

APPLICATION FOR YEAR FOR GOD - YFG

(Confidential when completed)



YOUTH WITH A MISSION

Thank you for your interest in the Year For God program. It is our intention that the application process serve as a valuable tool in helping you, your church and us in YWAM, prayerfully evaluate whether this is the right course for you at this time.

HOW TO COMPLETE THIS APPLICATION

This form comes in 7 parts, to be printed out and filled in separately.

Please answer all of the questions on this application form. It will help us if you type your answer or print clearly in black or blue ink. Husbands and wives enrolling as students must complete separate application forms. If you need more space to answer a question, please use a separate piece of paper.

Please note the information requested on this form is restricted to details relevant to our consideration of your application at this stage.

When completed, please send this application to: *YFG Co-ordinator, YWAM, Holmsted Manor, Staplefield Road, Cuckfield, West Sussex, RH17 5JF, UK*

REFERENCES

Enclosed with this application are three Reference Forms to be sent to the Referees you have selected. One is for your church leader, one for a mature Christian friend, and the third is for your employer or teacher. Fill in your name and address, dates and location for YFG and give the forms to the referees. Please ask that they return the forms directly to the YFG Co-ordinator (listed above) as soon as possible.

MEDICAL REPORT

Two Medical Report Forms are included. Part of Form 1 to be completed by you and part by your doctor. Please give both medical forms to your doctor and ensure that the parts completed by your doctor are returned to us in a sealed envelope clearly labelled with your "name" and the term "medical report".

PASSPORT/VISA INFORMATION

This information is needed for visa purposes.

EMERGENCY CONTACT DETAILS

Please complete this form in full, including any area and country telephone codes.

ADMINISTRATION FEE

A non refundable fee of £25 (which covers the cost of processing your application) should be included when you return this form. Foreign students can send this by bank draft in Pounds Sterling only made out in favour of YWAM.

FINALLY...

We pray that God will guide you clearly as you complete this form.

CONFIDENTIAL APPLICATION FORM

STARTING DATE AND PREFERRED LOCATION OF YFG:

____ | ____ | ____ _____
(dd) (mm) (yy) (location)

Please
attach one
passport size
photograph
here.

1. PERSONAL INFORMATION

NAME:

_____ (Title, Surname, First Name, Middle Name, Preferred Name)

CURRENT ADDRESS: (Valid till _____) _____

Telephone: _____ Moblie: _____ Email: _____

How long have you lived here? _____

PERMANENT ADDRESS: _____

(If different from above)

Telephone: _____ Fax: _____ Email: _____

DATE OF BIRTH: ____ | ____ | ____ AGE: ____ SEX: Male Female
(dd) (mm) (yy)

2. MARITAL STATUS

Single Engaged Married Separated Divorced Widow/Widower

Spouse/fiance's name: _____

Has your spouse/fiance applied for this course? Yes No (We strongly recommend doing the YFG as a couple)

If not, please comment: _____

3. DEPENDANTS

Will any children be accompanying you? Yes No If yes, please give their details:

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Place of Birth: _____ Boy/Girl: _____

4. CHURCH INFORMATION

Church Affiliation: _____

Church Leader's Name & Title: _____

Address: _____

_____ Email: _____

Phone: (Home) _____ (Work) _____ Fax: _____

Does your church leader support the idea of you attending a YWAM school?

Yes Yes, with reservations No

5. EDUCATION AND SKILLS

SECONDARY SCHOOL (EDUCATION BETWEEN 11 AND 18 YEARS)

Name of Establishment	Dates Attended	Exam Success/Qualifications Received
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

UNIVERSITY/COLLEGE/HIGHER OR FURTHER EDUCATION (POST 18 YEARS)

Name of Establishment	Dates Attended	Exam Success/Qualifications Received
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

LIST ANY OTHER TRAINING OR QUALIFICATIONS YOU HAVE RECEIVED

(Please use a separate piece of paper if necessary) _____

WHAT IS YOUR EMPLOYMENT HISTORY AND OCCUPATION?

