

Length of time available : From to

Briefly describe how God has led you to consider joining the **MITE** programme and share with us your personal objectives.

Signature Date of submission

>> Please send the form to **MMS**.
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"I can say I went with little faith and God added and increased my faith. God sees me as someone whom He can use for His glory but I see myself as someone inadequate and unsure. This mission trip enabled me to see how God sees and views me and that is someone who can do exploits for Him if only I walk obediently with Him and trust Him in every situation big or small."

*~Testimony by a short-term missionary to Thailand
December 2003*



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to JOIN

- 1 Fill in the Application Form and send it to Methodist Missions Society.
- 2 MMS will arrange an interview with you to assess your suitability for acceptance into the programme
- 3 You will need to share your intention with your church pastor or missions chairperson or director and get a recommendation letter from them (this can come after the interview)
- 4 If you are below 21 years old, you will also need your parents' consent to join the programme. Ask for a consent form after the interview.
- 5 You will be responsible to raise all expenses needed in this programme.

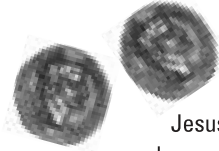


You need to **apply at least three months in advance** of the date of your intended trip.

Upon acceptance, **it is compulsory** for you to attend a few training sessions conducted by MMS, which will include pre-trip briefings, spiritual preparation, missions readings, logistics preparations, etc before you leave for the field.



Journey



The word **"MITE"** may be humble in meaning (dictionary meaning: a small coin or a small amount), but it is at the heart of one of the favourite stories in the Gospels – A poor widow who put in just two **MITES** into the temple offering.

It was noticed by Jesus;
It was praised by Jesus.

Jesus said she had put in more than all the others who put in huge amounts. Simply because she had given all that she had, out of her heart and not out of her wealth.

Luke 21:1-4

Missions Internship Training Exposure

The MMS **Missions Internship Training and Exposure**, or **MITE** in short, programme is designed to send ordinary Christians to the missions fields for a period of between 1 to 3 months.

One may think that a single person may not be able to do much in such a short time, but we have seen that the work of a short-term missionary can be like the Widow's Mite – It may not be a lot and may not amount to much but if we put in all we can, to serve **in humility** and **in faith** we can trust God to approve of our passion and service, and to do great things with it.



As Jesus noticed and praised the widow for her two mites, He will approve and bless those who participate in our **MMS MITE** programme.

Goal

Through **MITE**, MMS wants to enable ordinary Christians to **Serve, Learn** and **Grow** and to experience a taste of missionary work and life. For some, it will be the perfect place to discern God's specific calling on their lives.

We are keen to see God raising many missionaries and long-term missions senders through the **MITE** programme to be part of God's mighty work in the nations.



Opportunities

- 1 You will have direct involvement in a cross-cultural setting for **between 1 to 3 months** (you decide how long you can serve).
- 2 You will grow spiritually, and in practical discipleship through evangelism and various ministries, in servanthood and leadership skills as you assist the missionaries and national workers in the field.
- 3 You will gain experience and insights on what missions entail and discover what your personal involvement should be.

Applicants

- You have all the following:
- ✓ A living relationship with Jesus Christ as Lord.
 - ✓ A committed member of a local church.
 - ✓ Actively sharing your faith with others.

Destinations

MMS has five missions fields which offer different ministries for you to choose from.

Ministry	Cambodia	China	Nepal	Thailand	Vietnam
School – teaching, training teachers/students	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Church – teaching, training, camps, cell groups	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Outreach – teaching English, computer class	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Orphanage/Children's Home, Youth Hostel	✓		✓	✓	✓
Training – life skills, education and medical	✓		✓	✓	✓

Cost

Estimated costs for key items for a month

	Airfare + Tax	Visa	Lodging	Food	Transport
Cambodia	S \$555 + US \$20	US \$20	US \$100	US \$180	US \$50
China	S \$550 + S \$45	Free for 2 weeks	S \$200	S \$300	S \$300
Nepal	S \$730 + S \$26	US \$30	US \$100	US \$180	US \$50
Thailand	S \$465 + S \$23	Free	S \$300	S \$300	S \$150
Vietnam	S \$800 + US \$12	Free for 4 weeks	US \$300	US \$150	US \$60

Note: The above estimates are valid at time of printing. Insurance not included here.

application form

MMS MITE PROGRAMME - Missions Internship Training & Exposure

Name

Marital Status Sex Age

Address

Email Phone/Handphone

Occupation/Profession

Church

When did you accept Jesus Christ into your life?

Are you baptized? Yes / No If yes, when

Theological Studies, if any

Have you been to any missions trips before? (if yes, please specify (when and where))

Country and ministry interest (please specify from MMS list of fields/ministries)

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