

LITERACY COUNCIL OF SOUTH SIMCOE VOLUNTEER APPLICATION FORM

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Contact Information	Date:
Name:	Home Phone:
Address:	Work Phone Cell Phone Fax: Email:
City:	
Postal Code	
Please Indicate where you prefer we contact you:	
Home	Work
Circle the areas you are interested in volunteering for:	
Tutor	Board Member
Fundraising	Office Help
What is your level of education	
How did you find out about us	
Please describe your occupation or area of work experience	
What are your hobbies or interests?	
Availability: We ask our volunteers to commit to a minimum of two hours per week for at least 12 months. Please circle when you would be available:	
Morning	Afternoon
	Evenings

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Please answer the following two questions in your own words. Write a short summary in 4 or 5 sentences. We take both the information and the clarity of expression into account in assessing your suitability to become a literacy tutor.

1. Please explain why you are interested in becoming a literacy tutor

2. The International Adult Literacy Survey (2003) indicates that 48% of Canadians are challenged with literacy issues that prevent them from getting and keeping a job or returning to school. This data has not changed over 5 years since the previous survey conducted in 1999. What, in your opinion, are some of the factors that have caused this situation?

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Would you Submit to a police check?	Yes	No
We will be calling your references prior to you starting your volunteer position We will be asking your references about your ability to handle a position of trust Please provide a personal and professional reference (if applicable)		
1. _____	Phone: _____	
2. _____	Phone: _____	
Release for Reference Checks _____ give permission to the Literacy (Name) Council of South Simcoe to contact the references that I have provided, regarding my application to volunteer with LCSS _____ (signature) _____ (date)		
All of the information that I have provided regarding my application form is correct. _____ (signature) _____ (date)		