

10. What do you consider to be the applicant's main reason for wanting to undertake a course at Cliff College?

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**CHILDREN'S AND YOUTH MINISTRY
COURSES: CLIFF COLLEGE
REQUEST FOR A REFERENCE**

for applicant (Name)

(Course).....

11. Please give any other information or advice that could be of help to us in carrying out our responsibilities to the applicant, including whether or not you recommend acceptance.

The above named has applied to undertake a part-time undergraduate course in Children's and Youth Ministry at Cliff College and has nominated you as a referee.

Our two diploma courses (Children's Evangelism and Nurture & Youth Mission and Ministry) and the BA (Hons) (Children's and Youth Ministry) course are all two year part-time courses combining reflection on practical experience and intensive learning in a disciplined Christian community. Students are required to take one of the two diplomas before progressing onto the BA (Hons).

Accepted students become part of a learning community at Cliff College which offers a range of courses in Biblical and Evangelistic Ministry from Gap year experiences to PhD research (see www.cliffcollege.ac.uk for more details).

Courses are open to men and women over eighteen years of age from any Christian denomination and from all parts of the world. Commitment, character and stability are regarded as priorities so far as entrance qualifications are concerned, along with motivation and aptitude for learning which may not necessarily be reflected in past academic achievement.

I would be grateful if you could help us to form an opinion of the applicant's suitability for the course by answering the questions on this form. Whatever you may say will naturally be treated as confidential.

To save further postage, we hope you will accept in advance our thanks for your valued co-operation in this matter.

Yours sincerely



Signed: _____ Date: _____

Name: _____ Tel No: _____

Please print

In case we need to contact you

Revd Dr Chris Blake

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Name of Applicant _____

1. How long have you known the applicant and in what capacity?
2. Would you judge the applicant to be a convinced Christian and a loyal member of his/her church?
3. If so, is this shown in consistent conduct, a reliable, balanced and maturing character, and regular participation in the activities of the church?
4. Could the applicant be relied upon to be a thoroughly responsible member of a community, particularly with regard to relationships with either sex?
5. Do you think the applicant would cope with the level of academic study required for a Diploma (Year 2 of a degree) / BA (Hons) (Year 3) course?
6. Has the applicant shown any signs of nervous trouble or of emotional mental or temperamental instability?
7. What would you regard as the applicant's strongest points?
8. What would you regard as the applicant's weakest points?
9. Bearing in mind the nature of these courses in relation to work with children and young people, can you please comment on any concerns you have in this area.