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Southern Asia Bible College

Raising Generations of Leaders

Dear Applicant,

We are pleased to know of your desire to study at Southern Asia Bible College. Our vision is to see God glorified in Southern Asia through the transforming ministry of anointed and equipped servant-leaders. We are committed to help you as you consider applying to SABC.

Please read the entire prospectus carefully and follow all the instructions before filling the application. See that the following are included along with your completed application form.

- Copies of all your academic certificates including all your mark sheets. **Without these your application will not be processed.** Do not attach any original certificates. These are to be produced at the time of registration for verification.
- If you have studied in any theological seminary or Bible College, request them to send your transcript directly to the Director of Admissions, Southern Asia Bible College. Your application will be incomplete if we do not receive your transcript.
- The Medical Certificate of Physical Fitness in the prescribed form along with copies of medical records. Please note: Non-disclosure of history of past illnesses and medications shall be considered as a breach of trust and will lead to cancellation of admission.
- A detailed Personal Testimony **in your own words**. This must not exceed two pages (500 words) and should include the following aspects – conversion experience, call to ministry, previous ministry experience, encouragement you have received from family members and friends for ministry and how you feel SABC would help fulfill your call.
- Two recent passport size photographs, one pasted to the application form, and the other clipped to the form.
- The Reference Forms, duly filled and signed by the persons you mentioned in your application, sealed in the envelopes provided for the purpose. These must not be from parents, family members or other close relatives.
- The Finance Sponsorship & Scholarship Form duly filled and signed with the official seal of the sponsoring individual or organization. If you are being supported by your parents, please have them sign the form. Please enclose a detailed description of your financial plan for your studies at SABC.
- A demand draft towards the non-refundable application processing fee of Rs. 200/- drawn in favour of Southern Asia Bible College, payable at Bengaluru.
- A self-addressed post card.

Fully completed application forms will be processed and reviewed by the Admissions Committee. Eligibility for admission is determined through careful evaluation of all the application materials. Incomplete applications or applications without supportive documents will not be processed for admission.

The Last date for receiving completed applications is January 31. Applications will be received with late fee of Rs. 200/- until February 28. The final deadline for receiving applications with a late fee of Rs. 500/- is March 15. You may expect to hear from us by April 15 about the decision of the Admissions Committee. If you do not receive any information by then, you may please contact us.

Please be assured that we will do our best to assist you in the whole process. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us by email at admissions@cgld.org or by phone at +91 809507 1555

We wish you God's guidance as you seek His will for your life.

Mrs. Parvati T. Paul

DIRECTOR OF ADMISSIONS.



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Date received _____

ID #

Application fee paid _____

Admission Status _____

Remarks _____

Scholarship _____

Application for Admission

Please mark ✓ the programme for which admission is sought:

- Master of Divinity
- Master of Divinity (upgrade)
- Master of Arts – Inter-Cultural Studies
- Master of Arts – Christian Ministry
- Diploma in Christian Ministry

Attach a
Recent
Passport
Size
Photograph

A. Personal Information: (Type or Print Carefully)

Name

First name

Middle name

Last name

Date of Birth:

Gender:

Male

Female

Address for communication:

Pincode

Country

Mobile

Permanent address: If different from the above

Pincode

Country

Mobile



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B. Family Information:

Check one: Single Married

If married, Maiden name _____ Spouse's name: _____

Occupation of the Spouse: _____

Children (if any) Names and ages: _____

Father/Guardian

Mother

Name: _____

Name: _____

Occupation: _____

Occupation: _____

Address: _____

Address: _____

City _____ State _____

City _____ State _____

PIN _____ Country _____

PIN _____ Country _____

Phone (_____) _____

Phone (_____) _____

Email: _____

Email: _____

Brothers and sisters:

Name	Age	Occupation	Has attended SABC <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Nationality _____ Mother Tongue: _____

Languages that you Speak _____ Read _____ Write _____

C. Mandatory Disclosures:

Are you undergoing treatment or under medication for any illness? Yes No

If yes, specify: _____

Are you now or have you ever been treated for substance abuse/addiction? Yes No

If yes, please explain on a separate sheet of paper.

