

Youth Ministries Summer Intern Job Description

First Baptist Church – Downtown Baton Rouge, LA

General Responsibilities: The intern will actively work with the High School, Middle School and Family Ministries at FBC. The general responsibilities for these ministries will include teaching, discipleship, admin, Bible Studies, contact time and events.

Duration and Time Commitment:

- Average 10 - 20hours / week, mid-May through mid-August, paid position.

Purpose:

- Gain valuable youth ministry experience by assisting in outreach and spiritual formation of the Jr High and High School students
- Be mentored by and accountable to church staff.
- Be submerged in the life of the congregation in order to learn about the integration of youth ministry with congregational life.
- Discover the relationship of the youth worker with parents, church and community leaders, and the congregation as a whole.
- Learn about balancing the demands of ministry with personal spiritual development, friendships, and the other responsibilities of life.

Qualifications:

- Have a vibrant and growing relationship with Christ and a passion for ministry to youth.
- Be teachable, humble, and have a servant's heart.
- Be an example to others in Christian character and integrity.
- Be a self-starter as well as a team player.
- Possess gifts for ministry, such as teaching, leadership, compassion, administration, or music.
- Must be at least a sophomore in college, preferably a junior or older.
- Must provide own transportation to/from the church
- Must adhere to our church's Policy for the Protection of Children, Youth, and Adults with Developmental Disabilities, including completing the Safe Gathering online training and passing a background check.

Job Description:

- Fully participate in both Wed night and Sunday morning church activities and other youth/church activities
- Help with Wed night Connection through any/all of the following ways: connect with students during fellowship meal, build relationships with teens during hangout and game time, lead games/activities, help plan and lead our time of worship and teaching, lead a small group of students, help with prep/clean-up of youth area. These responsibilities go from approximately 4:00-7:00 each Wed night.
- Attend Sunday worship and Sunday School, 9:00-12:15 pm.
- Assist in the planning/implementation of most youth events, including retreats, mission trips, etc.
- Meet with Senior Pastor / Staff regularly for mentoring and planning.

- Mentor youth by attending their activities or meeting with them outside of regularly scheduled program time.
- Ask questions, be creative, offer and implement your ideas, seek servant-leadership opportunities, take risks, learn, and see God work through you to make in impact on others.

Salary and benefits available upon request.

Please send resumes to:

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