



2012 APPLICATION FORM

Welcome to the Melbourne Life's Discipleship Ministry School! We are excited that you are considering joining us in February 2012.

The Discipleship Ministry School is designed to not merely be a school of head knowledge, but also a place of allowing the Holy Spirit to translate practical truths and principles into heart transformation and immediate application.

We are thrilled that you have a desire to go deeper in your walk with God, learning how to be more effective as both a Christian and a disciple of Jesus.

School Dates: 17/2/2012—10/3/2012

Weekend Outline for 4 weekends

Fridays: 7:00pm—9:30pm
Supper provided

Saturdays: 9:00am—7:00pm
Morning Tea & Afternoon Tea provided

(Attendance at all DMS sessions is required in order to graduate)

SCHOOL BRIEF

DMS is *never* to be considered as an alternative to attending church. Every student is expected to attend their normal church service and become actively involved within the life of the church.

STUDENT EXPECTATIONS AND REQUIREMENTS

- Students must attend all weekends to be eligible to graduate.
- Students will be expected to be rostered onto kitchen, set-up or pack-down teams for all DMS events.
- Students will still be expected to attend their regular church service. DMS should not replace regular church attendance.
- Active participation in a cell group is a pre-requisite for DMS enrolment.
- Payment of school fees are due by the ***start of DMS***. Individual payment plans can be arranged with DMS facilitators and will be in writing.
- An entrance interview with school pastors may be required.

Location of Classes: MLCC Church Office: 160-162 Pakington St, Kew, VIC 3101.



Please indicate the course DMS 1 DMS 2 Year Completed DMS 1

1. Personal Information

First Name

Surname

Address

Suburb Postcode

Home phone Mobile Number Date of Birth

Email Address Male Female

2. Spiritual Information

How long have you been a Christian? Years

Have you been baptised in water? Yes No

Have you been baptised in water with the evidence of speaking in tongues? Yes No

Why do you want to do Discipleship Ministry School _____

Is Melbourne Life Christian Church your Home Church? Yes No Kew West

Whose home group do you attend? _____

Are you willing to attend the **full** length of the school? Yes No

3. Gifting

Every DMS student will be on a roster for set up, pack up or hospitality. However there are additional areas of service. If you are interested in being involved in any of the areas below please tick the appropriate boxes.

Administration

Hospitality

Set Up

Singing

Music

What instrument(s) do you play? _____

Other areas: _____

4. From Another Church

Please complete this section if Melbourne Life is **not** your home church.

Which church do you attend? _____

Who is your pastor/leader? _____

How often do you attend this church? _____

Church Phone: _____ Church/Pastor's Mobile: _____

Can we contact your pastor / leader regarding this application? Yes No

Are you involved in the life of your church? Yes No

If yes, please specify how? _____

5. Financial Information

We believe that as part of discipleship it is important to believe God for finances. We would not like to see anyone miss out due to financial difficulties. If finances are a problem please speak to one of our pastors.

The fee for this Discipleship Ministry School is as follows:

Standard Registration \$120.00 *per person*

(Must be paid before 17th February 2012)

Please indicate how you intend to pay your fees? *Early Bird* *Standard registration* *Payment Option*

Office Use Only

Deposit \$

Paid ____ / ____ / ____

Balance \$

Paid ____ / ____ / ____

Individual Payment Plans

Frequency of Payment _____

Amount per Payment
\$

Anticipated full payment to be made by ____ / ____ / ____

Name: _____ Signature: _____

6. Release of Liability

I/We hereby release and hold harmless Melbourne Life Christian Church Inc., its agents, employees, and volunteer assistants from any liability whatsoever arising out of any injury, damage or loss, which may be sustained by me/us during my/our attendance at, or involvement with, activities/meetings and in the course of involvement with Melbourne Life Christian Church Inc.

Signature: _____ Date: ____/____/____

Signature: _____ Date: ____/____/____

If applicant is under 18 years of age, parent/ guardian must sign and the name and relationship of that parent/guardian is required.