Have you ever been under mental or emotional healthcare? Yes No If yes, please explain on separate sheet of paper what has been the resolution of the care and what on-going care is in process.



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D. Academic Information:

List high school, colleges and universities in the order in which you attended. It is the applicant's responsibility to have all transcripts sent to the Admissions Office at SABC.

Programme	Name and Place of the College/Institution	Medium of Instruction	Year of completion	Class/Division and aggregate %
Schooling				
PUC/PDC/HSC				
Graduation				
Post-Graduation				
Any Other				

E. Enrolment Information:

Are you currently enrolled in any other institution? Yes No If yes, where? _____

Have you ever been denied admission to/ been dismissed from / been on disciplinary probation at any college / institution / seminary? Yes No If yes, please explain in detail in a separate sheet of paper.

Are you applying to any other college for admission? Yes No If yes, specify. _____
If admitted, what are your housing plans?

Single Students

- Stay at the Hostel as a single student
- Make my own arrangements off campus and commute to the campus.

Married Students

Will you require family quarters on the campus? Yes No

If a family quarter is not available on campus, what would be your alternative plans?

- Stay at the Hostel as a single student
- Make my own arrangements off campus and commute to the campus.

F. Christian Experience and Church Affiliation

Have you received Jesus Christ as Lord and Saviour? Yes No If yes, when? _____

Have you received believers' baptism? Yes No If yes, when? _____

Have you received the baptism in the Holy Spirit (Acts 2:4)? Yes No. If yes, when?

Which church do you presently attend or serve?

Name of the Church and City: _____ Denomination: _____

Name of the pastor: _____ Are you a member of this church? Yes No

What is your denominational affiliation? _____

Do you hold ministerial credentials with the Assemblies of God? Yes No

If yes, give details _____ District _____



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Do you hold ministerial credentials with a denomination other than the Assemblies of God? Yes No

If yes, give details _____ Denomination _____

What is your present occupation? _____

Have you served in any ministerial capacity in the church or any Christian organisation? Yes No

If so, explain. _____

G. Financial Information

Please go through the prospectus carefully and answer the following questions.

How do you plan to finance your education at SABC? _____

Are you being supported by any Church, Organization or Sponsoring Agency? Yes No

If yes, give details. _____

Briefly explain your financial situation _____

Have you filled and submitted the financial sponsorship form? Yes No

H. References

Please indicate the names and addresses of a Christian Leader and an academic reference person who will provide references on your behalf. These must not include parents, family members or any other close relatives. Please have these persons complete the reference forms and return them to you in sealed envelopes provided to you, include them along with the application form you send to Southern Asia Bible College.

Pastor's Recommendation Name: _____

Address: | Street | Town/City | State |

| Pincode | Phone | Email |

General Reference 1 Name: _____

Address: | Street | Town/City | State |

| Pincode | Phone | Email |

General Reference 2 Name: _____

Address: | Street | Town/City | State |

| Pincode | Phone | Email |



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Declaration

I solemnly declare that all the above information is accurate and true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that any false and misleading information given above may lead to disqualification for admission or summary dismissal and that acceptance to SABC is subject to review and verification of all final records from all institutions I have attended.

If admitted,

- I shall attempt to maintain high academic standards.
- I agree to abide by the Community Life Standards, observe all policies and regulations of SABC and maintain a high standard of Christian conduct both on and off campus. I shall endeavour to balance my spiritual, personal, family, and social life with my academic life in order to faithfully fulfil my responsibilities in all areas of my life.
- I shall accept and abide by the decisions of the administration of SABC, and understand that I may undergo discipline, including the possible termination of my study at SABC, if my behaviour, character or doctrine is contrary to the spirit and emphasis of SABC.

