

Application and Reference Forms for French Immersion in Biblical Studies Program



We are very pleased to know that you are planning to study at Parole de Vie.

Please, indicate the year for which you are applying.

- September 20 _____
 January 20 _____

- Include :
1. Two recent photos, these can be sent by e-mail to: admission@paroledevie.ca
 2. A copy of the transcript of your grades for the last year of school completed.
 3. A cheque for \$80 for your application fee.
 4. The redaction, see page 5, section VI.
 5. French Evaluation Exam completed according to the test instructions.

Send to: **Registrar**
Parole de Vie
1175, ch. Thomas-Woodward,
Sherbrooke, QC, J1M 0B4

Give each reference form to the appropriate person, together with a stamped envelope addressed to the Registrar (see address above).

I. GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Name: _____
Last name First name

2. Present address: _____
Civic Number Street

_____ City Province/State Country Postal Code

Tel.: _____ Cell.: _____

E-mail: _____ Fb Profile: www.facebook.com/ _____

3. Date of birth: _____ / _____ / _____ Native language: _____
DD MM YY

4. Gender M F Citizenship: _____

5. Place of birth: _____

6. Languages spoken: French English Other: _____

7. Civil status: Single Engaged Married Widowed Divorced Separated

II. PERSONAL INFORMATION

1. Father's name: _____ Occupation: _____

Address: _____
Civic Number Street

City Province/ State Country Postal Code

Tel.: _____ Cell: _____

2. Mother's maiden name: _____ Occupation: _____

Check here if she has the same address and go to question 3.

Address: _____
Civic Number Street

City Province/ State Country Postal Code

Tel.: _____ Cell.: _____

3. Your parents are: Married Separated Divorced
 Mother deceased Father deceased

4. If you don't live with your parents, who is your legal guardian: _____

Address: _____
Civic Number Street

City Province/ State Country Postal Code

Tel.: _____ Cell.: _____

III. EDUCATION

1. Circle the number of years completed: 1 2 3 4 5 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 5 +
High School College/Trade University

2. High School: _____ City: _____ Prov.: _____

Date of graduation: _____ _____ _____
DD MM YY

3. Have you ever been expelled from school? Yes No

If so, please explain the reason for expulsion:

4. Do you have any learning disabilities? Yes No

If so, please explain: _____

IV. HEALTH FORM

1. How would you describe the state of your health? Excellent Good Below average

Do you suffer from a health condition that requires special care? Yes No

If so, please explain: _____

2. Do you take medication regularly? Yes No

If so, what medication and for what reason? _____

3. Do you have any physical limitations that may keep you from fully participating in the program?

Yes No

If so, explain: _____

4. Have you ever received professional care or counseling for mental or emotional problems?

Yes No

If so, explain: _____

6. Have you ever ceased studies or work for a period of 2 months or more because of health reasons?

Yes No

If so, explain: _____

7. Have you ever used non-prescription drugs, including marijuana? Yes No

If so, explain: _____

8. Have you ever had problems with alcohol abuse? Yes No

If so, explain: _____

9. Have you ever used tobacco products? Yes No

If so, indicate the date when you quit: _____

10. Do you have any food allergies? Yes No

If so, explain: _____

Important: Students with food allergies requiring a specific diet might be billed extra for food. The cost will depend on the student's needs.

11. Do you have other allergies that we should be aware of? (ex. dust, mite, cats allergies, etc.)

- Yes No

If so, explain:

12. When was your last tetanus vaccination?

The vaccination must be valid for the duration of the program. Please provide proof of the vaccination date (ex. Photocopy of your vaccination booklet.)

13. Other: Please mention any other health problems not already covered by the previous questions.

If you've had any changes in your health condition please advise the Dean of men or the Dean of women when you arrive at PdV.

IV. CHRISTIAN EXPERIENCE

Please, complete the following information about the local church you attend:

1. Name of the church:

Address:

Civic Number Street

City

Province/State

Country

Postal Code

Tel.:

Denomination:

Pastor or elder's name:

V. LEVEL OF FRENCH.

How would describe your level of French?

- 1. Education: _____
- 2. Experience: _____
- 3. Fluency: _____

VI. BIOGRAPHY

On a separate sheet of paper write a paragraph or more on each of the following items and include with your application (min. 150 words)

- 1. The approximate date of your conversion, how you came to know Jesus as your Savior and your Christian experience.
- 2. Your family background.
- 3. Describe briefly your involvement in your local church.
- 4. How do you hope to benefit from your time at Parole de Vie.

VII. PERSONAL COMMITMENT

It is very important that you read the Statement of faith and the Code of conduct; page 7 and 8 (for you to keep) of this application form.

COMMITMENT

I have read the Code of conduct and the Statement of faith of Parole de Vie.
If I am accepted as a student, I promise to respect them as well as all other principles and rules of the school during my studies, whether I am on the campus or elsewhere.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

IMPORTANT

We cannot accept a student who has not signed this commitment.

