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ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF STUDENT MINISTRY

Purpose

This position ministers to the youth of our church, and to their families, to encourage them to build authentic relationships with Jesus and other students that will lead to an active life of faith in God, witness to Him, and service to others.

Responsibilities

- Maintain a healthy spiritual and emotional life by daily time with God and striving to live the Gospel of Christ.
- Build relationships with students and their families to nurture a mature, authentic faith in their lives. This may involve personal discipleship, encouragement, exhortation, and holding them accountable for their actions. It will also include walking with students and families through joy, suffering, and celebrations of success.
- Work with the Director of Student Ministry, and other New Hope staff when appropriate, to plan, organize, and implement ministry programs to students approaching Middle School through High School graduation.
- Lead large groups with a fun and welcoming up-front presence, as well as develop and deliver lessons that help students embrace and apply the Gospel.
- Help students identify their giftedness and encourage them to use those gifts for the good of our church and His Kingdom.
- Participate in the organization and undertaking of mid-week and Sunday programs, mission trips, retreats, and special events to help students strengthen and mobilize their faith.
- Other duties as required by supervisor.

Qualifications

- A strong call to work with middle and high school students and communicate the Gospel.
- A fun and outgoing personality tempered by emotional and spiritual maturity.
- A personal faith story that reflects a relationship with Jesus and reliance on scripture. This should be evident in your lifestyle and relationships.
- At least two (2) years' experience in a paid or volunteer position in ministry to youth.
- Flexibility and confidence to engage with students and their families in a variety of settings.
- A team player who welcomes direction, feedback and encouragement towards professional growth
- A Bachelor's Degree is required.
- Commitment to the Core Principles of New Hope Church and to the EPC Essentials.
- Become a member of New Hope Church.
- A valid driver's license is required.
- Ability to lift and carry 40 pounds.
- Must pass a background check.

Category & Compensation

This is a full-time, salaried position with an employee benefit program.

The salary range is \$ 30,000 – 35,000, and the starting salary will be determined based on prior experience and qualifications.

Reporting

This position does not supervise other employees.

The Assistant Director of Student Ministry reports to the Director of Student Ministry. In addition, the position works closely with the Pastors, staff and with lay youth leaders.