**DELIGHT FOUNDATION AFRICA**

**VOLUNTEER APPLICATION**

Hello! Thank you for your interest in volunteering for the Delight Foundation Africa. We have a longstanding tradition of welcoming volunteers into our home, and we look forward to introducing new volunteers to our family.

Please read each question carefully and provide as much detail as possible, where applicable. You may complete this application in Microsoft Word; otherwise, please use print letters.

INTRODUCATION

In volunteering, you freely come out to support a particular program or activity at Delight foundation Africa. Our volunteer program is non segregative what so ever, be it age, party, race among others.

We warmly welcome with open arms any person with a sense of compassion, humor and the love to spend time with the children. The volunteer can be individual, couple or family with teenage children.

You should be healthy for travel and able to tolerate average living conditions and amenities

We welcome any person with a focus or skill even without experience.

Volunteer opportunities can be organized at community, school or corporate group level.

Here are some of the fields in which you can volunteer to help the orphans and under privileged children.

Volunteers can offer care, assistance, love and comfort to the hopeless orphans and vulnerable children. You can give them the attention which they yearn for, love and affection and teach them new things like languages, games, computer etc.

Delight foundation Africa welcomes volunteers with musical talents and would like to share them with the needy children. Help the vulnerable children by teaching them music. It brings comfort and joy in their lives. It also improves their talent.

Volunteers with Art and craft skills and would like to share them with the children at the foundation are welcome. It will improve on the quality of products and also give new skills to the children.

Creative recycling, a social enterprise project involves collection of used plastic materials and transforming them into brand new matter such as fashionable bags.

Volunteers with information technology and design skills,photography, business or social sciences are all welcomed.

You are also free to volunteer in the practical self-reliance skills like catering, farming, carpentry, hair dressing, art works, and barbers among others. Help transform the vulnerable children into job maker citizens.

Anyone interested in supporting community outreach and policing is highly welcomed at Delight foundation Africa. Share with us your skills in community sensitization about gender based violence and creation of awareness about HIV/AIDS and its negative impacts.

The organization calls upon volunteers with nursing skills and willing to share them to reach out to the vulnerable children at the foundation. Join us and help in our clinic help treat the needy children and poor mothers from serious diseases like malaria, equip them with the knowledge of prevention and cure. This will help them live a healthier life.

You can also volunteer in entrepreneurship capacity building, sports, teaching languages etc. you are welcome.

**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

First name:

Last name:

Gender:

Birth date (dd/mm/yy):

**HOME ADDRESS**

Number/Street: City:

State:

Postal code:

Country:

**PASSPORT INFORMATION**

Nationality:

Date issued (dd/mm/yy):

Passport number:

Passport expiration:

**YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION**

Email address:

Home phone number:

Mobile phone number:

Local Uganda number: (if applicable)

When you would like to come to Delight Foundation Africa:

**EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION**

Full name:

Relationship:

Email address:

Phone number:

**HEALTH**

Do you have any allergies? (Y/N)

If yes, please specify:

Do you have any special dietary requirements? (Y/N)

Vegetarian? (Y/N)

Vegan? (Y/N)

Other:

Do you smoke? (Y/N)

Do you have any medical or health conditions that may affect your participation in the program? If so, please enter below:

Please list any medications that you are currently taking and any incidences that could occur while you are volunteering for DFA:

**GETTING TO KNOW YOU**

1. How did you hear about Delight Foundation Africa, and how did you come to decide that you would like to volunteer here?

2. What experience, if any, do you have that makes you well suited to volunteer for our organization?

3. Have you ever spent an extended period in another country? If so, what was the purpose of your trip—travel, semester abroad, conference/seminar, volunteering, etc.?

4. Are you affiliated with any other organization(s)? If so, please list them:

5. Please describe your academic background, as well as your professional experience (if applicable):

6. What are your main reasons for wanting to volunteer for DFA?

7. What hobbies do you most enjoy?

8. What do you believe will be the biggest challenges you will encounter while volunteering for Delight Foundation Africa? How do you plan to manage these challenges?

9. Do you have any creative talents that you plan to teach the children? If so, please describe in detail:

10. Please select the areas in which you believe you will be most helpful to DFA—please circle/list all that apply:

Music lessons Dance lessons Art lessons

Fundraising/Event planning Advertising/Promotion General administration

Acrobatics/Gymnastics General maintenance General child activities

11. Please list the top three areas for which you would like to volunteer at the Foundation:

12. Please select the skills that are most applicable to you:

Working with children/youth Proficiency with computers Working with the disabled Sports Working with girls/young women Administrative skills Marketing/fundraising skills Manual skills (please specify):

13. Please check the computer applications you are most comfortable with (if applicable):

Word Photoshop Excel GarageBand PowerPoint

Other (please specify):

14. Please feel free to provide any additional information that you would like us to know when considering you for a volunteer opportunity at Foundation:

Thank you for taking the time to fill out this application. We greatly appreciate your interest in joining DELIGHT FOUNDATION AFRICA family.

Signature of applicant:

Date (dd/mm/yy):

**Please email completed application to the following addresses:**

info@elightfoundationafrica.org

**NOTE: Please bring your own laptop, and if you or your family and friends have laptops or phones they no longer need, please consider bringing them with you and donating them to DELIGHT FOUNDATION AFRICA—we always need them.**