Woodstream Church Children's Ministries Volunteer Covenant

So the next generation might know them-- even the children not yet born-- that they in turn might teach their children. So each generation can set its hope anew on God, remembering his glorious miracles and obeying his commands. Psalm 78:6-7

Recognizing the high privilege that is mine to serve Christ through our Children's Ministries and trusting in the guidance of the Holy Spirit, I earnestly pledge myself to this covenant.

1. I will live what I teach about to my students; separation from the world and purity of life, abstaining from all appearance of evil, setting an example in dress, conversation, demeanor, and prayer.

(1 Thessalonians 5:22)

- 2. I will be faithful in attendance and make it a practice to be present early to welcome students as they arrive. If at any time through sickness or other emergency I am unable to serve, I will notify my coordinator as early as possible. (1 Corinthians 4:2)
- 3. I will always manifest a deep spiritual concern for the students in my class and other volunteers. My first desire will be to bring about the salvation of each student who does not know the Lord and to encourage the spiritual growth of every Christian student and co-laborer. (2 Timothy 2:2)
- 4. I will carefully prepare my lessons and make each lesson a matter of earnest prayer.

(1 Thessalonians 5:17)

- 5. I will regularly attend and urge all members of my class to attend church and mid-week services, recognizing that the church and Children's Ministries are important components of my spiritual growth and development.
- 6. I will teach according to the Bible and in keeping with the doctrines of our church. (Acts 20:27)
- 7. I will be diligent to contact those students who are absent for an extended time and strive to visit the home of each student at least once a year. (Matthew 18:12)
- 8. I will heartily support the Children's Ministries program, attending teachers' meetings and special events and participating in training classes.

 (II Timothy 2:15)
- 9. I understand that my appointment as a volunteer is contingent upon whether or not I fulfill the aspects of this covenant. (1 Corinthians 3:9)
- 10. I will cheerfully abide by the decisions of Woodstream Church and the Children's Ministries Department, cooperating with my fellow volunteers in bringing our work to the highest possible degree of efficiency as one of the teaching agencies of the church. (Matthew 28:19, 20; John 15:16)

Signature Date