

Cultivating Servant Leaders



Description & Goal: Cultivating Servant Leaders (CSL) is a program designed **to cultivate servant-leadership** within the students of Grace Baptist Church (GBC). A student in the CSL program will have the opportunity to serve in a variety of ministries alongside current leaders who will mentor that student by providing training and discipleship so that he or she might be better equipped to serve and lead both inside and outside the context of the local church. Each student who participates will commit to help for a certain period of time.

Expectations: Every student who is a member of Grace Baptist Church will be able to serve in the ministries of GBC through the CSL program. Each ministry will have specific ways in which a student can help; the ministry leader will give guidance as to what those are. In general, all CSL students must agree to abide by the following expectations:

- Be prepared to serve *before* your ministry begins.
- Do not use your phone (except to contact your ministry leader).
- Actively participate in each facet of your ministry.
- Attend training sessions for your ministry.
- In all things, be an example of Christlikeness.
- Write a brief (2 paragraph) reflection on your ministry at the end of your time in that ministry. Share what you enjoyed, what you struggled with, and what you learned!

Qualifications: Because the CSL program is designed to train servant-leaders, students must meet the following requirements in order to participate:

- Must be 7th grade or higher (Some positions may require 9th or higher).
- Must be willing to learn by experience, encouragement, and correction.
- Must be willing to submit to leadership.
- Should be a member of GBC with a good testimony.
- Should regularly participate in Discipleship Hour and the AM Worship Service.

CSL Commitment Form

Print Name: _____ Grade: _____

What ministry are you committing to serve in? _____

Briefly describe how God has been working in your life recently. What have you been learning and how have you been growing? (Sanctification):

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Explain why you would like to be a CSL:

Reference (Must be a member of GBC): _____

I confirm that I have met all of the CSL qualifications and understand the expectations.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Ministry Leader Signature: _____ Date: _____