



2020 Pathways High School Summer Internship Packet

Basic Info: The Pathways High School Summer Internship Program is an excellent opportunity for high school students (preference to seniors) to experience hands-on ministry training in an enjoyable, team-based, fast-paced, and God-honoring church leadership development environment. This 8-week volunteer-based program is designed for students who have a heart to serve in church ministry. The purpose is to equip students to excel in their skills, knowledge, and passion in making disciples within the local church.

Who?

- At least 16 years of age
- All positions open to either gender
- Solid believer in Jesus Christ as personal Lord and Savior.
- 1-4 students
 - o Children's Ministry
 - o Student Ministry
 - o Worship Ministry

What?

- 8 weeks/20 weekly hours/160 hours total
- Unpaid Internship
- 8-week Leadership Development and Skills Training
- Benefits gained for Student: Ministry experience, leadership development

When?

- 8 weeks - June 1-July 31st *
- Some flexibility for family vacation

8 Week Program Checklist:

Forms:

- School documents (if desired)
 - o Hour log, journal entries of experiences
- Pathways documents
 - o One-page summary of your 8-week experience including excerpts from your journal entries
 - o Personality Profile (Myers-Briggs, Strength-Finders, etc.)
 - o Spiritual gift inventory & interpretation
 - o Supervisor Evaluation Form

Hours:

- 100 hours serving in primary ministry
 - o Help plan and execute weekly ministry environments.
 - o Learn email/phone etiquette
 - o Participate in ministry area weekly meetings
 - o Contribute to service planning and preparation
- 40 hours of “next generation leaders” exposure (learning varied ministry areas and exploring opportunities)
 - o Ministry Platform, emerging tech, new approaches
- 20 hours leadership development opportunities
 - o Staff meetings, leadership development studies, spiritual disciplines development
- 160 hours total

Misc:

- Personal interaction with 5 different professional ministry leaders

Application process opens March 1 with initial response deadline of April 15, though late applications may be accepted, and positions remain open until filled. Acceptances and notifications may begin as soon as April 1.

For questions please contact Dr. D. Edward Williams, Senior Pastor

****Please complete application (available on church website PathwaysBC.org) and email to ewilliams@PathwaysBC.org**