Date: _____

Signature: _____

Checklist:

Kindly check if you have all the necessary documents included with your application:

- Application Form duly filled
- Copies of all Academic Certificates / Transcript
- Application Processing Fee of Rs. 200.00 enclosed as Demand Draft drawn in favour of **Southern Asia Bible College**, payable at Bangalore.
- A detailed personal testimony (This should include your conversion, call for ministry, previous ministry experience, encouragement you have received from family members and friends for ministry and how you feel SABC would help to fulfil your call.)
- Pastor's Recommendation filled and signed by the pastor of the church you are currently attending.
- General References 1 and 2 filled by someone who is not related to you.
- Finance and Sponsorship Form duly filled and signed by your sponsor / parent.
- Medical Certificate of Physical Fitness duly filled by a Registered Medical Practitioner

Please return the application along with all the above enclosures to:

Southern Asia Bible College
Admissions Office
Kothanur P.O. Bangalore 560077 INDIA

Phone: +91 809507 1555

Email: admissions@cglld.org



Pastor's Recommendation

To the Applicant

Please complete the following information and forward this form to your Pastor for completion. This form should be completed by the leader and sealed in the envelope provided and sent along with the application form.

Name of Applicant _____

Program Applied to _____

To the Pastor

The above individual is applying for admission to **Southern Asia Bible College**. Admission eligibility is dependent upon a careful evaluation of the Pastor's Recommendation. As a ministry training institution, we see ourselves as an extension of the mission and work of the local church, preparing leaders and workers to serve in significant ways in the church and missions. Consequently, we rely heavily on you, the Pastor, to help us distinguish between those students who are spiritually, socially, and emotionally mature enough to find success here, and those who are not. Therefore, we value your comments very highly and request you to complete this form carefully. This document will be kept confidential. Thank you for your assistance.

1. How long have you known the applicant? _____ In what capacity? _____
2. How long has the applicant been a member of your church? _____
3. Is the applicant related to you? Yes No If yes, in what relationship? _____
4. Does the applicant have any health problems? Yes No If yes, please explain briefly? _____

5. How would you rate the applicant in the following areas: (Please mark with ✓ in the appropriate column)

	Excellent	Above Average	Average	Below Average	Not observed
Christian Commitment					
Spiritual Maturity					
Christian Character/Testimony					
Attitude to authority					
Ability to study in English					
Sense of Responsibility					
Willingness to learn					
Ability to work with others					
Integrity/Honesty					
Willingness to help others					
Leadership ability					
Relationship with the Family					



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6. How would you rate the applicant's financial ability to support himself/herself at SABC?

Able to support himself/herself	Would need some help	Unable to pay	In real need of help
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7. If the applicant needs financial help or is unable to pay fees, how and to what extent will your church be able to help?

Take full responsibility	Raise support	Help partially	Not be able to help at all
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8. Please comment on any positive or negative characteristics you have observed in the life of the applicant (personal, social, family, etc.)

9. In your opinion, what areas of the applicant's life would need special attention here at SABC?

10. Would you like us to call you to discuss this student? Yes No

11. **Recommendation:** I strongly recommend I recommend with reservation I do not recommend

Please print the information below about yourself:

Name _____

Name of the church _____ Denomination _____

Position _____

Address:

Street	Town/City	State
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Pincode	Phone	Email
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Signature _____

Date _____



General Reference 1

To the Applicant

This form is to be completed by one of the two people whose names you have given as references in your application form. Please print your name neatly and forward this form to the person. The completed form should be sealed in the envelope provided and sent along with the application form.

Name of Applicant _____

Program Applied to _____

To the Referee

The person named above is applying for admission to **Southern Asia Bible College**. Admission eligibility is dependent upon a careful evaluation of your recommendation. We highly value your honest and accurate remarks and estimations. All information given will be treated as strictly confidential. Please complete this form and return it to the applicant, sealed in the envelope provided. Thank you for your assistance.

1. How long have you known the applicant? _____
2. Is the applicant related to you? Yes No. If yes, in what relationship? _____
3. Does the applicant have any health problems? Yes No. If yes, please explain briefly. _____

4. To what extent is the applicant engaged in Christian Ministry activities? (Please mark with ✓ along the scale below.)

Enthusiastic	Co-operative	Seldom participates	Attends irregularly
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5. What is the applicant's spiritual influence on his/her peers? (Please mark with ✓ in the appropriate column)

Evangelistic	Positive	Neutral	Negative
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Sense of Responsibility					
Willingness to learn					
Ability to work with others					
Leadership ability					
Relationship with the family					



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7. How would you rate the applicant's financial ability to support himself/herself at SABC?

