# Unitarian Universalist Society of Sacramento (UUSS) 2017-18 Religious Education Registration • Please complete one form per family.

Name of Infant, Child, Youth	Nickname	Age	Birth date	Grade in School	School Name

# Parent/Guardian 1 (mandatory)Parent/Guardian 2 (ok)Full nameHome phone #Cell phone #Street addressCity and zipE-mail addressFamily configuration:

Does your child/youth have an IFSP/IEP? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_

<u>Indicate special needs</u> for your child/youth: allergies, dietary restrictions, medication, medical conditions, learning challenges, or other things we need to know to include your child:

# The active involvement of adult volunteers, including family of children and youth, is essential to the success and vitality of our Religious Education (RE) program. How could you participate?

Spirit Play Storyteller or Doorkeeper	Provide lunch for 10-20		
Assist at RE Welcome Table one Sunday per month	Community Service/Special Events volunteer		
Youth Group teaching team or special presentation	Drive/Chaperone Teens for service, project or retreats		
Our Whole Lives (OWL) sex-ed teacher	Summer ArtWorks or (pop-up Sunday school)		
Coming of Age (COA) Teaching volunteer (2018-19)	Financial gift to RE Program		
Room 11/Nursery Substitute volunteer	Other		
All-Church Camp weekend registration & planning			

Thank you! We look forward to having your child (children) and you in our Religious Education program.

FOR MORE INFORMATION: Miranda Massa, Religious Education Coordinator (916-483-9283 x207 or re@uuss.org) Please return this form to: UUSS RE, 2425 Sierra Blvd., Sacramento CA 95825-4896 Visit our website at www.uuss.org/re

## **Religious Education Program Policies**

### (A copy of these policies can also be found in the 2017-18 Religious Education Handbook) UUSS is a busy place on Sundays! In order to provide a safe and enjoyable environment for all members of our community, we ask that everyone observe the following policies:

- All families participating in Religious Education will register all infants, children, and youth in the program. These forms provide us with essential information, help us to keep accurate records, and help us communicate with your family effectively.
- Visiting families will be asked to complete Visitors' Forms for their children and youth for the same reasons. On your third visit a completed registration form will be needed.
- Infants and toddlers should be taken directly to the UUSS Nursery to sign in before service.
- Worship Services begin at 10:30. Families, please arrive at 10:15 to check in and make name tags at the Religious Education Welcome Table inside the lobby. Then proceed to the Sanctuary. After being sung out of the Service, children and youth will accompany their teachers to the classrooms, though they may choose to stay in the service.
- Children and youth must be <u>signed</u> in at the RE Welcome Table by a parent or other accompanying adult prior to class time. Youth in Jr. High & Sr. High classes may check themselves in at the RE Welcome Table prior to class time.
- Unsupervised minors may not roam the campus during Religious Service. Minors (age 17 and under) may attend a Religious Education class or the Worship Service.
- Religious Education classes end about 15 minutes after the end of the Worship Service. In order to allow children and youth to complete their activities without distraction, please do not enter classrooms before classes are dismissed. Feel free to bring the kids back to coffee hour!
- Children and youth are released to their parents or guardians at the end of class. To help ensure safety, please make personal contact with a teacher when you pick up your child.
- In order to provide a safe environment for the youngest children, only children ages 5 and under may play in the Nursery from 10:15 to 12:00, except for special events.
- RE children and youth are asked to be active participants or (if they prefer) respectful observers. Children and youth in RE who are repeatedly disruptive will be asked to join their families in the Worship Service. In case of such challenges RE staff and leaders will work with a family to promote a return to fruitful involvement.
- I/We have read & understand these policies & agree to support them; I/We will also ensure that the children/youth in my/our care are made aware of these policies and observe them. I/We give permission for my/our child(ren) to eat snacks provided by the RE Program & to take supervised walks on UUSS campus.
- \*\*UUSS may display at church or publish (without his or her name) my child(ren)'s photo, artwork, or writing. A representative of UUSS may seek urgent medical care for my child(ren) if I cannot be contacted.
- I/We have completed a 2017-2018 RE Registration form.

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_\_

Name (please print) \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_ Date