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# Middle School Youth Director

The Middle School Youth Director builds relationships with 7th-8th grade students, partners with parents, and empowers small group leaders to help students experience Christ’s love and find their place in God’s story.

* Reports to: Lead Pastor
* Hours: Part-time – 15-20 hours/week (Full-time if combined with open High School position)

## Roles & Responsibilities

**Weekly Youth Group**

* Create and teach Jesus-centered curriculum addressing relevant questions and struggles of students.
* Recruit and equip small group leaders to connect with students on a deeper level as they apply weekly teachings.
* Develop meaningful relationships with students through a wide variety of activities that stimulate social and spiritual growth.

**Spiritual Formation**

* Incorporate spiritual disciplines into regular and special programming.
* Coordinate special events, such as service projects, retreats, and mission trips.
* Oversee curriculum and mentorship of Profession of Faith process.

**Collaboration & Communication**

* Collaborate with staff to further Christ’s mission at Evergreen.
* Communicate with parents and meet regularly with small group leaders.
* Be available to connect with students outside of weekly programming.
* Welcome visiting families on Sunday mornings and invite students to youth ministry.
* Enforce Evergreen’s Child Protection Policy and Safe Church practices.

## Qualifications

* Love for Jesus Christ coupled with love for 7th-8th grade students
* Personal commitment to spiritual disciplines and emotional health
* Growing knowledge of faith formation and social development in middle school students
* Competence in carrying out administrative tasks required for effective ministry
* Willingness to work as a team player within a collaborative environment
* Willingness to gain additional knowledge and skills to improve the ministry
* Bachelor’s Degree and/or 2-4 years of experience working in youth ministry preferred

To apply, please submit resume to studentministries@egm.org