Able to support himself/herself

Would need some help

Unable to pay

In real need of help

8. Please comment on any positive or negative characteristics you may have observed in the life of the applicant. (personal, social, family, etc.)

9. In your opinion, what areas of the applicant's life would need special attention here at SABC?

10. Would you like us to call you to discuss this student? Yes No

11. **Recommendation:** I strongly recommend I recommend with reservation I do not recommend

Please print the information below about yourself:

Name _____

Position _____

Address:

Street	Town/City	State
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Pincode	Phone	Email
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Signature _____

Date _____



General Reference 2

To the Applicant

This form is to be completed by one of the two people whose names you have given as references in your application form. Please print your name neatly and forward this form to the person. The completed form should be sealed in the envelope provided and sent along with the application form.

Name of Applicant _____

Program Applied to _____

To the Referee

The person named above is applying for admission to **Southern Asia Bible College**. Admission eligibility is dependent upon a careful evaluation of your recommendation. We highly value your honest and accurate remarks and estimations. All information given will be treated as strictly confidential. Please complete this form and return it to the applicant, sealed in the envelope provided. Thank you for your assistance.

1. How long have you known the applicant? _____
2. Is the applicant related to you? Yes No. If yes, in what relationship? _____
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10. Would you like us to call you to discuss this student? Yes No

11. **Recommendation:** I strongly recommend I recommend with reservation I do not recommend

Please print the information below about yourself:

Name _____

Position _____

Address:

Street	Town/City	State
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Pincode	Phone	Email
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Signature _____

Date _____



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Finance Sponsorship and Scholarship Form

Sponsorship Information:

Name of the Applicant: _____

Are you sponsored by a church/organization/sponsoring agency? Yes No

If yes, please state the name of the sponsoring body _____

If no, please state who will be responsible for paying your fees _____

Name and address of the Sponsoring Organization / Individual: _____

Address:

Street	Town/City	State
Pincode	Phone	Email

Sponsorship Statement

Kindly treat the statement of sponsorship serious. The college holds you responsible to fulfil the financial commitment.

STUDENT'S COMMITMENT

I understand that I am responsible for paying the sum of Rs. _____ this year towards my fees at SABC.

I expect to pay the same through the following sources of income.

Family:	Rs.	_____
Sponsor:	Rs.	_____
Others	Rs.	_____ (specify) _____
TOTAL:	Rs.	_____

Signature: _____

Date: _____



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SPONSOR'S/PARENT'S COMMITMENT

I hereby solemnly undertake to pay the sum of Rs. _____ per year towards the financial support of Mr./Ms. _____ for one / two / three year(s) upon his/her admission to Southern Asia Bible College.

Official Seal of the
Sponsoring organization

Signature: _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

DECLARATION:

I hereby solemnly declare that all the information given above is true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that any information found to be inaccurate will lead to penal action including summary dismissal from the college. I also assure that if I am provided any financial aid or work-scholarship, I will gladly fulfil all the necessary work requirements to the complete satisfaction of my supervisor. I also promise that if there is any change of situation in my financial status, I will inform the college at the earliest.

Name _____

Signature _____

Date _____



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Medical Certificate of Physical Fitness

Name _____ Age _____

HISTORY OF ANY PREVIOUS ILLNESS / MEDICATION

Jaundice _____

Tuberculosis _____

Congenital troubles _____

Rheumatic heart _____

Epilepsy _____

Respiratory problems _____

GENERAL PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

ENT Examination _____

Eye _____

Cardio-vascular system _____

Respiratory system _____

Abdominal examination _____

Central nervous system _____

LABORATORY EXAMINATION

BLOOD - Hb, TC, PC, ESR _____

VDRL _____ RBS _____ Group _____

Hbs Ag _____

STOOL - Occult blood _____

Ova/Cyst _____

URINE - Micro _____

SUMMARY OF ABOVE EXAMINATIONS AND FITNESS REPORT

I do hereby certify that, to the best of my knowledge the above candidate is physically fit to an intensive programme of study.

Date _____

(Doctor's signature and Reg.No.)

Address _____
