



Ministry Residency Program at Denver Seminary

INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY: Children's Ministry Resident

LOCATION: Crossroads Community Church

About: www.visitercrossroads.com/children

"At Crossroads, our purpose as a church is to have lives transformed through loving relationships with God, each other, and the lost. It is our mission that as people experience His church that they will get a strong sense of our priorities of sharing life together, biblical teaching, reaching out to our community and around the world, as well as introducing people to Jesus as their Lord and Savior."

POSITION SUMMARY:

This Resident partners with our Children's Ministry team to lead, build, and develop a thriving Children's Ministry with over 300 children (birth to 5th grade).

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Actively growing as a dedicated Christ-follower.
- Current student at Denver Seminary with good academic standing.
- Clear desire to prepare for, and serve as, a potential future church leader.
- Agreement with, and willing to actively support, Crossroads' Purpose, Values and Priorities as described on its web site.
- Participate in active community with your residency cohort for mutual spiritual formation and development.
- Personal relationship with Jesus Christ
- Demonstrate an active faith life
- Has a passion for young children and their families
- Has good communication skills
- Has high value of worship opportunities for children
- Values adult continuing education
- Servant Leader with Administrative skills

REQUIREMENTS:

- Receive and apply training from the Pastoral and Children's Ministry staff.
- Participate in active community with your residency cohort for mutual spiritual formation and development.
- Demonstrate a commitment to personal growth and church growth.
- Attend a weekly worship service at Crossroads.
- Maintain active student status with good academic standing.

SCHEDULE:

- Saturdays 5:00 to 7:00 pm.
- Sundays 8:00 am to 12:30 pm.

- Tuesdays 6:00 to 8:00 pm (Jan.- Jun.)
- Other hours as needed for training, coaching, staff meetings, etc.

TUITION CONSIDERATION: \$3,000 of tuition paid
10% tuition discount
Taxable Living

ESTIMATED TIME COMMITMENT: Approximately 10 hours per week; 24 weeks; Jan. -June

DUTIES:

- Assist Children’s Ministry staff in preparing for weekly Saturday evening & Sunday morning ministry activities.
- Assist in evaluating our overall children’s ministry and curriculum (Bible stories, Bible verses, classroom activities, volunteer management, etc.).
- Assist in leading existing volunteers to minister to the needs of our children (birth-5th grade).
- Assist in greeting and welcoming parents and children showing them where to go and introducing them to the classroom staff on Saturday evenings and Sunday mornings.
- Assist in ministering to volunteers by praying, training & sending cards.
- Assist with Kidz Club on Tuesday evenings.
- Meet with ministry staff for personal ministry training and coaching.



TO APPLY:

Please send cover letter and resume to:

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**DEFINITION OF THE MINISTRY
RESIDENCY PROGRAM:**

By Definition the Residency Program is an Internship and contains the following:

1. *Similar ministry training as that available in and through schooling for future clergy;*
2. *This training is for the benefit of the trainee;*
3. *Resident is not a replacement for a regular employee, but works under close observation;*
4. *This program is considered to be of greater value to the trainee than to the employer;*
5. *Trainees are not necessarily entitled to a job at the completion of the program;*
6. *Employer and trainee understand that trainees are not entitled to wages for the time spent in training.*