

Totus Tuus Missionary Teacher 2026 Role Description

Are you ready for a summer mission where you can live out your faith, grow spiritually, and make an eternal impact? Totus Tuus Missionary Teachers are entrusted with sharing the Gospel of Jesus Christ with youth across the Archdiocese of Denver.

The Role

- Share the joy of the Gospel through skits, games, and authentic witness.
- Serve in a team of four missionaries, fostering prayer, virtue, and strong community.
- Support local parishes with enthusiasm and faithfulness.
- Teach and lead 1st-6th grade children during the day.
- Lead talks, discussions, and activities with 7th-12th grade students in the evenings.

The Impact

- Help youth encounter Christ and grow in love for the Church, Sacraments, & Mary.
- Bring joy and energy to parish communities.
- Grow in your own spiritual and human formation.

Key Job Responsibilities

- Active participation in training beginning May 22, 2026.
- Faithfully present Totus Tuus programming and share the joy of the Gospel with children, teens, families, and parishes.
- Maintain open dialogue with the Missionary Teacher's superiors, amongst their team members and with the parish.
- Act in accordance with Christian virtue when interacting with various parishes, families and individuals that the Missionary Teacher will meet throughout their summer serving with Totus Tuus Denver.
- Promote virtuous, prayerful, and charitable living amongst the team that the Missionary Teacher is serving with.
- Serve respectfully with host parishes.
- Lead daytime sessions for grades 1-6 (Mon-Fri, 9:00am-2:30pm) and evening sessions for grades 7-12 (Sun-Thu, 7:00-9:00pm), including talks, discussions, games, skits, and songs.
- Model Christian virtue, prayerful living, and teamwork while maintaining open communication with teammates, parish staff, and supervisors.
- Use appropriate discipline as trained, handle T-shirt sales & funds responsibly.
- Serve at the Steubenville of the Rockies conference (June 19-21, 2026).

What We're Looking For

- Practicing Catholics with a personal relationship with Jesus and who align with the Church's mission and values.
- Be a fully initiated Catholic in the communion of the Catholic Church and intentionally living out the five precepts of the Church (CCC 2041-2043).
- Living in a manner that does not contradict or bring disgrace to our Catholic beliefs or precepts.
- High School Diploma or equivalent.
- Must be at least 18 years old by May 22, 2026.
- Basic first aid skills and ability to respond to emergencies is a plus.
- Valid drivers' license and insurance if serving as a driver for the team.

Physical Requirements

Missionary Teachers must be able to perform essential duties, including the following:

- Standing and walking for extended periods.
- Participating in recreational and outdoor activities.
- Lifting and carrying equipment up to 45 pounds.
- Tolerating exposure to outdoor weather conditions.
- Reasonable accommodation will be considered for individuals with disabilities.

Program Logistics

- Commitment: Friday, May 22 –Sunday, July 19, 2026
 - Training: May 22 – 30, 2026
 - Steubenville of the Rockies conference: June 19-21, 2026
 - Break: June 22-25, 2026 with optional housing
- Hiring: Interviews held until positions are filled
- Compensation: \$3,000 stipend for 8 weeks, plus housing and most meals

Apply Today

- If you feel called to live on mission this summer, we'd love to meet you!
- Apply through the Totus Tuus National website: <https://totustuus.church/be-missionary> and select CO: Archdiocese of Denver

More information about Totus Tuus Denver may be found at
<https://archden.org/eflm/youth-ministry/totus-tuus/>

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