

## CREW Application

Please type these questions & your responses to all of the following.

1. Why do you want to be on the **CREW**?
2. How would your non-Christian friends describe your relationship with God? What about your Christian friends?
3. How would your parents describe your relationship with God?
4. How are you involved in making Christ known to others?
5. Explain your spiritual growth and comment on your use of the following. Be honest.
  - Quiet Time (Bible Reading, Bible Study, & Prayer)
  - Accountability
  - Scripture Memory
  - Giving Back to God (money, time, & energy)
6. What specific CREW would you be interested in? Rank top 3.
  - Events CREW (planning & leading out for specific events)
  - Hands&Feet CREW (planning & leading in missions/service projects)
  - Worship CREW (planning & leading out in REFUEL)
  - Welcome CREW (greeting and connecting visitors with regulars)
  - Encouragement CREW (planning & leading in encouraging others)
  - OR create a CREW and let us know your idea.
7. Have one of your parents respond in at least 25 words as to why you would make a good leader & how they will support you as a leader.

***Make sure you and your parents sign and date the bottom of the application!***

## To The Parents

We are especially sensitive of our students family life. We in no way desire to create conflicts in the way of time between commitments at home and commitments at church. Walking with Christ does not always mean sacrificing family time and commitments.

As far as time commitments, we are asking those students who desire to be apart of the **CREW** to be out one night a week (Wednesday night @ REFUEL), attend the Worship Service/Sunday School on Sunday Morning and Discipleship on Sunday night. No more than once a month they also will be required to attend **CREW** Meetings (1-2 hours) usually on Sunday afternoon before the evening activities. In addition they will be expected to lead out in ministering to other Emmaus students at their schools and other students who are in need of encouragement.

Once your student has completed the above application and gone through an interview, you will be contacted to make sure you understand & can support the commitments we expect from your student.



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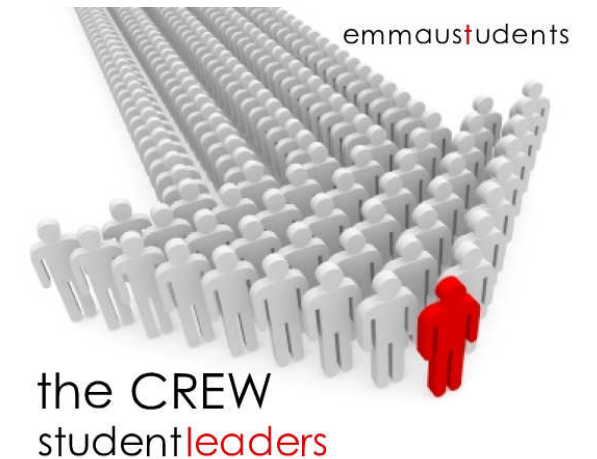
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## Leadership Information and Application



If you've just picked this up, chances are that you or your student is interested in leadership and you want to discover what the **CREW** is all about.

Commitments are tough, and they often determine how we spend our time. This information sheet will outline what the expectations and commitments are for a student leader.

After reading this I'm sure you will find that we have raised the bar on our standards of student leaders. However, standards breeds excellence and high requirements have high rewards.

We've learned that teenagers are very capable and competent more than we have realized and much more than we often expect. Rather than settle for mediocrity we feel as though that the students in the Emmaus Student Ministry are looking to be challenged. The **CREW** is just one opportunity to accomplish that.

We are excited about the **CREW**. If you have any questions please contact Jeron at 691.6646 or [jeron@emmausokc.org](mailto:jeron@emmausokc.org)

**Emmaus Student Ministry**

### Our Standard of Leadership comes from Jesus

Jesus gave an image of leadership that we use as our model for students who seek out leadership within our Student Ministry.

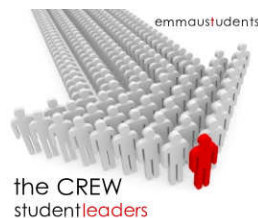
*"Jesus called them [the disciples] together and said, 'You know that the rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and their high officials exercise authority over them. Not so with you. Instead, whoever wants to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wants to be first must be your slave--just as the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.'"*  
Matthew 20:25-28

Not only does Jesus destroy an existing style of leadership (being in charge), but he sets up a new way to lead—serving others! Serving others is how we define ministry and leadership.

Jesus' style of leadership is not attractive to most people. It goes in direct opposition to most of the attitudes of teenagers today. Most teenagers have a "me first" attitude, but in the Emmaus Student Ministry we want our students to reflect Jesus' model of a leader!

