



Child Protection 2026-2027

Training Requirements for Volunteers

Training Must be Completed by December 1, 2026 or Before You Volunteer.

Required Updates for Returning Volunteers:

Volunteers who attended their initial "C.A.S.E" class prior to August 2026 need to complete the following module on the Praesidium Academy website [Praesidium Academy Log In](#)

- "Maintaining a Culture of Safety in Youth Serving Organizations"

Please note that even though you may have previously completed the "Maintaining a Culture of Safety in Youth Serving Organizations" module, State Law requires that we review it again.

New Volunteer Requirements:

- Attend a C.A.S.E. training class.
- Complete a Background Check (This will be emailed to you within two weeks after you complete your C.A.S.E training class).
 - Once your background check is cleared, you will receive instructions on how to log into your Praesidium Academy account. The website is: [Praesidium Academy Log In](#)
 - Enter your user name and password.
 - Click login.
 - Complete the course titled "Know Your Policies –Archdiocese of Portland"

Please note that your online account can only be created once your background check has cleared. This may take a couple of weeks.

How do I find my login and Password?

Your login is the email that you provided at your C.A.S.E training. When you receive the email to log into your account, it will ask you to create a password.

If you forgot your password, please click "Forgot Password" or email Jessica Walther at jwalther@valleycatholic.org to have your password reset. For any questions, please contact Jessica Walther.

For locations, dates and times of "C. A.S.E." classes, please check the school calendar, contact the school office, your parish or go to [Archdiocesan Training Schedule](#)