



TEACHER OR SUBSTITUTE TEACHER APPLICATION

Name _____ Last 4 of SSN _____
 First Middle Initial Last

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Position you are applying for: _____

Are you applying for: Part-time Full-time Substitute

Date Available to Start: _____ Starting Salary Expected: \$ _____

Are you a U.S. citizen? Yes No If not, Visa type: _____ Date: _____

Are you currently employed? Yes No

How did you hear about this employment opportunity? _____

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

High School _____ Date Graduated _____ City/State _____

Name/Address of College Attended	Dates Attended From To	Date of Graduation	Degrees Earned*	Major	Minor	Hours Earned

*If no degree was earned, state number of semester hours completed.

How many hours of Bible have you had? _____

Have you had a course in Christian philosophy of teaching? _____

Have you received Biblical Worldview Training? _____



TEACHER CERTIFICATION

Type of certificate _____ Expiration Date _____

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

List below your complete record of teaching experience to date. Please include student teaching. Start with the most current position.

Dates Inclusive	Name of School	Location	Chief Subjects Taught	Annual Salary

May we contact the employers listed above? Yes No

If not, which ones do you NOT want us to contact: _____

REFERENCES

- Spiritual - A spiritual leader who knows you well:
Name _____ Phone _____ Years Known _____
- Pastoral - A pastor of the church you are now attending who knows you well:
Name _____ Phone _____ Years Known _____
- Professional - Someone who has supervised your work, preferably education:
Name _____ Phone _____ Years Known _____
- Friend - A person who has known you for a number of years (not a relative):
Name _____ Phone _____ Years Known _____



1. TALENTS, EXPERIENCES, AND VOLUNTEER WORK

- a. List any special talents, abilities, or interests.

- b. List experiences working with children other than classroom teaching.

- c. List volunteer work in your local church and extracurricular activities.

2. PERSONAL TESTIMONY

- a. Briefly explain how you came to know Jesus as your Lord and Savior.

- b. Describe the activities you regularly incorporate to grow as a follower of Jesus.

- c. Describe the role of the Holy Spirit in your life.



3. PERSONAL PHILOSOPHY OF EDUCATION

- a. Why did you become a teacher?

- b. What makes someone an effective teacher?

- c. What are some ways in which you can assess student learning in your classroom?

- d. What does effective classroom management include?

4. PERSONAL PHILOSOPHY OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

- a. Why do you want to work in a Christian school?

- b. How can biblical integration be achieved in your grade level or content area?



PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS FOR TEACHERS

1. Teachers shall have a minimum of a Bachelor of Arts or a Bachelor of Science Degree from an approved college or university.
2. Teachers shall have a valid certificate from the State of Nebraska for the specific grade level or major subject fields.

ENDORSEMENT OF LIFEGATE CHURCH AND LIFEGATE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

1. Do you believe the Bible to be the inspired and infallible Word of God, our final authority in all matters of faith, conduct and truth?

Yes No

2. I understand that Lifegate Christian School desires to reveal God and His truth to the students and encourage them in or toward a personal relationship with Jesus Christ. I wisely recognize that it is not my responsibility to get a "decision for Christ" from every child in my classroom. Rather, by consistent example and life they should be drawn to a genuine interest in Him.

Yes No

3. I will sustain the school in promoting an interdenominational spirit and I am willing to work with members of other denominations.

Yes No



SPIRITUAL QUALIFICATIONS FOR EMPLOYMENT

1. To have accepted Jesus as personal Lord and Savior and maintains a regular and contributing involvement in a church having doctrine which is in agreement with Lifegate Church.

How long have you been a Christian? _____

Are you currently attending Lifegate Church? Yes No

If yes, how long: _____ Campus: _____

If not, what church are you currently attending? _____

2. To share the vision and believe in Lifegate Church’s Core Values, which can be found on the website www.discoverlifegate.com. To invest in and honor the Life Code and by working alongside each other in accordance with the guidelines it expresses. Our attitude toward work as stated in Colossians 3:23-24 (TLB), “Work hard and cheerfully at all you do, just as though you were working for the Lord and not merely for your masters. Remembering that it is the Lord Christ who is going to pay you, giving you your full portion of all He owns. He is the one you are really working for.”

Are you in agreement with Lifegate Church’s Core Values? Yes No

In making this application for employment with Lifegate Christian School, I affirm that all information is true and complete and I grant permission for Lifegate to contact all references and make inquiries regarding my character, personal attributes and general reputation. I understand that any misrepresentation in this application will be sufficient cause for rejection of this application or my dismissal after employment. I understand, authorize, and agree that Lifegate may conduct national and criminal background checks and state sex offender searches.

Applicant Signature

Date

For HR Use Only	
Interview Date: _____	2 nd Interview Date: _____
Offer Date: _____	Acceptance Date: _____