

# APPLICATION

BROWN MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

YOUTH INITIATIVE PROGRAM

## Brown Youth Initiative

*Developing Servant Leaders*



2020

**Brown Baptist Church**  
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Brown Missionary Baptist Church exists to *Exalt Our Savior* through inspiring and informative worship, to *Edify the Saints* through biblical teaching, to *Evangelize the Sinners* through faithful witness, and to *Exhibit Godliness* through a positive presence in our community. The Brown Youth Initiative Program is committed to the values of our mission. The goal of the Brown Youth Initiative is to give students ages 15 – 20 an opportunity to develop job skills while enhancing their education and community relations. The program is funded by Brown Baptist Church, Payroll is electronically processed through the ACTS Career Center on a bi-weekly basis.

## Brown Youth Initiative Participation Guidelines

**BYI Application Deadline: April 15, 2020**

**Applications are considered for approval on a first come first serve basis.**

**. Once the determined quota of approved applications are reached, remaining applicants will be placed on reserve standby status. Incomplete or late applications will not be considered**

**Participants must meet the following criteria for eligibility**

- **Please check-off and return this page with your application**
- **Completed applications must be submitted to ACTS Career Center by April 15, 2020**
  - Participant must be between 15 and 20 years of age at application deadline date.
  - Must submit two letters of recommendation from adult. Participant must be in good academic standing (High School or College) with a 2.0 cum GPA or higher / Must enclose a copy of your report card or transcript. Tutoring assistance is available: Email an inquiry to: [education@brownbaptist.org](mailto:education@brownbaptist.org)
  - A minimum of 4 hours of Volunteer Service must be completed and turned in with your application. Volunteer opportunities are available through the following ministries: Brown Youth Initiative Planning Team. Brown Baptist Volunteer Ministry ([volunteer@brownbaptist.org](mailto:volunteer@brownbaptist.org)), GROW Ministry. BMBC Farm Project, ACTS Career Center, INC , Computer Class Assistance. Contacts ACTS 662.796.2287
  - Applicant must include a one page resume with the application. If resume writing assistance is needed, Google “high school resume” or “teen resume) contact ACTS Career Center at 662.796.2287 or visit our website [actscareercenter.org](http://actscareercenter.org)
  - Participant must have an active bank account.
  - Participant must not exceed 120 work hours within program dates June 1 through June 29 2019 at \$8.50 per hour.
  - Participant is encouraged to not have other employment during specified program dates.
  - Return BYI application to Acts Career Center or email to: [byi@brownbaptist.org](mailto:byi@brownbaptist.org)  
\* Incomplete applications will not be considered for participation. If selected, an acceptance letter will be provided. Attendance is **mandatory** to one of the BYI Orientations in 2020. A parent or guardian must attend with first time participants. Employment assignments will not be issued to participants with incomplete forms, pending payroll or banking documentation.

Signature of Youth Applicant, I agree and understand the requirements as stated:

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Date Completed \_\_\_\_\_

### PERSONAL INFORMATION

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	M.I.	PHONE #
DATE OF BIRTH      Age	STUDENT STATUS: <input type="checkbox"/> FRESHMAN <input type="checkbox"/> SOPHOMORE <input type="checkbox"/> JUNIOR <input type="checkbox"/> SENIOR		
EMAIL ADDRESS:	<input type="checkbox"/> GRADUATION DATE:  MAJOR		

#### HOME ADDRESS

### PARENT SECTION

STREET			PARENTS NAME :		
CITY			ADDRESS:		
STATE	ZIP	CITY	STATE	ZIP	
HOME PHONE# (    )    -	PARENT CELL# (    )    -	PARENTS EMAIL ADDRESS			

**FOR PARENTS: Does the applicant require special accommodations, have special needs or disabilities?**

**Please describe:**

### EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION

ARE YOU A U.S. CITIZEN?  <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	ARE YOU A MEMBER OF BMBC?  <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	HAVE YOU PREVIOUSLY WORKED FOR THE BYI PROGRAM?  <input type="checkbox"/> YES      IF YES HOW MANY YEARS _____ <input type="checkbox"/> NO
IF YES, PLEASE LIST THE NAME OF THE BYI PARTNERING COMPANY AND SUPERVISOR.  DESCRIBE WHAT YOU LEARNED AND YOUR DUTIES THERE		WOULD YOU LIKE TO RETURN THERE IN 2020?    YES      NO

## SPECIAL JOB SKILLS

SKILL	PLEASE DESCRIBE
<input type="checkbox"/> TYPING	
<input type="checkbox"/> COMPUTING	
<input type="checkbox"/> LANGUAGES	
<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER	

WHAT ARE YOUR LONG TERM CAREER GOALS?

