  
Position: \_\_\_\_\_ Dates of Employment: \_\_\_\_\_  
Supervisor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Supervisor's Number: \_\_\_\_\_

5. Employer: \_\_\_\_\_  
Position: \_\_\_\_\_ Dates of Employment: \_\_\_\_\_  
Supervisor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Supervisor's Number: \_\_\_\_\_

## EMPLOYMENT QUESTIONS

1. Have you ever been dismissed, fired, or let go from a job? [ ] NO [ ] YES

If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

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2. Can we call your previous employers, professional and personal references below?  
[ ] NO [ ] YES

If no, please explain when we can start calling them: \_\_\_\_\_

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## REFERENCES

### PROFESSIONAL REFERENCES

1. Reference Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Job Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Years Known: \_\_\_\_\_  
Reference Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Reference Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Reference Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Job Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Years Known: \_\_\_\_\_  
Reference Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Reference Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Reference Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Job Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Years Known: \_\_\_\_\_  
Reference Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Reference Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

## CERTIFICATION

I understand that Pacific Christian School does not discriminate in its employment practices against any person because of race, color, national or ethnic origin, age, or disability.

I hereby certify that the facts set forth in this initial application are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that discovery of falsification of any statement or a significant omission of fact may prevent me from being hired, or if hired, may subject me to immediate dismissal regardless of the time elapsed before discovery.

I authorize Pacific Christian School to thoroughly investigate my references, work records, evaluations, education, and other matters related to my suitability for employment.

I authorize references and my former employers to disclose to the school any employment records, performance reviews, letters, reports, and other information related to my life and employment, without giving me prior notice of such disclosure.

In addition, I hereby release Pacific Christian School, my former employers, references, and all other parties from any and all claims, demands, and liabilities in any way related to such investigation or disclosure.

I waive the right to ever personally view any references given to Pacific Christian School. Since I will be working with children, I understand that I must submit to a fingerprint check by FBI and state authorities. I agree to fully cooperate in providing and recording as many sets of fingerprints as necessary. I authorize Pacific Christian School to conduct a criminal records check.

I have never been convicted of any felonies.

I have been convicted of a felony. Details: \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that this is only an application for employment and that no employment contract is being offered at this time.

I certify that I have carefully read and do understand the above statements.

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Signature of Applicant

Date



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**AUTHORIZATION TO RELEASE REFERENCE INFORMATION**

I have applied for employment with and authorize Pacific Christian School to thoroughly investigate references, work records, evaluations, education, and other matters related to my suitability of employment.

My signature on this release authorizes references and my former employers to disclose to Pacific Christian School any and all employment records, performance reviews, letters, reports, and other information related to my life and employment, without giving notice of such disclosure.

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Applicant's Name (Please Print)

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Applicant's Signature Today's Date

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Applicant's Social Security Number CA Driver's License Number