

Student/Leader Application for Mission to Michigan

Church:	Date:	
Name:	Phone:	
Age:	Grade Completed:	Gender:
Address:		
City:	State:	
Zip:	Alternate Phone: (Cell, other)	

Do you consider yourself a Christian? Why?

When and what was the most recent lesson God taught you or is teaching you?

Have you ever been involved in any type of mission trip or service project before? When? What did you learn?

Why do you want to participate in the ministry of this service team?

What do you expect to gain from this experience?

What do you feel you can contribute in terms of work skills, attitudes, and personal abilities?

What would you think God expects of you during this experience?

What benefit would you like your church and youth group to receive from the experience of this service team?

Do you feel you will be able to follow all group rules and support the entire program with your cooperation, prayers, enthusiasm, and energies?

The process of bonding as a team, and learning more about this trip and what we will be doing with Encouragement Link requires that you attend youth group on a regular basis. Can you commit to coming to youth group on a regular basis this summer? If not, why not?

What is the one nagging question you just really want to ask about this whole experience?

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Parent's Reference Form

Student's Name _____ Parents' Names _____

Best way to reach you:

- Mobile Phone: _____
- Home Phone: _____
- E-mail: _____

Why do you want your child to participate in the East White Oak Youth Ministries Junior High Work Camp?

What do you expect him/her to gain personally from this experience?

What would you guess God expects of your child during this experience?

What benefit would you like your church and youth group to receive from the experience of the Junior High Work Camp?

Do you feel your child will be able to follow all group rules and support the entire program with your cooperation, prayers, enthusiasm, and energies?

Please evaluate your child in each area by using the following scale:

1 = Help! 2 = Needs improvement 3 = Average 4 = Very good 5 = Excellent

_____	Work skills	_____	Completing a task	_____	Response to
_____	Emotional readiness	_____	Communication skills	_____	Authority
_____	Spiritual readiness	_____	Cooperative spirit	_____	Organization
_____	Physical readiness	_____	Stress management	_____	Leadership

Thank you for filling this application out. Please place it in an envelope along with a NON-REFUNDABLE \$75 deposit and your student application form and give to Pastor Walt Baertsch by June 3rd. Mailing it in (11922 E 2000 North Rd., Carlock, 61725) is perfectly acceptable. The final payment of \$100 is due July 1st.

East White Oak Junior High Mission to Michigan Covid Waiver

Child/Participant Name:	Age:
Trip Location: Traveling from Carlock, IL to Ralph, MI. Staying at Bible Camp Elijah	Mode of Travel: East White Oak Buses and vans; Rental Vans, and Trailer
Dates: June 19-24, 2021	

Dear Participant/Parent/Guardian:

Thank you for your interest in traveling with East White Oak Bible Church on the **Junior High Mission to Michigan 2021** using our buses/vans/rental vehicles both locally and across state lines.

Given the outbreak and continued spread of coronavirus disease 2019 ("COVID-19") in the United States, please read this COVID-19 Trip Participant Acknowledgement and Waiver (the "Waiver") carefully. Your signature and acceptance of this Waiver (and your parent or guardian's signature if you are under 18 years of age) is required before you will be permitted to travel with East White Oak Bible Church.

1. The following COVID Protocols are non-negotiable and the intentional violation of any of these protocols may be grounds for disqualification from travel. These protocols are subject to change based on CDC guideline changes.
 - a. Everyone must always have a mask available while on trips or at events.
 - b. While riding on buses/vans/other church approved vehicles we will usually have the windows open to provide ventilation. When bus windows are not able to be open, we will need to wear masks.
 - c. Masks will be required when arriving and departing from registration areas and going to and from rooms and other indoor spaces in which we cannot maintain at least a 3 foot distance from others.
2. In the event that someone on our team is identified as COVID positive:
 - a. We will immediately contact their parents and meet them halfway to/from our location while the infected child and the driver of the vehicle are masked and distant from each other.
 - b. Immediately following removal of the infected person, the vehicle will be sanitized.
 - c. We will also contact parents/guardians of those in close contact with the infected person personally and inform other parents/guardians electronically.
 - d. We will bring anyone who has been in close contact with the above person to the nearest testing facility to be tested.
 - e. If more than 5% of our team is infected (as determined by testing at location as necessary) we will abort the mission, and all will return home.
3. While outdoors and physically distant from others we will not be required to wear masks.
4. We will not be required to wear masks while sleeping in dorms/tents/hotels nor while swimming, working or playing outside unless physical distance cannot be maintained.
5. By signing below, you also give permission to compel and obtain COVID testing as deemed necessary by East White Oak Staff.

