



**SAFE ENVIRONMENT HOMESCHOOLING TRAINING
VERIFICATION FORM
CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF ARLINGTON**

The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops' *Charter for the Protection of Children and Youth* and the safe environment policies of the Diocese of Arlington require that all children/youth in our schools and religious education programs be given safe-environment training that is age-appropriate and in accord with Catholic moral principles. The Diocese of Arlington provides such training to grade school children in Grades 1-8 curricula entitled, ***Formation in Christian Chastity*** and ***Circle of Grace***. The Diocese also offers three curricula for Grades 9-12 entitled, ***Circle of Grace, Called to Protect for Youth***, or ***Tricked: Inside the World of Teen Sex Trafficking***. Information on the safe-environment programs for children is available on the diocesan webpage at:

<https://www.arlingtondiocese.org/Child-Protection/Youth-Training-Programs/>.

Homeschooling parents that are enrolled with their parish religious education program are required to provide the following verification form that you:

1. Used one of the safe environment programs approved by the Bishop
2. Provided the training in accordance with the lesson plans
3. Completed the training within the dates provided by the parish

Parish: _____ Training date: _____

Child's Printed Name: _____

Child's Grade: _____

Program Used

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| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Formation in Christian Chastity</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Called to Protect for Youth</i> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Circle of Grace</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Tricked: Inside the World of Teen Sex Trafficking</i> |

By signing this verification form, I attest that as the primary educator of my child, I have fulfilled the requirements as stated above and provided the training using one of the approved safe environment training programs approved by the Bishop of Arlington. I also certify that I will provide this form to my parish Director of Religious Education or the established program representative.

Parent/Guardian's Signature

Date

Parent's Printed Name: _____