

High School Nicaragua Mission Trip Application
11th Grade Students
Tuesday, June 19th – Wednesday, June 27th, 2018
Applications are due by Sunday, February 25th

Full Legal Name (as it appears on your passport):

(First)

(Middle)

(Last)

Date of Birth: _____

(Month) (Day) (Year)

Grade and School: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Home Phone Number: _____ Cell Phone Number: _____

Email Address (personal or parents'): _____

T-Shirt Size: _____

Do you have a small group leader @ the Chapel? (circle one) **YES / NO**

If YES, whose group are you in? _____

Do you consider the Chapel your church home? **YES / NO**

If NO, do you have another church home? **YES / NO** If yes, which church? _____

Do you currently have a valid PASSPORT (circle one): **YES / NO** Expiration date: _____

Passport Number: _____

Have you been on another mission trip before? **YES / NO** Where: _____

Please answer all of these questions in the space provided, or type your answers on a separate sheet of paper. Know that we will **likely have more applications than spaces available**, so please take adequate time to prepare and answer these questions thoughtfully. The Chapel Student Ministries Staff values honesty, sincerity, and humility in your answers. Avoid telling us what you think we want to hear.

1. Why do you want to be a part of Chapel's mission trip to Nicaragua this year? What areas of your life do you hope will be impacted by going on this trip?

2. What makes you nervous?

3. Why do we call this a "mission" trip? What do you think our mission is?

4. Describe a time in your life when you were forced to do something outside of your comfort zone. What did you learn as a result of that experience?

5. What are some things (if any) that you have been learning recently in your faith journey?

6. If you have previously served on any Chapel Student Ministries mission trips (Nicaragua, Norfolk, Nashville, Philly, North Carolina), what were some of the most important lessons you learned? How will those lessons change the way you approach this year's trip?

7. Are you (and your parents) ok with writing support letters to allow others to partner with us through prayer and financial support? If the answer is NO, how do you plan on funding your trip? (circle one)

YES / NO

Will you commit to attending all the training sessions? (circle one) YES / NO

(These meeting are very important! Failure to attend these meetings will cause you to forfeit your spot on the trip.)

Meeting Dates:

- **Tuesday, April 10th, 6:30-8:30pm** in the Student Ministry Worship Room
(This is the Nicaragua Parent Meeting. At least one parent must be in attendance. The meeting is optional for students.)
- **Tuesday, May 8th, 6:30-8:30pm** in the Student Ministry Worship Room
- **Mission's Team Night | Friday, June 1st, 4:30-11pm** in the Student Ministry Worship Room
- **Tuesday, June 12th, 6:30-8:30pm** in the Student Ministry Worship Room

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian:

I have talked about this trip with my son/daughter and support his/her decision to apply to be a part of the High School Nicaragua mission team.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

(Please detach this page from the application packet and keep for your records.)

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Organization we partner with:

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