

# Bliss Summit Bible Camp

## BaTL Student Application 2018



### Personal Questionnaire

1. Name (please print): \_\_\_\_\_
2. Sex:  Male  Female
3. Date of birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ (This program is for those who will be 14-15 years old this summer)
4. Full Address: \_\_\_\_\_
5. Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Can we text you at this number?  Yes  No
6. Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_
7. T-Shirt Size:  Small  Medium  Large  X-Large  XX-Large  Other: \_\_\_\_\_
8. Church you attend: \_\_\_\_\_
9. Pastor's name: \_\_\_\_\_
10. On a separate piece of paper (or the back of this one), please include the following:
  - Please list the ways you have helped other people this last year and describe what you learned from these experiences.
  - Please let us know what you hope to get out of your time with us this summer.
11. Returning students, please also include the following:
  - Please describe the things you learned last year that you have seen impact your life.
  - Please describe the things you learned last year that it has been hard to put into practice in your life.
12. Weeks you can commit to (For maximum impact of this program it is highly recommended the student attends for the entire program, a discount will also be given for being a camper during teen week if they commit to all the weeks):  
  
\_\_\_\_\_ June 28-July 3    \_\_\_\_\_ July 5-6    \_\_\_\_\_ July 15-20    \_\_\_\_\_ July 22-27    \_\_\_\_\_ July 29-Aug 3

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Upon acceptance, you will work with our staff and your peers to learn and develop your personal servant leadership skills. You will have to work with others with different backgrounds, personalities, strengths, and weaknesses to accomplish daily tasks (chores), team-building exercises and to begin to learn to use your God-given talents to serve others around you. You will also learn leadership qualities that will be useful in everyday life.

You will also be asked to partner with your local church or ministry in prayer as well as financially and remain in close communication with them before, during, and after the program as it is designed to be a learning and growing experience.

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## Spiritual Questionnaire

13. If you have, how and when did you come to accept Jesus Christ as the master of your life? Be specific:

Use a separate sheet if necessary

14. How has God been working in your life this last year?

Use a separate sheet if necessary

15. How would you describe the group of teens you hang out with? Why do you hang out with this particular group?

Use a separate sheet if necessary

16. What would you say your spiritual gift is and why: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Administration

Thank you for your interest in the teen leadership program BaTL at Bliss Summit Bible Camp. We look forward to a summer of self discovery, new friendships, and a lot of fun.

**Applications are due June 1, 2018.** Please send completed application to:

Bliss Summit Bible Camp  
6113 Horton Rd  
Bliss, NY 14024  
Director@BlissSummit.com

Bliss Summit Bible Camp is a ministry of:

BCM International, Inc.  
201 Granite Run Dr.  
Suite 260  
Lancaster PA 17601  
www.BCMIntl.org

If you have any questions please contact:

Bliss Summit Bible Camp 585.322.9975  
Director@BlissSummit.com

You will find a reference form included with this application. Please ask someone in a position of spiritual authority (Pastor, Youth Pastor, Ministry Leader) to fill it out and mail it back. If there is no one in your life in such authority, please ask a teacher or mentor who knows you well. Please give your references an envelope addressed to the camp with a stamp already on it. **It is important that they send their reference directly to the camp.**

For those who participate for the full 5 weeks the cost for any teen week program will be only \$50.

### Disclaimer and Acknowledgements

I have read and fully understand all questions requested in this application. I certify that all answers given by me are accurate and complete. I understand that the completion and/or execution of this application does not ensure me a spot, nor does it obligate me or Bliss Summit Bible Camp/BCM International (the organization) in any way. I fully understand that the omission and/or misrepresentation of facts requested may be cause for immediate dismissal without prior notice.

I authorize the organization to contact the reference listed and I release each person from liability for providing this information. I understand that information concerning my reference will be treated in a confidential manner and only those individuals with a legitimate need to know will have access to this information.

If accepted for the Be a Teen Leader (BaTL) program, I agree to contact my church about partnering with me this summer through prayer, continued education, ministry opportunities, and minimal financial assistance.

If accepted I further agree to enter into all aspects of the program (chores, activities, discussions, games, etc.) whole heartedly and responsibly.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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**BLISS SUMMIT BIBLE CAMP**  
**BaTL PROGRAM REFERENCE FORM**

Would you please fill out this reference form to the best of your understanding and return to:

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Bliss, NY 14024



Name of applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Information about the BaTL Program is on the back of this paper (or attached if it was printed off)

My relationship to the applicant is (Please circle one): Pastor | Youth Pastor | Teacher | Mentor

How well do you know the applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

How involved is he/she in his/her local church: \_\_\_\_\_

Is he/she a responsible person: \_\_\_\_\_

How would you rate his/her ability to handle difficult situations and/or people: \_\_\_\_\_

What are his/her strengths? \_\_\_\_\_

What is something he/she could improve their skills on? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any other comments you would like to add about the applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Print name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Can we text you at this number?  Yes  No

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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## **Information about the BaTL Program for references**

If you printed this application please give this sheet to your reference so that they can have a better understanding of what you would like to do this summer.

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In addition, we are asking the student's church to partner with them this summer. The total cost of the program is \$180. We encourage their church family to partnership with them financially for the summer and help with some of the program's cost. It will also include close communication between the student and the church before, some during, and after camp.

Our goal is that the relationship built between the church/ministry leaders over the summer will help the student be recognized as an active contributor to the various ministries of the church and help them find a place to use their individual gifts to serve where they will have the greatest impact for the kingdom of God.

We also hope to connect those students who do not currently attend a church to a Bible-believing church in their area to help them to continue growing in the things they learned throughout the summer.

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