



DIOCESE OF CHALAN KANOA
 Commonwealth of Northern Mariana Islands, Saipan MP 96950
OFFICE OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Volunteer Catechist Application Form

Catechists are some of the most important people in a child's faith formation. As a Catechist you have the opportunity to shape a young Catholic's life. Therefore, you must fulfill the following requirements:

- 1) must have received the Sacraments of Baptism, Holy Eucharist and Confirmation,
- 2) must be in good standing with the Catholic Church,
- 3) if living with significant other, they must be married in the Catholic Church and
- 4) must be a practicing Catholic (Attending Sunday Mass regularly).

Pass on the faith of Christ in the classroom. Apply to be a catechist below!

PARISH:

Name of the Catechist:			
Last	First	Middle Name	
Mailing Address	P.O. Box	<input type="checkbox"/> Male	<input type="checkbox"/> Female
Village/Residence:		Date of Birth:	Age:
Tele # (Home)		Cell #:	Email Add:
Occupation:		Employer:	Work Phone #
<i>I received the following: () Baptism () Holy Communion () Confirmation () Matrimony</i> <i>If Married, my spouse and I were married in () the Catholic Church () Civil () a non-Catholic Church</i> <i>Spouse's name: _____ Contact Number: _____</i>			

EDUCATION:

High School () ; College () ; Other studies taken: _____
 Specialized training attended: _____
 Special skills: _____

SKILLS AND EXPERIENCE IN THE AREA OF CATECHESIS:

Have you taught catechesis before? What Parish? What level? _____

Have you attended any catechetical formation program? _____

Please attached a list of any Catechetical Certification you already have/or classes, conferences, you've attended to towards Certification; and list any Catholic bible studies, retreats, you've attended in the past 2 years. (Please provide a copy of any class certificates)

WORK EXPERIENCE IN THE CHURCH:

Are you involved with any other ministries in the parish? (Eucharistic Minister, Lector, Music, Environment (please specify) _____

Why do you want to be a catechist?

Are you willing to pursue continued Religious Education by working toward Diocesan Certification or renewal? Why and why not?

REFERENCES: Please provide name and phone number of three references:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Please read the following carefully before signing this application:

I understand that this is an application for and not a commitment or promise of volunteer opportunity. I certify that I have and will provide information throughout the selection process, including on this application for a volunteer position and in interviews with the person in charge that is true, correct and complete. I certify that I have and will answer all questions to the best of my ability and that I have not and will not withhold any information that would unfavorably affect my application for a volunteer catechist position. I understand that information contained on my application will be verified by the Diocese of Chalan Kanoa.

Signature _____ Date _____

“Being” catechists requires love. And this love necessarily begins with Christ.

Pope Francis

Thank you for taking the time to complete this form. The Coordinator of Religious Education will be contacting you for the date of the interview. May God bless you for your desire to serve Him!

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Date Received: _____ Interview Date: _____

Remarks:

_____ the description for volunteer catechist/aide **was given** to him/her
_____ the description for volunteer catechist/aide **was discussed** to him/her

Interviewed by: _____ Date: _____

PLEASE RETURN FORM TO THE PARISH OFFICE, OR EMAIL BACK TO US csrnina@gmail.com
THANK YOU FOR YOUR INTEREST.