PLEASE LIST ALL ZIP CODES THAT YOU WILL BE ABLE TO REPORT WORK TO

WHAT TYPE OF WORK WOULD YOU LIKE TO DO THIS SUMMER?

### **AGRICULTURE PROJECT :**

DO YOU ENJOY BEING OUTDOORS \_\_\_\_\_ DO YOU HAVE OUTDOOR ALLERGIES? \_\_\_\_\_

WOULD YOU LIKE TO LEARN HOW TO OPERATE A BUSINESS OR OWN YOUR OWN BUSINESS? \_\_\_\_\_

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN AGRICULTURE, COOKING, HEALTHY EATING OR GROWING VEGETABLES, FLOWERS OR FRUIT?

\_\_\_\_\_

WOULD YOU LIKE TO LEARN MORE ABOUT REDUCING HUNGER AND FOOD DISPARITY? \_\_\_\_\_

WOULD YOU LIKE TO LEARN MORE ABOUT GROWING VEGETABLES & HEALTHY EATING? \_\_\_\_\_

**WORK RELATED EXPERIENCE / VOLUNTEER WORK/EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

EMPLOYER NAME AND ADDRESS	JOB TITLE AND RESPONSIBILITIES	DATES EMPLOYED
		FROM:
		TO:
		AVERAGE NUMBER OF HOURS WORKED PER WEEK:
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**PLEASE SIGN BELOW**

SIGNATURE

DATE

**Brown Missionary Baptist Church  
Youth Initiative Program  
Adult Character Reference Form II**

Cannot be a family member.

i.e. School administration or teachers, Ministry leaders, etc.

<b>This section is to be completed by applicant:</b>	
Name:	Telephone:
Address:	

*The above named applicant is applying for admission to the Brown Missionary Baptist Church Youth Initiative Program and has named you as a reference. After completing this form, please return to applicant immediately:*

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

1. How many years have you known the applicant? \_\_\_\_\_

In what relationship? \_\_\_\_\_

2. Rank the applicant in the following areas:

	Above Average	Average	Below Average	Not Observed
Communication Skills	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Decision Making Ability	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Leadership Ability	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Dependability	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

3. Do you:  Recommend  Recommend with Reservation  Not Recommend

4. Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

If you would like to discuss this applicant please email us at [byi@brownbaptist.org](mailto:byi@brownbaptist.org)

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\_\_\_\_\_  
*Reference's Signature*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*

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Decision Making Ability	o	o	o	o
Leadership Ability	o	o	o	o
Dependability	o	o	o	o

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\_\_\_\_\_  
*Reference's Signature*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*

**BYI  
Volunteer  
Certification form  
must be signed by an  
authorized  
representative.**

**BYI Participant:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Volunteer Site/Event:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Volunteer Hours:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Volunteer Service Dates:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Participant's Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Ministry/Agency  
Signature and Printed  
Name :**

**Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**\* All BYI participants are required to volunteer 4 hours. Cannot be combined with other ministry hours.**

**PLEASE SUBMIT COMPLETED FORM WITH BYI APPLICATION**



# STEVEN D MORGAN

## SCHOLARSHIP GUIDELINES

### QUALIFICATIONS:

- Applicant must have a current completed Brown Youth Initiative application on file and have met all requirements
- Applicant must remain in BYI throughout the duration of the program and remain in good standings

### RULES:

- Entry may be hand-delivered or emailed to [BYI@brownbaptist.org](mailto:BYI@brownbaptist.org) with subject line **STEPHEN D MORGAN SCHOLARSHIP ENTRY**
- Entry must be at least one paragraph in length, but no more than one page
- Only one (1) entry per applicant per program year
- Entry must be submitted no later than 11:59 pm on April 15, 2020
- Entry must be typed in Times Roman pt. 12 format and double-spaced.
- Entry must include the applicant's full name, email address and contact telephone number in the upper right corner.
- There will be no acceptance of the scholarship application after the deadline. NO EXCEPTION

### MERITS:

The winner will be judged on the following equal parts:

**TOPIC:** Describe a time in detail when you contributed to someone's well-being either, financially, emotionally, physically or spiritually.

**Self-Awareness-** Did the applicant demonstrate a strong wiliness to contribute to their fellow man? Did the applicant provide information of how their effort contributed to the betterment of the issue at hand?

**Strength of Purpose** – Did the applicant demonstrate courage and persistence?

*Scholarship amount will be determined based on the amount received for this purpose. The winner of the scholarship will be held secretly and announced at the 2020 BYI Luncheon. The scholarship amount for one (1) winner will not exceed \$250.00.*