

Job Description for Discipleship Group (D-Group) Leader

1) Principal Function

To conduct a discipleship group where God's inerrant Word is clearly and faithfully communicated to those in attendance, and function in the role of a **Supervisor** (See separate Supervisor Job Description for details)

2) Specific Duties

- a) Lead a weekly or bi-weekly D-Group.
- b) Please notify Youth Director and/or assistant teacher as far in advance as possible if you will be absent.
- c) You are responsible and answerable to the Elders.
- d) Attend D-Group Leader meetings and training sessions.
- e) Faithfully study each week's material and make every D-Group session a matter of earnest prayer.
- f) Clearly and faithfully communicate the Word of God using only materials approved by the Elders & Youth Director. Anything you receive from the Youth Director will already have this approval. You will be asked to teach specific curriculum that fits with the overall Goals and Objectives of Frontline Youth Ministry and SHBC.
- g) Regularly visit students from your D-Group including absentees, guests, and prospects.
- h) Realize the highest aim of a D-Group Leader is to glorify God by being true to His Word; leading attendees to salvation in Christ and to lead attendees to grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord, with the central teaching being the exchanged life. Always explain how it applies to their life, and challenge them to think about where they are with Christ.
- i) Plan special promotions and activities for your D-Group on a regular basis in consultation with the Youth Director, with at least 2 approved YSs and Youth Director always present.
- j) Choose the day, time and location for the Discipleship Group and communicate that to the Youth Director, and be sure to have at least 2 approved YSs always present.
- k) Support the overall discipleship ministry of SHBC.
- l) Attend Sunday Night Frontline Large Group Meetings and other aspects of the ministry as you are led and able.
- m) There will be no special names given for an individual D-Group.

3) Skills Required

- a) Has a deep & personal relationship with God and understands, lives out, and can communicate the exchanged life.
- b) Relational - Loves people, particularly has a heart for youth.
- c) Willing to serve.
- d) Willing to learn.
- e) Willing to prepare, facilitate discussion and pray out loud with people.

4) Time Requirement

- a) Weekly Time Commitments:
 - (1) Time for preparation
 - (2) 60-90 minute D-Group
 - (3) Visit Students
- b) On occasion, special promotions/activities.