

Job Title: MercyKids Campus Associate

Reports To: MPR Campus Pastor, works alongside MercyKids Director **Position Status**: Part-Time (20 -25 hours per week), open to conversation for full-time.

Compensation: Commensurate with experience

<u>Job Summary</u>

The MercyKids Campus Associate, under the supervision of their Campus Pastor and the guidance of the MercyKids Director, will partner with families to raise the next generation of disciples who love God, love others, and love our world.

Qualifications

This role is suitable for both male and female applicants who feel led to apply and have the skills and experience desired for this position. In order to be considered for this role, the applicant must:

- Be passionate about working with children as well as desire to partner with parents in discipling their children.
- Have a strong theological foundation to teach children and volunteers about Jesus.
- Be a person of high character who is teachable, eager to develop, and ready to grow.
- Have experience working with children either vocationally or through volunteer experience in kids ministry.
- Be a team player and strong collaborator.
- Have excellent people skills; ability to work well with a wide range of people, including support staff, volunteers, congregants, and parents.
- Be a self-starter and independent worker.
- Have strong leadership, organizational, and communication/teaching skills
- Have strong computer skills with proficiency in internet applications and Google Workspace.
- Be evangelistic in ministry approach.
- Have a passionate, caring, and approachable disposition and possess a heart for church ministry
- Accept and agree with the Baptist Faith & Message 2000

Responsibilities

- 1. Weekend Campus Oversight
 - a. The MercyKids Campus Associate (MKCA) is primary leader of MercyKids at their campus and is responsible for helping facilitate discipleship, ensure safety, and creating a fun environment for kids and team members (volunteers) on Sunday mornings.
 - b. The MKCA will be responsible for scheduling volunteers, preparing, and disseminating lessons for Sunday instruction to their campus team members and leaders.
 - c. The MKCA will be responsible for preparing classroom spaces ahead of

Sunday. This includes, but is not limited to, setting up multi-use rooms with appropriate furniture and tidying classrooms.

2. MercyKids Culture

- a. The MKCA will lead the charge in recruitment, care and development of team members (volunteers).
- b. The MKCA will demonstrate and cultivate discipleship by investing in leaders and encouraging leaders to invest in others, namely fellow team members.
- c. The MKCA will provide clear and consistent communication to all campus groups (staff, parents, volunteer team members) to ensure all parties are informed and explicit expectations are set.
- d. The MKCA will ensure accurate numbers are kept for Sunday Reporting on a weekly basis (Data Collection).

3. Special Events

- a. The MKCA will assist with procuring and processing requested childcare for other campus specific events as requested and approved by the MercyKids Director (such as, but not exclusively, membership class, events at their campus, etc).
- b. The MKCA will assist in the execution of special events throughout the year (such as, but not exclusively, VBS and Easter Weekend.)

4. Office Responsibilities

- a. The MKCA will assist with office tasks which include, but are not limited to, curriculum downloading/printing/copying, purchasing of needed supplies, and preparing materials in advance of Sunday gatherings.
- b. The MKCA will help maintain process queues within Mercy's database system, including First Time Guests and onboarding of new MercyKids team members.

**Miscellaneous Responsibilities* - This job description is not meant to be an all-inclusive statement of every duty and responsibility that will be required of an employee in this position. Therefore, additional duties may be assigned.

Conditions of Employment

- 1. Models the biblical standard of personal conduct and lifestyle that is expected of all Mercy Church staff and covenant members.
- 2. Fully participates in the life of the church as an active covenant member.
- 3. Supports and adheres to the mission, vision, values, and philosophy of ministry of Mercy Church.
- 4. Supports and submits to the leadership of the church elders.
- 5. Works well as a team player with the elders, staff, key leaders, and ministry team members at Mercy Church.

General Expectations

- 1. Report to the office during Office Hours (see below). You will also be required to attend various extra Church events relevant to your ministry oversite areas and/or as church needs arise.
- 2. Should always exhibit professionalism, demonstrated by well-groomed appearance, conscientious work ethic, teachability, and accountability.

- 3. Should be willing and able to adapt quickly to changing circumstances, with composure and flexibility.
- 4. Should be ever conscious of the need for confidentiality.
- 5. Should always exercise discernment and wise judgment.
- 6. Should be a person who gives extreme attention to details with an eye for excellence.
- 7. Should have a willingness to seek new information, training, and resources as needed.
- 8. Should be a self-starter and good at multitasking and prioritizing projects.

**Performance Evaluation* - It is understood that the performance for this job will be primarily measured and evaluated by the "responsibilities" and the "general expectations" laid out in this job description.

Additional Job Requirements

Physical Requirements

- 1. Ability to frequently stand, sit, and/or walk
- 2. Ability to occasionally bend, squat, kneel, climb stairs, and/or lift
- 3. Ability to occasionally lift between 10-50 lbs
- 4. Ability to continuously communicate with other people
- 5. Ability to continuously operate a computer for completion of necessary office work
- 6. Ability to continuously comprehend both physical and digital documents
- 7. Ability to continuously prepare/create both physical and digital documents

Work Environment

- 1. May occasionally work in temperatures above 95 degrees and below 32 degrees
- 2. May occasionally walk on slippery, wet, or uneven surfaces
- 3. Noise level in the environment will occasionally be loud
- 4. May occasionally work outdoors
- 5. May occasionally be required to travel for work
- 6. May continuously work indoors in an office space
- 7. May continuously work in a shared office space with coworkers

Office Hours and Work Schedule

- 1. Office Hours: 15-20 hours/week:
 - a. Sunday at Mercy Providence Road (7-8 hours)
 - b. Weekdays (10 -17 hours) negotiable; days/times flexible within regular church office hours which are Monday-Thursday 8:30am-5pm
 - c. Classroom setup may need to be performed outside of the scheduled working hours based upon the seasonal events at the church.
- 2. Additional Hours: The MercyKids Campus Associate may be expected to be at key events/meetings outside of the above office hours. Please see your supervisor for details.

- 3. Overtime and extra work days: Some overtime will be required. Please consult the Mercy Staff Handbook for Overtime Policy.
- 4. Holidays: All staff-wide Holidays are outlined in the Mercy Staff Handbook.
- 5. Time Off: Please consult Mercy Staff Handbook for time off policy.

Organizational Relationships

Campus Pastor – Primary MercyKids Director - Secondary