

Qualifications:

- Participating Member of Cornerstone Church of Boulder Valley
- Desire and giftedness in leading small groups
- Heart and passion for students

Responsibilities:

- **Lead students and families in the vision and mission of student ministries**
Vision: Students Reaching Students and Families Reaching Families
Mission: Exalting Jesus Christ as Lord of their Lives, Loving One Another in Committed Relationships, Equipping Students to Serve the Lord, and Reach Students with God's Love and Grace.
- Pray weekly for your small group
- Shepherd your students. Build loving and supportive relationships within your group. Provide a listening ear and timely, intentional guidance. Help develop a community that is safe, accepting, growing and fun.
- Contact your students bi-weekly, through phone calls, notes or emails. Special attention should be made to new students, and students who have not attended small group for a few weeks.
- Communicate effectively with your student's families, creating an effective witness relationship with families.
- Spend time with students outside of small group throughout the semester.
- Plan small group service projects, and small group activities
- Challenge students to grow in their faith by developing good spiritual habits.
- Build into your students a heart for the lost, by praying together regularly for their friends, and inviting them to an entry level program.
- Prepare and lead your small group. Groups typically meet every week. Curriculum is provided in advance, to prepare you for the small group time.
- Contribute to the leadership community of Student ministries.
 1. Attend Leader Retreat
 2. Attend Leader Meeting. (Once a month)
 3. Listen to monthly equipping messages on the student ministries webpage.
- If possible participate in and lead your small group through annual ministry events:
 1. Dare 2 Share (November)
 2. Summer Activities (Camp, mission trips)
 3. Family Events (3 times a year)
 4. Other outreaches (3-4 times a year)
 5. Passion 4 Purity-Girls only (April)

Success Defined (Goals):

- A healthy small group environment where students can experience community.
- The Vision: To love, develop and challenge your students to love God and reach their friends.

Commitment: Total 3-5 hours per week

- Weekly time commitment...
 1. Sunday Nights- Middle School; Monday Nights- High School: **2 hours**
 2. Weekly contact work with students and parents: **1 hour**
 3. Attend monthly youth leader meeting and small group preparation. **1 hours**

"So he shepherded them according to the integrity of his heart, and guided them with his skillful hands." Psalm 78:72