



DIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM IN ALABAMA

Office of Religious Education

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### Sponsor Eligibility Form

You have been asked to serve as a sponsor for a candidate preparing to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. In accepting this very important role, you are urged to reflect on the importance of this commitment. Please read over the following requirements, and pray about the responsibilities you will be fulfilling in someone's spiritual life. After reflection, please sign this statement of eligibility.



- **Maturity** - Have I received the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist, and am I sixteen years of age or older?
- **Practice** - Am I a practicing Catholic who follows the precept of the Church to celebrate the Lord's Day by attending Mass on Sundays and other holy days of obligation and who receives holy Eucharist? If married, has my marriage been celebrated/blessed in the Catholic Church? Do I give witness to my faith in Jesus Christ, and strive to live out my commitment to the Gospel message?
- **Accompaniment** - Do I promise to support \_\_\_\_\_ through my prayers, by continued interested in her/her Christian growth, and by the witness and example of my own life of faith?

***By completing the form below, I verify that I fulfill all the above requirements and am prepared to serve as a Confirmation sponsor for my candidate.***

#### To be completed by sponsor

<b>Name</b>			
<b>Address</b>			
<b>Email Address</b>			
<b>Signature</b>		<b>Date</b>	

#### To be completed by sponsor's pastor/parish

<b>Sponsor's Parish Name</b>		<b>City, State</b>	
<b>Attested by Reverend</b>		<b>Date</b>	