



Student Ministry Leadership Team Application

Thank you for taking the time to consider being a part of our student ministry leadership team! To help me understand a little more about you we have this new improved application for you to fill out (yay).

To be on the leadership team, first you need to fill out this application and get it in to me. Once that is done, we'll schedule a time to meet and discuss what's on here, who you are, why you want to be on the team, etc.

There is also a covenant at the end of this application. This is what we look for and expect from someone on the leadership team. Please print out two copies of it, sign them both and turn one in with this application (the other you keep, letting you know what being on the leadership team entails.)

We also meet one Thursday of every month in the youth room at 6:45. Dinner is provided (if there's something you're craving, ask, but it usually ends up being Taco Bell.) We spend the first few minutes eating and discussing the leadership book we are going through at the time (yes, there is reading to do at home.) Then we discuss Fire & Water events, our role in them, what needs to be done, and so on.

Also, there are certain events that the leadership team is entirely in charge of. This means doing work outside of Sunday night and working together to have the best possible event. There are also times where the leadership team runs a Sunday night, all aspects including the teaching time and small group. Although you may not speak, your input is necessary for these events.

Please prayerfully consider what this entails. As a leader you will be asked to live up to a higher standard in the student ministry. More will be expected of you in your involvement, in helping out, even in the way you live your life. This is not a club to meet once a month and have fun. This is ministering to people in a leadership position and giving out best to Fire & Water Ministries so we can reach out to people and help them grow in their relationship with Jesus Christ.

Thanks for doing this, and as soon as I get it from you, we'll arrange to talk! See you soon.

Troy

Who Are You?

Name _____

Email _____

(I do most of my contact with the leadership team through email. Please make sure it is up to date and check it often.)

Phone Number _____

School & Grade _____

Work _____ Hours _____

Clubs/Sports _____ Hours _____

Please describe your relationship with Jesus Christ, how you met, where you stand now, your spiritual journey, what He means to you, etc.

Why do you want to be on the W.A.T.E.R. Leadership Team?

Is there a specific area you wish to serve in or specific talents you wish to use to serve?
(ex. music, singing, acting, computers, art, movie making/editing, speech, etc.)

What are your two greatest strengths you bring to this ministry?

What are your two greatest weaknesses you bring to this ministry?

What Sunday morning service do you attend?

Is there anything else you would like to tell me about yourself?

Leadership Covenant

FIRE & WATER
student ministries

Fishers UMC

I commit myself to maintaining myself spiritually through prayer, Bible Study and Christian Fellowship, spending time with God so I may know Him more and have Him living in me more.

I commit myself to being an example of my faith and my role as a leader at FIRE & WATER Ministries at church, at youth, at school, at work, at home and anywhere else I happen to be. I understand this also includes online and understand that my virtual life is a reflection of my real life. I will do this by refraining from all illegal activity, refraining from drugs, alcohol and tobacco, refraining from using profane or offensive language, refraining from a pre-marital sexual relationship and treating members of the opposite sex with respect, dressing appropriately wherever I am and by making careful selections with my choices for media and entertainment.

I commit myself to being an example, as a shining light for Jesus and as a leader among my peers and student ministry, wherever I may be. I will especially do this at all FIRE & WATER events by respecting authority and other students, keeping a good attitude and by acting in a manner that represents Christ in all things.

I commit myself to being a regular attendee at FIRE & WATER ministries and my home church services. I will be present at one half of all events and will encourage others to attend. I will also attend all youth leadership meetings and be an active participant in those meetings.

I commit myself to furthering the five purposes of WATER, Worshipping [being a worshipper not just by singing praises, but by living a life of worship wholeheartedly devoted to Christ], Allying [building lasting relationships between Christians as members of the family of God], Teaching [helping others learn more about Christ by sharing what I believe, leading when called upon and helping others pay attention and learn from our discussions], Equipping [giving other students the spiritual tools they need and helping them find who they are in Christ and what gifts He has given them to use for His service], and Reaching [sharing the gospel of love that Christ shared with us to everyone and anyone].

I commit myself to being honest with my youth director and other leaders, sharing if I am having problems with holding to these commitments or even sharing if there are other things weighing on my heart that I would like to discuss with them.

Your Signature

Parent Or Guardian

Youth Director