



Mentoring Youth for Leadership

A ministry of Justice For All

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APPLICATION FORM for POTENTIAL ADULT MENTORS

JFA's goal is to positively impact area youth, families, schools, businesses and ultimately communities. The purpose of the program is to encourage and equip area youth to build healthy relationships, develop passions, contribute to community, and grow personally through mentoring.

First and last name: _____

Mailing address: _____

Phone number: _____ Cell Home Work

Email (if applicable): _____

How do you prefer to be contacted? Phone call Text Email

Birthday: _____ Age: _____

Gender: _____ Race/ethnicity: _____

Check any or all that apply to you: Single Engaged Married Widowed

Separated Divorced In cohabitation Grandparent

Parent (step foster adoptive biological) Other: _____

Please check which day(s) work best for you to meet:

Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday

Specify what time of day you are available to meet

Check which location(s) you are available to meet:

Sioux County, please specify which towns or schools you prefer

Lyon County, please specify which towns or schools you prefer

Please note if you have a particular age or gender you would prefer to mentor.

Please note if you have a preference for a community-based or school-based mentoring relationship.

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References:

Pastoral reference: _____

Home church (if applicable): _____ Location: _____

Contact number or email: _____

Workplace (if applicable): _____ Location: _____

Supervisor: _____

Contact number or email: _____

Personal reference: _____ Relationship: _____

Contact number or email: _____

Personal reference: _____ Relationship: _____

Contact number or email: _____

The below questions require personal reflection. Please respond as honestly as possible. Leaving any unanswered will not necessarily disqualify you from acting as a mentor.

Please identify which statement(s) best describe you.

- I don't believe in God.
- I believe in God, but that doesn't influence the way I live my life on a daily basis.
- I am searching for answers from God.
- I am growing daily in my faith and have others to encourage me.
- I do not go church on a regular basis.
- I attend church on a regular basis.

Please provide a brief explanation of your personal growth.

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What are three significant events/people that shaped your life?

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Please identify any skills, knowledge, or experiences that you think will help you as a mentor.

Please identify any hobbies or interests that could be shared mutually in your meetings.

Background

Have you ever been arrested? Yes No If yes, please explain the circumstances.

Have you ever been accused of or charged with any form of abuse? Yes No
If yes, please explain the circumstances.

If you have ever been a victim of any form of abuse, please explain how you overcame it.

If you have ever been involved in toxic relationships, please explain how you overcame it.

If you have ever experienced something traumatic, please explain how you overcame it.

Please include anything else JFA should know about you, your interests or experiences that might impact you mentoring relationships:

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Statement of Understanding

The information contained in this form is correct to the best of my knowledge. I authorize any references, churches, or workplaces listed in this application to give Justice For All any information including opinions that they may have regarding my character and fitness for mentoring.

I give Justice For All permission to contact any appropriate government agencies or private entities as deemed necessary in order to verify my suitability as a mentor.

I understand that Justice For All is not responsible for any accident or loss of property incurred during the mentoring relationship. **Justice For All, its staff and mentors are released of any fault or liability of any kind or nature incurred during the mentoring relationship.**

I commit to abide by the guidelines outlined by the Mentoring Youth for Leadership program.

I understand that the information provided about me by any person or organization identified by me in this application is confidential.

I authorize Justice For All to release or exchange any relevant information with its partners for reporting purposes alone.

I have read the program description and understand the goals and purpose of the program.

I permit any relevant information to be released and exchanged with my mentee's school.

I give approval that any photographs or visual materials produced by or for Justice for All, picturing myself participating in the program may be used for promotional purposes.

Mentor name (print) _____

Signature _____ Date: _____

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