



## What is SLS?

Student Leadership School is a program that will train and equip students to be leaders in their everyday lives, at school, church, and in their communities by building a solid foundation in Jesus. Student Leadership School is designed for those who desire a greater and more intimate relationship with Jesus.

In SLS, we:

- Read our Bibles together
- Serve together
- Get out of our comfort zones together
- Pray together
- Worship together
- Are a family

## Why should you join SLS?

You should join SLS to be a part of something that is greater than yourself. We work to know Jesus and make Him known everywhere in everything we do. Through SLS, you will learn and grow your foundation in Jesus. This foundation will be something that will last an eternity.

At the end of each semester, you will receive a certificate of completion for that semester. At the end of each year will be a graduation, which we will honor those students who completed at least one semester. The more semesters completed, the more honor you will receive.

Our students are always volunteering. A lot of colleges will give out scholarships to students with volunteer hours. We would be happy to partner with students who are interested in those opportunities.

During your 4th year of SLS, you will be able to enroll into our Church Leadership School and have a discount on your tuition. Church Leadership School is a program for adults that want to know more about Church Leadership and have the desire to make it a full time career.

## Cost

The cost of 1 semester of SLS is \$50. We are adding some new elements to SLS that we have never done before like:

- Leadership books
- SLS only t-shirts
- Personalized journals
- Personalized pens

We understand that there might be some families that can not pay the \$50. So, we have \$5 Sonic coupon card for students to sell as a fundraiser option if you so choose. If you would like to have 10 of these coupon cards, get a hold of your Campus's Student Pastor and he will assist you.

## Expectations

Before you join SLS, these are our expectations:

- You must have a personal relationship with Jesus.
- You must read your Bible and pray daily.
- You must have a willing attitude to do whatever it takes to glorify God.
- You must attend a service on Sunday.
- You must serve a service on or for Sunday.
- You must attend once a month trainings during the semester
- You must attend all events on the calendar
- You must be on time to all events

## Serve Areas

We believe in serving our church as much as we can. All of Jesus's life He served others and we expect our students to do the same.

These serve areas are available to SLS students in years 1-4:

- **Kids Classroom Volunteer.** If you love kids 0 through 5th grade then this is the choice for you! You will learn to teach kids, play games, and love on kids in the class!
- **Kids Check-Ins.** Check-ins are designed to keep our kids safe. As a check-in volunteer you will check in kids, show them to their classrooms, and run the Prize Counter!

- **Kids Sound Booth.** Do you love to help with sound, media, and lights?
- **Kids Online: Videos/Editing/Classroom Prep.** We are jumping into something BRAND new and we can not wait! Kids Online will include making videos, helping with editing, being a character in videos, and helping set up classrooms for Sunday.
- **Students Online Host.** This is an option for those who are on our online campus. You will be responsible for joining and connecting with students on our Youtube service every Sunday at 10:00am. You will need to contact those who are online, pray for them, and build relationships with them every single week.

These areas are available to SLS students in years 3-4:

- **Momentum Leader.** This is an option for students who want to help run services for Momentum. Whether that is being a small group leader to younger students, running the sound booth, running a game, or speaking.

\*You can only miss 2 Sundays during a single semester. Missing more than that will result in a meeting with the parent and possible failure for the semester.\*

## **Once a Month Training**

Once a month training is a time for students to grow. During that time we will have a lot of fun by studying the Bible, learning leadership qualities, serving our community, and building relationships with one another. Bring your Bible and a notebook to take notes with. All campuses will meet at the central location in Sherwood, Arkansas. \*You can only miss one once a month training during a single semester. Missing more than that will result in a meeting with the parent and possible failure for the semester.\*

## **Disciplinary Actions**

If an issue arises and disciplinary action must be taken, it will be up to the Student Pastor on the level of action taken. After 2 disciplinary actions during one semester, the student will be removed from SLS for the remainder of that semester. All Corrective Action Statements will be documented and signed by the Student Pastor, student, and parent. If any additional actions are required it will be up to the student to ensure they are met within the guidelines and date set on the Corrective Action Statement. If the student fails to comply or meet the guidelines set they will be removed from SLS for the remainder of the semester.

## **Application Process**

Once you have completed the registration process, your Campus's Student Pastor will reach out to you as soon as possible to talk about the commitment to this program! Once that is complete then we will see you on September 12th for our first meeting!

## **2020 Fall SLS Calendar**

### **September:**

- 12th: First SLS once a month meeting
- 13th: Sunday services
- 20th: Sunday services
- 27th: Sunday services

### **October:**

- 3rd: Once a month meeting
- 4th: Sunday services
- 11th: Sunday services
- 18th: Sunday services
- 25th: Sunday services

### **November:**

- 1st: Sunday services
- 7th: Once a month meeting
- 8th: Sunday services
- 15th: Sunday services
- 21st: Friendsgiving

\*Due to COVID-19, we have cleared most events from the calendar. This calendar is subject to change in the future. The student and parents will be notified well in advance of any changes.\*