Position: _____ Length of employment: _____

Briefly describe what your work entails: _____

Briefly describe other past work experiences: _____

6. LANGUAGES

Please identify the languages you speak and indicate your proficiency:

- | | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1 - elementary speaking | 4 - full professional proficiency |
| 2 - limited word proficiency | 5 - native tongue proficiency |
| 3 - minimum professional proficiency | 6 - mother tongue |

English proficiency _____ Other languages and proficiency _____

7. GIFTS AND HOBBIES

Please indicate your gifts, including any drama, musical or artistic talents you have and your hobbies

Gifts: _____

Hobbies: _____

Feel free to also describe some achievements you feel are highlights over your lifetime so far:

8. CHRISTIAN & LIFE EXPERIENCE

Please prayerfully answer the following questions, briefly, on a separate piece of paper (you may print or type) and attach this to your application form.

(If you would feel more comfortable speaking to somebody before completing this form, please feel free to call us.)

Your Personal History

1. Describe your conversion experience or explain how and when God became real and personal to you.
2. Briefly describe other spiritual experiences and/or significant events in your Christian life.
3. What experience do you have in sharing your faith?
4. What church work experience have you had? Have you any leadership experience?
5. Which religious books, apart from the Bible, and Christian periodicals have influenced you most & why?
6. Briefly describe any experiences you have had in other cultures.

Where you are at currently

7. How would you describe your Christian life and your relationship with the Lord at the present time?
8. Do you feel God has called you into some kind of full-time Christian service? Please explain.
9. How might you see using your skills/training in a missions context?

Why are you thinking about YWAM and YFG

10. How did you hear about Youth With A Mission and YFG?
11. What is your reason for applying for YFG?
12. What are your hopes and expectations for yourself during YFG?
13. How do you think you would cope with challenging situations like: different food and culture, dormitory housing or small quarters for families? Please take into consideration any dietary or health needs.

Please Note: Answering YES to the following questions will not automatically exclude you from the YFG program. We are more interested in how you have grown from these experiences and your application will be prayerfully considered.

14. Have you ever been cautioned, charged or convicted of a criminal offence in this country or abroad, or have any cases pending? If so, please explain.

YWAM, AS AN AGENCY WORKING WITH CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE, IS EXEMPT FROM THE UK REHABILITATION OF OFFENDERS ACT OF 1974 AND THEREFORE ALL CONVICTIONS, HOWEVER OLD, MUST BE DECLARED BY APPLICANTS.

15. Please list anything else you would like us to know about you and your situation.

9. FINANCES

Please read the enclosed Financial Policy Sheet before completing this section and answer all questions. Every staff person in Youth With A Mission is responsible to provide their own fees and personal living expenses. Each prospective student is expected to do the same. As you do the possible - use savings, earn the money, sell things you don't need (as directed by the Lord) - God will do the impossible. Where God guides, He will also provide.

(For current exchange rates please refer to your local bank.)

1. £ _____ is what I have at the present time towards the fees.
£ _____ is what my church/family/friends/others have pledged towards my fees.
£ _____ is what I still need for my fees.

How do you plan to raise the amount you still need? _____

2. a) List current financial obligations and how you expect to fulfil them.

b) Are you leaving a job to attend YFG? Yes No
Should you be accepted, how much notice do you need to give? _____

c) Give names of dependants you have and to what extent you are obliged to them financially.

10. RELEASE OF LIABILITY

I/we do hereby release YOUTH WITH A MISSION, LTD., its agents, employees and volunteer assistants from any liability whatsoever arising out of any injury, damage or loss which may be sustained by said person during the course of involvement with Youth With A Mission.

Applicant's signature: _____ Date: _____ | _____ | _____
(dd) (mm) (yy)

11. CONSENT FOR TREATMENT

I/we do hereby agree to the performance of such treatment, anaesthetics and operations as in the opinion of the attending physician are deemed necessary.

