

**APPLICATION FOR ADULT FORMATION &  
\*TO OBTAIN A BASIC CATECHIST CERTIFICATION**

Directions: Please complete this form in the beginning of the Formation process and return to:  
**Department of Religious Education, Attention Carmen**  
**PO Box 1297**  
**Santa Rosa, CA 95402**

**Formation Center:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Obtaining Certification:** Yes No

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City/Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**E-mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parish/School:** \_\_\_\_\_ **City:** \_\_\_\_\_

(In which the candidate is registered and/or participating)

**Age Level you work with:** \_\_\_\_\_

(Preschool, elementary, junior high, youth ministry, adults, family – a candidate must be an active catechist)

**Educational Background - High School:** \_\_\_\_\_

College: \_\_\_\_\_

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Religious Education/Theology/Background:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Work Experience:** Please list classes you have taught or other programs you have participated in as a presenter/aide/instructor: (Use back of form if necessary)

Description	Date	Place
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\*Please note in order to complete the Certification process the candidate:

- Must be active in their parish.
- Have Completed the Adult & Basic Catechists Formation Series.
- Have an observation/evaluation of a class session by a Master Catechist.
- Submit a letter of recommendation by the Pastor, DRE, CRE or Principal regarding his or her performance as a Catechist, verifying that the candidate is currently active as a Catechist and if working with children/teens has completed the Safety Environment Program.