

**ECUADOR MISSION TRIP
RETURNING STUDENT
APPLICATION - 2011**

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name _____ Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

E-mail Address _____

Parent's E-mail Address _____

Birth Date _____ Passport Number _____

Grade _____ Languages (other than English) _____

**YOUR PERSONAL RELATIONSHIP WITH JESUS
CHRIST AND MISSION GOALS**

Describe something meaningful that the Lord has done in your life in the past year. (This can be something you've learned about Him or that he's taught you about the way you interact with Him. It could also include an impactful way that you've seen Him move in the last year.)

What year(s) have you been a part of the Ecuador Mission Team?

What was the most meaningful part of the Ecuador Mission Trip for you?

What was the most difficult part of the trip for you personally?

YOUR GIFTING AND TRAINING EXPERIENCE

What role do you see yourself playing on the team this year? (Be honest!)

Do you plan to send out support letters? (If no, please answer how you will cover the costs of the trip beyond what is raised through school fundraising.)

TEAM COVENANT

As a member of this team, I agree to:

1. Remember that I am representing Jesus Christ as well as Whitefield Academy. I will model Jesus in my behavior and attitude.
2. Remember that I am a guest at the invitation of my hosts. I will remember the missionary's prayer, "Where you lead me, I will follow; what they feed me, I will swallow."
3. Remember that we have come to learn, as well as to teach. I'll resist the temptation to inform our hosts about "how we do things." I'll be open to learning about other people's methods and ideas.
4. Respect the host's view of Christianity recognizing that Christianity has many faces throughout the world and that a purpose of this trip is to experience faith lived out in a new setting.
5. Develop and maintain a servant attitude toward all nationals and my teammates.
6. Respect and follow my team leader(s) and his or her decisions.
7. Refrain from gossip.
8. Refrain from complaining. I know that travel can present numerous unexpected and undesired circumstances, but the rewards of conquering such circumstances are innumerable. Instead of whining and complaining, I'll be creative and supportive (Phil. 2:14).
9. Attend all team meetings before, during, and after the trip.
10. Remember not to be exclusive in my relationships. If I am attracted to a teammate, or my boyfriend/girlfriend is on the team, I will not attempt to pursue that relationship until after we return home.
11. Refrain from illegal drugs and abstain from consumption of alcoholic beverages or the use of tobacco.
12. Abide by the fund-raising procedures endorsed by Whitefield Academy and will personally thank all financial donors that contribute to my trip.
13. Remember that I can be sent home at my own expense if I do not adhere to this covenant or if my team leader believes it is my best interest or that of the team.

Signed _____ **Date** _____