Applicant's signature: _____ Date: _____ | _____ | _____
(dd) (mm) (yy)

12. COMMITMENT

I have completed all portions of this application and if accepted by Youth With A Mission, I will, under God, abide by the spirit, authority and schedule of the program.

I understand that the Year For God program consists of both a DTS (lecture phase and the outreach phase) and a field placement and that by completing this application, I am making a commitment to both phases of the program.

I confirm that I have read the Financial Policy Sheet and understand that payment of my program fees must be made upon or before the start of the program (unless prior arrangements have been made). I therefore undertake to pay all personal expenses during my involvement with YOUTH WITH A MISSION.

Signed: _____ Date: _____ | _____ | _____
(dd) (mm) (yy)

**CONFIDENTIAL REFERENCE
YEAR FOR GOD - YFG**



YOUTH WITH A MISSION

TO BE COMPLETED BY YOUR TEACHER OR EMPLOYER

(Someone who knows you in a classroom or work setting)

YOUTH WITH A MISSION AND THE YFG PROGRAM

Youth With A Mission (YWAM) is a world-wide inter-denominational missionary organisation which was founded in 1960, and provides opportunities for Christian service on a short or long-term basis.

The person named below has listed you as their employer/teacher and as such we would ask you to act as a referee for their application to attend this YWAM course. Thank you for your willingness to help us in this process. Year For God (YFG) includes a Discipleship Training School (3 months of lectures and 2-3 months of outreach) and a field placement. Some/all of the year could be in primitive and stressful conditions, but will provide an opportunity for the student to use their skills. It is therefore not in the applicant's best interest to give an unrealistically positive view of them. An honest, realistic appraisal of the challenges they will face will help rather than hinder their application. If you would prefer to give your opinions by telephone, please feel free to do so. Our telephone number is +44 (0)1444 440229

We need to receive this form before we can process this application - thank you.

CANDIDATE DETAILS

(To be completed by the applicant)

NAME OF APPLICANT: _____
(Title, Surname, First Name)

CURRENT ADDRESS: _____

Telephone: _____ Fax: _____ Email: _____

STARTING DATE AND LOCATION OF YFG: ____|____|____ (dd) (mm) (yy) _____ (location)

I know the applicant: very well quite well a little very little

What is your relationship with the applicant? _____
(e.g. Employer / Teacher)

PERSONALITY / CHARACTER PROFILE

Please assess the applicant on the qualities listed below according to the following evaluation system.

1 = Usually 2 = Often 3 = Sometimes 4 = Rarely

Healthy _____
Loner _____
Initiator _____
Worrier _____

Leader _____
Team Worker _____
Aggressor _____
Co-operative _____

Reliable _____
Disruptive _____
Enthusiastic _____
Energetic _____

ABILITY TO WORK IN TEAMS

The applicant will be living and working closely with others for an extended period. Please answer / comment on the following:

1. The applicant's attitude to work _____

2. The quality and character of his/her work _____

3. The applicant's maturity in making judgements _____

4. The applicant's ability to be a part of a team _____

5. The applicant's ability to handle conflict _____

Have we overlooked anything which you consider relevant to this application?

FINALLY...

Do you think participation in YWAM would be beneficial for the applicant?

Yes (unreservedly) Yes (with some reservations) No

If you have reservations, your comments would be helpful _____

YOUR NAME: _____
(Title, Surname, First Name)

ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE: _____ **FAX:** _____ **EMAIL:** _____

Signed: _____ Date: ____|____|____
(dd) (mm) (yy)

Please send the completed form to:

**YFG CO-ORDINATOR, YWAM, HOLMSTED MANOR, STAPLEFIELD ROAD,
BUCKFIELD, WEST SUSSEX RH17 5JF, UK**

**CONFIDENTIAL REFERENCE
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YOUTH WITH A MISSION

TO BE COMPLETED BY A MATURE CHRISTIAN

YOUTH WITH A MISSION AND THE YFG PROGRAM

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The person named below has listed you as a mature Christian and as such we would ask you to act as a referee for their application to attend this YWAM course. Thank you for your willingness to help us in this process. Year For God (YFG) includes a Discipleship Training School (3 months of lectures and 2-3 months of outreach) and a field placement. Some/all of the year could be in primitive and stressful conditions, but will provide an opportunity for the student to use their skills. It is therefore not in the applicant's best interest to give an unrealistically positive view of them. An honest, realistic appraisal of the challenges they will face will help rather than hinder their application. If you would prefer to give your opinions by telephone, please feel free to do so. Our telephone number is +44 (0)1444 440229

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NAME OF APPLICANT: _____
(Title, Surname, First Name)

CURRENT ADDRESS: _____

Telephone: _____ Fax: _____ Email: _____

STARTING DATE AND LOCATION OF YFG: _____ | _____ | _____ _____
(dd) (mm) (yy) (location)

I know the applicant: very well quite well a little very little

What is your relationship with the applicant? _____
(e.g. Youth Group/Home Group Leader/Friend)

PERSONALITY / CHARACTER PROFILE

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Healthy _____
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Initiator _____
Worrier _____

Leader _____
Team Worker _____
Aggressor _____
Co-operative _____

Reliable _____
Disruptive _____
Enthusiastic _____
Energetic _____

ABILITY TO WORK IN TEAMS

The applicant will be living and working closely with others for an extended period. Please answer / comment on the following:

1. Do you foresee any difficulties that could compromise their Christian sexual morality?
Yes No Comments _____

2. The applicant may sometimes have to make difficult personal decisions under stressful conditions - e.g. to stay when feeling homesick, to eat or travel when not feeling well. Is he/she able to take a wider perspective when decision-making?
Yes No Comments _____

3. The applicant's ability to be a part of a team _____

4. The applicant's ability to handle conflict _____

5. The applicant's motivation for getting involved in missions _____

CHRISTIAN BACKGROUND

Please comment briefly on:

1. The applicant's growth as a Christian _____

2. The quality and extent of his/her Christian service _____

3. Do you know the applicant's family? Yes No
If yes, is there anything you think would be helpful for us to know about them? (Please comment on their husband/wife AND parent/child relationship) _____

4. Have we overlooked anything which you consider relevant to this application? _____

FINALLY...

Do you think participation in YWAM would be beneficial for the applicant?

Yes (unreservedly)

Yes (with some reservations)

No

If you have reservations, your comments would be helpful _____

YOUR NAME: _____

(Title, Surname, First Name)

ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE: _____ **FAX:** _____ **EMAIL:** _____

Signed: _____

Date: ____ | ____ | ____
(dd) (mm) (yy)

Please send the completed form to:

**YFG CO-ORDINATOR, YWAM, HOLMSTED MANOR, STAPLEFIELD ROAD,
CUCKFIELD, WEST SUSSEX RH17 5JF, UK**

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ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE: _____ **FAX:** _____ **EMAIL:** _____

Signed: _____ Date: _____ | _____ | _____
(dd) (mm) (yy)

Please send the completed form to:

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Medical Reference
YEAR FOR GOD - YFG
FORM 1



YOUTH WITH A MISSION

TO THE APPLICANT:

This medical report, Form 1, must be completed by your General Practitioner or medical attendant. The doctor is entitled to charge a fee for this report, for which you are responsible.

APPLICANT'S NAME: _____
 (Title / Surname / First Name)

DATE OF BIRTH: ____|____|____ **NHS No.:** _____
 (dd) (mm) (yy) (for British applicants only)

BLOOD TYPE: _____

CURRENT ADDRESS: _____

STARTING DATE AND LOCATION OF YFG: ____|____|____ _____
 (dd) (mm) (yy) (location)

TO THE DOCTOR:

To be completed by the Doctor or Medical Attendant who holds the applicant's medical records:

Note to the General Practitioner or medical attendant:

THE PURPOSE:

The purpose of this report is to assess the suitability of this applicant for training in the United Kingdom and Ireland, but the practical field placement may involve work in primitive situations anywhere in the world.

The UK privacy laws require that all medical records and references be handled in a manner that protects the privacy of the applicant. With this in mind, please refrain from giving specific medical details of the applicant's history on Form 1, as it will be reviewed by the admissions staff who are not qualified medical officers. Should you need to give specific medical details about the applicant, please use Form 2 and return it in a sealed envelope clearly marked with the applicant's name and the words MEDICAL REPORT. We will then pass the form on to an appropriate medical officer for review.

The School:

YWAM (Youth With A Mission) is an accredited missionary organisation working in numerous countries around the world. The Year For God (YFG) is an intensive Christian training course beginning with a 5-6 month Discipleship Training School and outreach followed by a 6 month practical field assignment which is all in a cross-cultural setting, possibly in a developing nation.

The lecture phase consists of 50 hours a week, which includes formal study in lectures, informal activities in discussions and small groups, and non-formal activities in work-duties. Work duties may include household type cleaning, maintenance, cooking or gardening. The accommodation and bathrooms will be communal and the meals are not extravagant but nutritious.

The outreach and field assignment phase is usually under the following conditions: food that is nourishing but different than the applicant may be used to; different climate; extreme cultural differences (ie. language, customs, etc), and very basic amenities. Because these conditions can be stressful, please take this into consideration when assessing their suitability for the program.

Sometimes there are limited medical facilities. If the applicant could require emergency medical treatment, please give details on Form 2.

Please make any comments on the following:

GENERAL HEALTH:	Yes	No
Are they able to walk up to six miles (10 kilometres) in one day?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Are they able to carry out reasonably strenuous physical work?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Are they free from Infectious Diseases? If no please give details on Form 2.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Do they have any allergic reactions which would cause a serious medical concern? If yes, please give details on Form 2	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Does the applicant have an existing condition that requires them to be in close proximity to medical facilities? If yes, please give details on Form 2	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Weight and General Fitness: _____

DO YOU CONSIDER THE APPLICANT MEDICALLY SUITABLE FOR THE COURSE?

(Please check one)

- Applicant is in good health and is suitable for the course.
- Applicant has medical conditions which need to be considered / could cause difficulties and therefore these are detailed in Form 2.

Signed: _____

Date: ____ | ____ | ____
(dd) (mm) (yy)

Name and Address (or practice stamp) _____

Please send the completed form to:
YFG CO-ORDINATOR, YWAM, HOLMSTED MANOR, STAPLEFIELD ROAD, CUCKFIELD, WEST SUSSEX, RH17 5JF, UK

If you require any further details please telephone on +44 (0)1444 440229 or email at yfg@holmsted.org.uk

Medical Report
YEAR FOR GOD - YFG

To be completed by the doctor who holds
the applicant's medical records

FORM 2



YOUTH WITH A MISSION

ONLY USE THIS FORM FOR AN APPLICANT WHO MAY HAVE MEDICAL LIMITATIONS OR MAY NOT BE SUITABLE TO ATTEND A YEAR FOR GOD (YFG) PROGRAM.

APPLICANT'S NAME: _____
(Title / Surname / First Name)

DATE OF BIRTH: ____|____|____
(dd) (mm) (yy)

STARTING DATE AND LOCATION OF YFG: ____|____|____ _____
(dd) (mm) (yy) (location)

I give permission for the release of relevant medical information to the Youth With A Mission Medical Officer prior to training or service with the mission.

Signed: _____ Date: ____|____|____
(dd) (mm) (yy)

IMPORTANT:

This form needs to be returned in a sealed envelope clearly marked with the **APPLICANT'S NAME** and the words **MEDICAL REPORT**.
It will then be passed on to an appropriate medical officer for review.