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East White Oak Bible Church COVID-19 Bus/Van/Rental Vehicle Waiver and Assumption of Risk:

1. The undersigned hereby waives any and all claims against East White Oak Bible Church that would relate, in anyway, to contracting COVID due to voluntary participation in Church activities. In consideration of the opportunity afforded you to serve and/or participate with East White Oak Bible Church, you, on behalf of yourself, and to the extent permitted by law, on behalf of your spouse or future spouse, heirs, executors, administrators, assigns, and other persons or entities acting or purporting to act on your behalf, hereby generally and completely release, acquit, and forever discharge East White Oak Bible Church and it's current and former boards, officers, employees, agents, successors, affiliates, assigns, sponsors, donors, volunteers and representatives (collectively, the "released parties" of and from any and all claims, liabilities, and obligations, both known and unknown, that arise from or are in any way related to your voluntary participation with East White oak Bible Church. This waiver supersedes and replaces any prior or contemporaneous discussions or agreements, whether written or oral, between the Parties with respect to the subject of this Waiver.
2. In light of the ongoing spread of COVID-19, individuals who fall within any of the categories below are not permitted to travel/serve with East White Oak Bible Church at this time. Your signature and acceptance of this Waiver constitutes your acknowledgement that you do not fall into any of the following categories:
 - a. Individuals who currently or within the past fourteen (14) days have experienced any symptoms associated with COVID-19, which include fever, cough, or shortness of breath
 - b. Individuals who have traveled at any point in the past fourteen (14) days either internationally or to a community in the U.S. that has experienced or is experiencing sustained community spread of COVID-19; or
 - c. Individuals who believe that they may have been exposed to a confirmed or suspected case of COVID-19 or have been diagnosed with COVID-19 and are not yet cleared as non-contagious by state or local public health authorities.
3. The U.S. Center for Disease Control ("CDC") has stated that COVID-19 spreads mainly between people who are in close contact with one another and through respiratory droplets produced when an infected person coughs or sneezes and, therefore, the CDC has recommended that people practice "social distancing" by remaining three (3) to six (6) feet from other people during the COVID-19 outbreak. The CDC has further stated that older people, as well as people of all ages who have a severe underlying health condition (such as, heart disease, lung disease, asthma, HIV, or diabetes) appear to be at a higher risk of developing a serious COVID-19 illness. Your signature and acceptance of this Waiver constitutes your acknowledgment that you are in good physical health and have no physical condition which prevents you from safely traveling with East White Oak Bible Church.
4. Because the CDC has stated that a fever is one of the three most common symptoms of COVID-19, East White Oak Bible Church may, in its sole discretion, conduct temperature checks of the individuals who are serving with East White Oak Bible Church, including its staff, in an effort to identify individuals who may be infected with COVID-19. Individuals who have body temperatures at or above 99 degrees Fahrenheit will be asked by East White Oak Bible Church to leave and not return until they have been COVID-19 symptom-free for at least fourteen (14) days. Your signature and acceptance of this Waiver constitutes your consent to East White Oak Bible Church' temperature check policy, which may be amended from time to time, in its sole discretion.
5. You acknowledge that your participation as an East White Oak Bible Church trip participant is entirely voluntary. Given the ongoing concerns about the COVID-19 outbreak, the risk of contracting COVID-19 or incurring other injury or illness (which could be serious or disabling) is always present and cannot be entirely eliminated. Further, while being a participant on a East White Oak Bible Church trip, you may not

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be able to practice "social distancing" and may be in close proximity with individuals who could potentially be infected with COVID-19.

6. Assumption of Risk: With knowledge of these risks, you agree to accept any and all risk of personal injury, illness or death, including related to COVID-19, during the time that you are serving and/or traveling with East White Oak Bible Church. You further understand that your health and safety is your responsibility and that you are free at any time to refuse, and should refuse, to do anything with East White Oak Bible Church that you are not comfortable with or that may pose a hazard to the health or safety of you or anyone else.

Please self-monitor for signs and symptoms of COVID-19 (symptoms typically include fever, cough, or shortness of breath) and, if you experience symptoms of COVID-19 within 14 days after traveling/serving with us, please notify East White Oak Bible Church at 309-454-3833.

I have read this COVID-19 Trip/Event Acknowledgement and Waiver and agree to adhere to it in its entirety.

Participant Name:	Parent/Guardian Name (If participant is under 18)
Participant Signature:	Parent/Guardian Signature (If participant is under 18)
Date:	Date: