



Ottawa Catholic Parishes CONFIRMATION SPONSOR FORM

Guidelines for Choosing a Sponsor

A sponsor must be at least 16 years of age and not the parent of the candidate. The sponsor can be male/female. If the sponsor is married, their marriage must be recognized by the Catholic Church. Your sponsor should be someone you have a close connection with, admire for their lived faith, and be someone you are comfortable discussing faith with. It is helpful if your sponsor lives close to you. If you choose a sponsor who lives out of the state or country and who cannot be present, the proxy Sponsor must fulfill the same requirements of a true sponsor.

SPONSOR INFORMATION: To be Filled Out by Sponsor

NAME OF Confirmation Student

First Middle Last

NAME OF SPONSOR

First Middle Last

ADDRESS of Sponsor

SPONSOR'S PHONE _____ SPONSOR'S EMAIL _____

SPONSORS PARISH & CITY _____

I am practicing Catholic both in word and deed: []Yes []NO

I am a fully initiated Catholic (I received the Sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist & Confirmation): []YES []NO

I am [] Single []Married []Divorced []Widowed.

If married, were you married in the Catholic Church? []Yes []NO

If you answered "no" to any of the above statements, you may not be able to be a sponsor at this time. We would gladly assist you in moving forward to complete your Sacraments or other issues.

What do you believe are your qualifications to be a sponsor?

What are your hopes for the candidate?

Are you willing to communicate with the candidate at least once a month? []Yes []NO

Can you commit yourself to the faith journey through the candidate's life? []Yes []No

Sponsor's Signature Date