WHAT WE BELIEVE

1. We believe that the scriptures of the Old and New Testament are verbally inspired of God and they are without error in the original writings, and they are the supreme and final authority for faith and life.
2. We believe in one God, Creator and Sustainer of the universe, Who is eternally existent in three persons - Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
3. We believe in the Deity of Jesus Christ, His virgin birth, His sinless life, His death to pay the penalty for everyone's sins, His bodily resurrection, His exaltation at God's right hand, and His personal, imminent, pretribulational and pre-millennial return.
4. We believe that all men have sinned and are, therefore, guilty before God and are under His condemnation.
5. We believe that all who by faith receive Jesus Christ are then born again of the Holy Spirit, therefore children of God and eternally saved, and that the Holy Spirit dwells within every believer to enlighten, guide, and enable the believer in life, testimony, and service. We believe that God answers the prayers of His people and meets their needs according to His purpose.
6. We believe that God gives spiritual gifts to all believers for the building up of the body of Christ. However, the miraculous sign-gifts of the Spirit, such as tongues and healings, were limited to the early church.
7. We believe in the bodily resurrection of the just and unjust, the everlasting blessedness of the saved in Glory and the everlasting conscious punishment of the lost in Hell.
8. We believe all believers are called into a life of separation from all worldly and sinful practices and alliances.
9. We believe that from the beginning with Adam and Eve, God ordained marriage as only between a man and a woman. All sexual activity outside of marriage, including homosexual practices, is in direct contradiction to God's Word and His institution of the home.

A Statement on the Historicity of Genesis: Word of Life Bible Institute is committed to the historical and factual accuracy of the book of Genesis. Therefore, we teach a recent creation of the entire universe and all forms of life in the six 24-hour days of Creation Week. We believe that Adam and Eve were the first man and woman; that all of mankind has descended from them and has inherited a sin nature from their fall into sin, resulting in a cursed creation. We believe in a personal Satan who led some of the Angels to rebel, enticed Eve to eat the forbidden fruit and continues to oppose God's program for human history. We believe in a worldwide flood, which explains the disappearance of certain species recorded in the fossil record; the subsequent development of mankind from Noah; and the creation of language groups and nations from God's intervention at the Tower of Babel. We believe that Satan's attempt to overthrow God is doomed to fail and that the Lake of Fire has been prepared as a place of eternal conscious punishment for him, his demons and all humans who reject Christ.

CODE OF CONDUCT

Since Parole de Vie is a Christian organization, we desire to follow specific Biblical principles that relate to Christian behavior within our school. Those who participate in our ministry become a community rather than a group of autonomous individuals. For the benefit of the community and in order to meet our objectives, we must respect common rules and regulations. This sometimes requires an adjustment or a voluntary renouncing of certain personal preferences in order to facilitate unity around our philosophy and goals.

The following rules and regulations affect our lives together. We invite you to respect them and live according to them with us.

1. Parole de Vie expects that its students will have a Christian comportment. For us, that includes, among other things, the following elements which are often neglected:
 - a) **Cultivating** goodness, gentleness, modesty, self control in the spiritual disciplines and submission to authorities. (Gal. 5:22-25; Rom. 13:1; Eph. 5:22, 6:1-3);
 - b) Demonstrating Christian love, consideration for the rights of others, honesty as well as a high ethical standard as taught in the Word of God. (Eph. 4:24-5.9);
 - c) Prohibiting practices that are clearly prohibited in the Word of God, for example: gossip murmurings, anger, greediness, lust, slander, drunkenness, dishonesty, sexual immorality, and dating and marriage with unbelievers. (Rom. 13:8-14; 1 Cor. 7; 2 Cor. 6:14-18);
 - d) Actively supporting a local evangelical church through service, offerings and the observance of the Lord's Day. (Heb. 10:25; Eph. 4:7-16);
 - e) Exercising discernment and self control in the choice of entertainment through all media, including but not limited to radio, television, video et audio cassettes, CDs, and DVDs, the internet, commercial theatre and literature in all its forms. (1 Cor. 6:12, 8.9, 10:23);
 - f) Abstaining from things in which our world has lost all control such as the possession and consumption of alcoholic beverages, tobacco, narcotics and hallucinogenic drugs including marijuana and also social dancing. Abstention from membership in secret societies that require oaths is also expected. (Prov. 20:1; Rom. 1:32; 1 John 2:16-17; Eph. 5:5-14; Heb. 12:1-2; Phil. 4:8-9; Col. 3:17).
2. Parole de Vie recognizes the principles of Christian liberty within the sphere of those things that are intrinsically innocent. However, Parole de Vie also recognizes that liberty needs to be restricted in certain instances. Scriptural precedent for this is found in Acts 15 and Romans 14 where certain practices inherently innocent were forbidden because they could do spiritual harm to other members of the Christian community.
3. Parole de Vie rejects the theory that says that to expose oneself to or experiment with questionable elements or practices of "life" is essential to moral development or to intellectual discernment.
4. Parole de Vie recognizes that observance of these regulations does not comprise the whole of one's responsibility to God and hence, does not necessarily indicate that one is living a life of full commitment. The philosophy of Word of Life, however, maintains that one's willingness to obey these biblical principles shows a maturity and spiritual concern for the whole Christian community (for example, Galatians 5:13-24).
5. Parole de Vie is committed to live by and maintain the code of conduct at the Bible Institute and in all of its activities. The conduct of our students is very important. Therefore, all that which is offensive to good taste and to Christian morality will be dealt with by the administration of the school in consultation, if necessary, with the student's parents and local church.