

DESCRIPTION

The Kids/Youth Ministry Internship at SBC is a unique opportunity to grow in leadership, discipleship, and ministry while investing in the next generation. **Our vision—Cultivating connection, belonging, and transformation through Jesus in every stage of life and faith—**drives this role, empowering you to help bring that vision to life for children, youth, and their families.

During the first two months, you will become part of our church staff, joining meetings and learning about the different ministries within our church family. You'll collaborate with the Kids Pastor to plan and organize creative summer experiences that engage children and families. Your role will include planning and implementing activities that create a sense of belonging and connection. You will also contribute to other ministries, including Sunday ministries, young adult programs, and community initiatives, gaining a broad perspective of ministry life.

In the summer, you'll take a leadership role in day camps for children in grades K-6, overseeing a team of high school interns. You will plan and implement activities that build a sense of belonging and encourage life-changing transformation through faith.

This internship offers an excellent opportunity to explore your God-given gifts while gaining hands-on experience in leadership, teaching, and child faith development. With weekly mentorship from the Kids Pastor and Youth Pastor, you'll be equipped to grow spiritually, lead with confidence, and make a meaningful impact in our community. This is a chance to build on your unique giftings, develop new skills, and discover the ways God is calling you to serve and lead within His kingdom.

QUALIFICATIONS

Spiritual Maturity: A strong desire to grow in your relationship with Jesus and a heart for serving others, particularly children and youth.

Leadership Potential: Previous leadership or volunteer experience is preferred but not required. A willingness to learn and grow in leadership is essential.

Strong Communication Skills: Ability to engage children youth and families in a meaningful and compassionate way, while collaborating with other ministry leaders and volunteers.

Organizational Skills: Comfortable working in a fast-paced, dynamic environment, with the ability to plan, coordinate, and execute ministry activities effectively.

Commitment to Church Vision: A passion for SBCs vision of cultivating connection, belonging, and transformation through Jesus in every stage of life and faith.

Flexibility & Adaptability: Ability to thrive in various ministry contexts and a willingness to take on new challenges as they arise.

IMPORTANT DATES

First week of July - all interns plus SBC Youth go on a Service trip

Second week of July- Team building and training week (attendance is mandatory)

July 16th- Day camps begin

*Any vacation time is recommended to be taken in May or June or the last week of Aug after the internship. Exceptions may be made on request.

WAGES

Wage: \$20 - 40 hours/week

Free Housing: The cost of living in Summerland can be steep, but we'll help you find a comfortable bedroom in the home of a SBC family, ensuring a warm and supportive living environment.

Dates of Internship - May 1 – August 29th, 2025

TO APPLY

Send a cover letter explaining why you'd like to be our Kids/Youth Intern, along with your resume, to our Kids Pastor at bree@summerlandbaptist.ca.

We look forward to hearing from you and exploring the possibility of you joining our team!

Applications will be accepted until the positions are filled

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