### What's The Purpose of the **CREW**?

The **CREW** is a program designed specifically for a core student within the Emmaus Student Ministry who is willing & available to make the extra commitments to fulfill the Student Ministry's purpose.



The **CREW** is not designed for the average student who attends our Student Ministry programs but is made available to **ANYONE** who wants to commit to servant leadership.

The commitments & expectations are laid out in the rest of this flyer, as well as, how to apply to join the **CREW**. The various tasks a student can expect to perform will be to provide help in the planning and carrying out of specific events and other Emmaus Student Ministry programs (among many other opportunities for service and mentorship)

\*\*\*Students wishing to attend Super Summer Leadership Camp in the summer are **REQUIRED** to be apart of the **CREW**.

### What A Student Leader is Committed To

#### 1) Committed To A Relationship With Christ

- I have recognized my sin and have trusted in the person and work of Jesus and I am striving daily to surrender my life to Him.  
**Ephesians 2:8-10, Romans 3:23; Romans 6:23; Romans 5:8; Mark 8:34-37**

#### 2) Committed To Growing In Christ

- I am committing to a process of spiritual growth in Christ. I will pursue these habits...
    - ⇒ Consistent Quiet Times (Bible study/prayer)
    - ⇒ Accountability with another believer
    - ⇒ Scripture Memory
    - ⇒ Giving back to God (money, time, energy)
- Ephesians 4:15-16; 2 Timothy 2:15, 2 Timothy 3:16-17; Luke 6:12; Proverbs 27:17; Psalm 119:11; 2 Corinthians 9:7**

#### 3) Committed To Living Like Christ

- I am committing to flesh out in actions, attitudes, & words my spiritual growth in Christ.
    - ⇒ Loving all people (**no matter what!**)
    - ⇒ Selflessly serving all people (**no matter what!**)
    - ⇒ Accepting of all people (**no matter what!**)
    - ⇒ Genuinely friendly
    - ⇒ Authentic and transparent
    - ⇒ Encouraging
    - ⇒ Willing & available to help
    - ⇒ Humble
    - ⇒ Positive attitude
    - ⇒ Speak words that are true & honor Christ
    - ⇒ Submissive to authority in life
    - ⇒ Making wise choices (Godly vs. Worldly)
    - ⇒ Being a role model as a Christian student
- 1 John 4:7-11; Romans 15:5-7; Proverbs 11:3; 1 Thessalonians 5:11; Isaiah 6:8; Philippians 2:3 & 4:8; Ephesians 4:29; Hebrews 13:17, 1 Peter 2:13; Proverbs 14:12; 1 Timothy 4:12**

#### 4) Committed To the Body of Christ (the Church)

- I recognize that I must be committed to the fellowship of other believers and my best opportunity for that is in being faithful in my attendance at Emmaus.  
**Hebrews 10:25; 1 Corinthians 12:12-27**

#### 5) Committed To the Student Ministry

- I am committing to faithful involvement in Sunday School, Sunday Night Discipleship, and Wednesday Night REFUEL.

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### What A Student Leader is Committed To

#### 5) Committed To the Student Ministry (continued...)

- I am committing to create a welcoming and friendly atmosphere by greeting regular & visiting students and introducing them to others.
- I am committing to attend & enthusiastically participate in events/activities when possible, as well as, serve & carry out the various elements of those events when I'm needed.
- I am committing to attend a non-negotiable, monthly S.L.T. Meeting.

#### 6) Intentional Relationships

*I Am Committing To...*

- Connect w/ other students (especially younger) relationally & spiritually.
  - Connect w/ an influential adult for mentorship.
  - Get plugged into an ECHO Group!
  - Spend time w/ students who are outside of my "circle of friends".
  - Be intentional about making God a part of my conversation with others.
  - Pray for the needs of others
  - Invite friends (especially those that need Jesus) to church.
  - Be on the lookout for loners and visitors.
  - Act as a campus pastor at school.
  - Follow up on visitors & other students when back on campus.
  - Pray for the salvation of my lost friends.
  - Meet w/ other students to pray for my campus, student ministry, etc.
  - Talk to others about Christ.
- 2 Timothy 2:22; 1 Corinthians 11:1; Romans 15:5-7; Ephesians 4:15; Ephesians 6:18; Matthew 5:13-16; Matthew 28:19-20**

### How You Can Join the **CREW**

- Prayerfully consider all the student leader commitments and expectations outlined in this application.
- Talk to your parents/family and evaluate the commitments and expectations.
- Read carefully and respond completely to the seven questions on the next page (**Please type out your responses and either email me your application or turn it in**).
- Turn in your answers & schedule an interview with Jeron.