Required medical details of the applicant who may have medical limitations or may not be suitable to attend a Year For God (YFG) program:

Current Medical Problems for which they are receiving treatment or which may affect their health: _____

Current Regular Medication: _____

Past History: _____

Relevant Family History: _____

Please give details if the applicant has had problems with any of the following:

- epilepsy or fits
- anaemia or blood disorders
- endocrine disorders
- psychiatric problems (including depression, panic attacks, anxiety and eating disorders, etc)
- adverse reactions to stressful situations
- infectious diseases
- allergic reactions which would cause a serious medical concern
- needs to be within 20 minutes of a medical facility

Is there any other relevant information which we may need to know before accepting the applicant?

Signed: _____

Date: ____ | ____ | ____
(dd) (mm) (yy)

Name and Address (or practice stamp) _____

Please send the completed form to:

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Passport/Visa Information YEAR FOR GOD - YFG



YOUTH WITH A MISSION

Please note: You must have a passport valid for at least 2 months prior to the beginning of the program and 6 months after the end of the program for visa application purposes.

Name as listed on passport: _____

Date of birth: _____

Place of birth: City: _____ Country: _____

Citizenship/nationality: _____

Passport Number: _____

Place of Issue: City: _____ Country: _____

Date of issue: ____ | ____ | ____
(dd) (mm) (yy)

Date of expiry: ____ | ____ | ____
(dd) (mm) (yy)

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STAPLEFIELD ROAD, CUCKFIELD,
WEST SUSSEX, RH17 5JF, UK**

Please
attach one
passport size
photograph
here.

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Emergency Contact
YEAR FOR GOD - YFG



YOUTH WITH A MISSION

STUDENT NAME: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT: _____

CONTACTS RELATIONSHIP (I.E. PARENTS): _____

CONTACT TELEPHONE NUMBER (S): _____

CONTACT ADDRESS: _____

Financial Policy Sheet

YEAR FOR GOD - YFG



YOUTH WITH A MISSION

The Year For God (YFG) is a faith venture. Each member of YWAM lives a life of faith, no one receives a salary, and each one has large objectives of faith which they are believing God to provide for every year. Your objective of faith is the YFG fees. God's provision of your fees should be considered as a seal of God's approval - an indication of His will for you to attend the school.

REGISTRATION

A registration fee of £25 is required with the application (Payable in pounds sterling only! We do not accept credit cards. If a cheque or bank draft is used, **it must be made payable to YWAM only**, not Holmsted Manor). This is non-refundable and covers administration costs and the cost of a book that will be mailed to you.

DEPOSIT

If your application is approved we will send you an approval letter. You will then need to send us a non-refundable deposit of £200 (Payable in pounds sterling only! We do not accept credit cards. If a cheque or bank draft is used, **it must be made payable to YWAM only**, not Holmsted Manor). We require this because we begin to incur expenses before the program begins. Upon receipt of this deposit your approval will be confirmed subject to your having the remainder of the program fees.

SUMMARY OF FEES

If you join a YFG team you will be expected to pay for, and travel to (where appropriate):

- Enquiry day
- Five day orientation
- Five day debrief
- Administration and team visit costs
- Return air fare and airport taxes
- Travel, food and lodging abroad
- Travel and medical insurance, plus essential medical supplies
- DTS and outreach costs
- Visa and work permits
- Language lessons
- Any additional personal finances
- Continuing financial obligations at home.

A more detailed budget is outlined in the prospectus.

MUST I HAVE THE MONEY BEFORE I'M ACCEPTED?

Before we can fully accept you for YFG you must either have all of your fees or know where the money is coming from (e.g. your church or family have pledged to provide for your fees or you will be working before the YFG and know that your income will cover the fees). We will not be able to give you a full acceptance if this is not the case, unless your circumstances are exceptional.

Note for taxpayers supporting a YWAM student: It is not possible to covenant gifts or claim tax back on money that is student fees, as it is not a gift to YWAM. A person must be committed to at least one year on YWAM staff for you to be able to covenant gifts for them.

Please communicate with us throughout the application process.