



Volunteer Mentor Application

Please mail this form to: 1028 S.E. Water Avenue Portland OR 97214

If you have any questions regarding this form or volunteering please call (503) 341-6878.
You can also email us at: foy@focusonyouth.org.

Volunteers serve as positive role models and are a valuable component of the Focus on Youth photography project. Qualifications - Basic knowledge of photography, 35 mm or digital camera use, darkroom experience is optional. A desire to share your knowledge and encourage at-risk inner city teens of diverse ethnic and cultural backgrounds.

Volunteer opportunities - One-on-one mentor to a youth on field trips outside of the classroom, generally three or four trips during an eight week session (for approximately two hours each).

Darkroom mentor – Assist youth with developing black& white film, printing black& white photographs.

Exhibits - Helping to mat and/or frame youths' photographs for public exhibits. Assist with preparation for open house and fundraising events, mailings, refreshments.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home phone _____ Work phone _____

Cell _____ Fax _____

e-mail address _____

Brief description of your photography experience _____

I would like to serve as a mentor for Focus On Youth. _____ Yes _____ No

What is the reason you would like to be a mentor? _____

Previous experience as a mentor? _____

I would like to volunteer for special events _____

How did you learn about Focus on Youth? _____

It is my understanding that I will be volunteering as a mentor and joining the class on field trips once a week for three hours provided my work schedule permits, or I may be volunteering to assist with a special event, or volunteering once to share my portfolio of photographs and share my experience.