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**Missions Training School**  
 At Potter's Field Ranch  
 APPLICATION

**Instructions for Application**

You will need to complete and provide the following:

- Signed and Dated Application
- \$35 Non-Refundable Application Fee (*payable to: Potter's Field Ranch*)
- 2X2 Passport Photo
- 3 Sealed References (*one pastoral*)
- Medical Liability Waiver
- Copy of High School Diploma (*or equivalent*)

**Mail Completed Application to:**

**Potter's Field Ministries**  
 Attn: MTS Admissions  
 P.O. Box 68  
 Olney, MT 59927

**Note: Please mail all items in one envelope.**

This Missions Training School (MTS) is a six-month program beginning with four months of training at Potter's Field Ranch located in northwestern Montana. This training will prepare the student for a two-month practicum in the mission field. The field practicum will place candidates in real life cross-cultural environments. To teach the principles of survival in the field, this program has at the center of its core values to produce a person that will be a blessing to his peers in the field as he or she impacts their cultural environment with the Gospel of Jesus Christ. The tuition, room and board for the Missions Training School is \$500.00 per month in advance, along with a onetime \$150.00 registration fee. Please contact Potter's Field Ministries for further details; dates and prices are subject to change. Travel, personal and medical expenses are not included.

**Applicant Information**

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_ Middle \_\_\_\_\_  
 Permanent Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
 Home Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Marital Status / # of children \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation / Trade \_\_\_\_\_  
 Are you a US citizen or permanent resident? For permanent residents, fill in you're A# \_\_\_\_\_  
 Do you have a passport? \_\_\_\_\_ Passport # \_\_\_\_\_  
 If not, are you able to obtain? \_\_\_\_\_

**Education**

<u>Institution Name</u>	<u>Dates of Attendance</u>	<u>Date Graduated</u>	<u>Degree Earned</u>

**Church Information**

Name of Home Church \_\_\_\_\_ Pastor \_\_\_\_\_  
 Church Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
 Church Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Website \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_  
 How long have you been attending? \_\_\_\_\_ How many times per week? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Are you currently serving at your church? \_\_\_\_\_ Who is your overseer? \_\_\_\_\_  
 What ministries are you involved with? \_\_\_\_\_

**Personal Evaluation**

Are you willing to submit to the authority of pastors and staff during your time in the Missions Training School? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been arrested or had any legal problems? If yes, please explain on a separate sheet of paper. \_\_\_\_\_

Will you be able to maintain any debt or other financial obligations if enrolled in this program? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any physical or psychological limitations that may affect your ability to complete the program? If yes, please explain on a separate sheet of paper. \_\_\_\_\_

If you are currently taking prescription medication please explain on a separate sheet of paper detailing type and dosage. \_\_\_\_\_

How did you find out about the Missions Training School? \_\_\_\_\_

Why do you seek acceptance to the Missions Training School? Use a separate sheet of paper if necessary \_\_\_\_\_

List at least two of your strengths. \_\_\_\_\_

List at least two of your weaknesses. \_\_\_\_\_

In what area of your spiritual walk do you most want to improve or grow and what are your personal goals for the Missions Training School? Use a separate sheet of paper if necessary. \_\_\_\_\_

What specific areas of missions (such as worship, evangelism, teaching, administration) interest you? \_\_\_\_\_

**Christian Testimony** (Type on a separate sheet of paper.)

1. How long have you been saved?
2. What is salvation?
3. Please describe your testimony including approximate dates. (Please limit to 2 pages.)

**Life and Ministry** (Type on a separate sheet of paper.)

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|--|---|
| 1. What do you believe God’s calling is on your life?          | 4. What are your talents (things you are naturally good at)?                |
| 2. What spiritual gifts have you seen God use in your life?    | 5. What are your hobbies?   |
| 3. What are your skills (carpentry, computer, business, etc.)? | 6. List 3 Christian books that have impacted your life and the reasons why. |

**Statement of Faith** (Amos 3:3 – “Can two walk together, unless they are agreed?”)

Please type a brief statement of your beliefs about the topics below. This is **not** a test of your Bible knowledge.

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|----------------|-------------------------------|
| 1. Salvation   | 4. Deity of Christ            |
| 2. Baptism     | 5. The Inerrancy of Scripture |
| 3. The Trinity |                               |

By signing below, I acknowledge that my application for admissions to the Potter’s Field Ranch Missions Training School is true and complete to my best knowledge, and I understand that all information contained herein will be held in strict confidence.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE: After receiving your complete application, we will schedule a phone interview prior to your acceptance into the program.**



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**Missions Training School**  
*Pastoral/Spiritual Reference*

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How long have you known applicant? \_\_\_\_\_ How long has applicant attended your fellowship? \_\_\_\_\_

What ministries has he/she been involved with? \_\_\_\_\_

What spiritual gifts do you see in this person? \_\_\_\_\_

Would you recommend him/her for the Missions Training School at Potter's Field Ranch? \_\_\_\_\_

Please evaluate applicant in the following areas: **1** - needs improvement and **5** - excellent.

Spiritual Maturity:	1	2	3	4	5	(circle one)
Biblical Knowledge:	1	2	3	4	5	
Ministry Mindset:	1	2	3	4	5	
Submission To Authority:	1	2	3	4	5	
Reliability:	1	2	3	4	5	
Adaptability:	1	2	3	4	5	

Please state any other information that would assist us in reviewing this applicant. Use an additional sheet of paper if necessary.

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Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to Applicant \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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**Missions Training School**  
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*Skills Assessment*

**Skills**

Please identify any skills listed that you have and rate your proficiency (with **1** being a novice and **5** an expert):

**Skilled Trades**

Carpentry:	1	2	3	4	5	(circle one)
Landscaping/Grounds keeping:	1	2	3	4	5	
Electrical:	1	2	3	4	5	
Plumbing:	1	2	3	4	5	
Agriculture/Livestock Management:	1	2	3	4	5	
Masonry:	1	2	3	4	5	

**Administrative Skills**

Accounting/Bookkeeping:	1	2	3	4	5	(circle one)
Office Software (e.g. MS Word, Excel, etc.):	1	2	3	4	5	
Written/verbal skills (e.g. newsletter, phone, etc.):	1	2	3	4	5	
IT/Computer Networking:	1	2	3	4	5	
Website/Graphic design:	1	2	3	4	5	
Data Entry:	1	2	3	4	5	

***Please list any additional skills or experience that you possess:***

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*Commitment Agreement*

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The Missions Training School at Potter’s Field Ranch is committed to providing a program that will give you the opportunity to gain practical ministry experience and personal discipleship. That is why we reserve the right to send a person home that might not truly be here for that reason. By signing below, I acknowledge that at any point during the program, I could be asked to leave the Missions Training School for conduct deemed inconsistent with that of a follower of Jesus Christ, including knowingly providing false or misleading information on my application or during my interview. I also acknowledge that I am able and committed to completing the six-month program, including two months in the mission field in a foreign country.

Applicant’s Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

*Potter’s Field Ministries admits interns/guests of any race, color, national/ethnic origin and gender to all the rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to students/guests at Potter’s Field Ranch. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national/ethnic origin, gender or disability in administration of its ministerial service, educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship and loan programs or any School or Ranch administered programs.*