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Please complete registration information on other side. Dates and times are subject to change. Registrations are accepted by check or money order. Non-refundable registration fees are due with registration.

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2010 Misericordia University Baseball Academy Registration Form

Does the camper have any medical conditions (allergies, illnesses, injuries): __________________________________________________________________

In case of emergency, notify: __________________________________________________ Relationship of emergency contact: _______________________

Home Phone: ___________________________________________________ Cell Phone: ___________________________________________________

The above named camper has my permission to participate in this clinic program. In case of an emergency, I understand that every attempt will be made to contact the person(s) above. In case of emergency, I authorize the tending physician to render medical treatment to the participant, including (if necessary) hospitalization. Any expenses arising from injury or illness is the responsibility of the person signing below.

Signature: _________________________________________________ Date: ______________________________

A non-refundable full payment made payable to the Misericordia University Baseball Academy must accompany this application. Registration slots are limited for each session. Cash and checks are accepted.

Please complete registration information on other side, detach and return to:

Misericordia University, Baseball Office, 301 Lake Street, Dallas PA 18612
The Misericordia University Baseball Academy is a 5-week program designed to begin preparing players for the spring baseball season. Each player can participate in a hitting clinic, pitching clinic, or both for one hour on five consecutive weekends. The academy is instructed by top collegiate coaches and players in the area and the player to coach ratio is 6:1 or better.

**Hitting Clinic (Grades 1–12)**
The hitting clinic is designed to teach the fundamentals of hitting based on the age and ability level of each player. Younger and less experienced players will learn about proper grip, stance, bat path, and weight transfer among other skills. Older and more experienced players will learn about balance, ways to increase bat speed, and hitting to all fields. The instruction is not lecture based. Each player will participate in a series of drills each week for the hour.

**Bring your own bat.**

**Throwing Clinic (Grades 1–3)**
The throwing clinic is designed to teach young players the proper throwing mechanics. During the clinic, each player will learn proper grip, arm slot, and the correct upper and lower body mechanics of throwing. The instruction is not lecture based. Each player will participate in a series of drills each week for the hour.

**Bring your own glove. Players must provide their own catcher (parent, or another player not involved with the clinic).**

**Pitching Clinic (Grades 4–8)**
The pitching clinic is designed to teach the proper mechanics of pitching. Players will learn about balance, proper arm paths, weight transfer, how to increase velocity, and many other important aspects of pitching. The instruction is not lecture based. Each player will participate in a series of drills each week for the hour.

**Bring your own glove. Players must provide their own catcher (parent, or another player not involved with the clinic).**

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**Academy Format**
The academy runs for five consecutive weekends beginning in January at the Anderson Sports Complex located on the Misericordia University campus in Dallas. Each player must sign up for a one hour slot designated for his/her grade as indicated below. The player must attend that time slot each Sunday, and cannot switch time slots as registration is limited for each slot.

**Fees**
The clinic fee is $95 for the entire 5-week session. A player may sign up for both hitting and pitching/throwing for a rate of $180. There is a 10% discount for multiple family members, players of MU faculty or staff, and alumni.