Guardian Name _____ Relationship: _____

7. Consent for Treatment

In the event of medical treatment being required while on or at any DMS event, I/we hereby consent to any required treatment, anesthetics and operations, which in the opinion of the attending paramedic/physician is deemed necessary on

(Applicants Full Name) _____

Are there any allergies we need to be aware of? Yes No If yes, please describe _____

Do you have Ambulance cover up until April 2012? Yes No

Signature: _____

If applicant is under 18 years of age, parent/ guardian must sign. Name and relationship of parent/guardian is also required.

Guardian Name: _____ Relationship: _____

8. Participant Declaration

Student Statement

- I agree to attend all four DMS weekends in full.
- I agree to actively participate in my home group to the best of my ability.
- I agree that it would be beneficial to my spiritual growth to be involved in my local church.
- I agree to abide by the rules and decisions of the appointed leaders of DMS. I understand that my failure to follow directives from such leaders could result in not being able to participate in all activities or suspension/termination from the school.
- I declare that all the information I have given on this application form is true and correct to the best of my understanding. I have not withheld any information that could affect my time at DMS.

Cancellation Policy

It is expected that when students enrol they will continue through the entire school. Tuition fees are non-refundable.

Applicant's signature/s: _____ Date: ____/____/____

9. Parental Guardian Consent

If you are under the age of 18 years, then you are required to have your parent/guardian fill in this section.

I, (*Parent/Guardian Name*) _____ as Parent/Guardian, agree to allow (*Applicant*) _____ to participate in the Discipleship Ministry School, in its entirety, and understand and agree to all of the conditions in the declaration above.

Parent/guardian signature: _____ Date: ____/____/____

10. Cell/Home Group Leader Declaration

Cell/Home Group Leader Statement

- I advise that _____ (the applicant) has been attending my cell/home group for _____ weeks/months/years
- I agree to provide pastoral care and support to the applicant for the duration of the DMS course and beyond.
- I agree to actively involve the applicant in all cell/home group activities.

Cell/Home Group Leader Name: _____

Cell/Home Group Leader signature: _____ Date: ___/___/___

DMS 1 Subjects

Weekend 1: 'Power of the Cross'

The school begins by teaching you how to understand, develop and deepen your relationship with God, in turn helping you to know Him more intimately.

Weekend 2: 'Victory Encounter'

Weekend 2 is about opening your heart and allowing God to go into the deepest areas of your life. Through allowing God to search us we bring His freedom into our lives.

Weekend 3: 'Spiritual Authority'

This weekend will teach you how to be equipped, standing firmly and confidently, knowing as a believer how to effectively use your authority in spiritual warfare.

Weekend 4: 'Spiritual Gifts'

Weekend 4 is about learning to be empowered in the gifts of the Holy Spirit and stepping out in the gift of prophecy.

DMS 2 Subjects

Weekend 1: 'Win & Establish'

The school begins by teaching about the Holy Spirit, His anointing and the gifts He pours out on the church to empower and equip us to win people to God and establish them in the faith.

Weekend 2: 'Establish & Disciple'

Weekend 2 focuses on teaching how to shepherd using skills of Godly counseling to establish people in the faith. This weekend focuses on equipping you to lead a cell group.

Weekend 3: 'Disciple & Send'

After learning about the giftings of the Holy Spirit, weekend 3 will equip you to enact the gifts within you. This weekend will equip you to lead a Discipleship Group as you learn about leadership & discipling, preaching, serving and the power of the Word of God.

Weekend 4: 'Spiritual Gifts'

Deeper teaching on the Spiritual Gifts are included in weekend 4. This weekend also includes a refresher and deepening of the prophetic gifts activated during DMS1.

12. Payment

VISA MASTERCARD (Please Tick)

Credit Card Payments:

_____/_____/_____/_____

Exp: ___/___ Name on Card: _____

Your Signature: _____

Upon completion of this form, please fax back to the Melbourne Life office on 03 9855 1764. You can also lodge the application in person at our church office located at 160-162 Pakington Street, Kew, or at the information desk at any of our church services.

For more information please call 03 9852 8858, or email dms@melbournelife.org.au

**THANK YOU,
WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU AT DMS IN FEBRUARY 2012**