



**Family Retreat Children's Program Group Leader
Volunteer Application**

Today's Date _____

Your Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Email _____ Phone _____

Emergency Contact Name & Phone _____

Occupation _____

Please describe your experience working with children and/or adolescents:

List the retreats you have attended at IMS and/or affiliated centers (e.g. CIMC, Spirit Rock, Gaia House, etc.).
Include course dates:

Why are you interested in volunteering as a Children's Group Leader at this retreat?

How did you learn about our need for such volunteers?

Please list any special certification you possess (e.g. CPR, medical, etc.):

State the age groups you prefer to work with (in ascending order 1, 2, 3, etc.):

Ages 2-5 _____ Ages 6-7 _____ Ages 8-9 _____ Ages 10-11 _____ Ages 12-14 _____

Please provide three references from the categories listed below. References from the first two categories are preferred. Please provide names, phone numbers and email addresses for these references.

- Meditation Teacher
- Someone who has supervised you in working with youth
- Other professional reference

1. Name _____

Phone _____ Email _____

2. Name _____

Phone _____ Email _____

3. Name _____

Phone _____ Email _____

I acknowledge that all the information I have included in this application is true and complete. I authorize IMS personnel to contact any of the individuals listed above as references regarding this application. I understand and agree that should this application result in my volunteering for IMS, my volunteer status will not be guaranteed and will be subject to ongoing review.

Applicant Signature _____

Please send this form – by postal mail or email – to:

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volunteer@dharmia.org

Thank you for applying!