

Instructions to BSF Students

Class Time Volunteers

Thank you for your service to the Lord by helping in BSF Students. Assistance from volunteers is valuable to the leaders and the students. Please take a moment to watch this 2 minute [video](#).

BSF Students is positioned to impact the next generation with the truth of God's Word which will provide the wisdom needed to navigate life's difficult questions. BSF Students is God-focused, gospel-centered, age-appropriate, and conducted with a student-centered learning approach.

The vision for the Student Program is that a student's active engagement in God's Word produces personal, passionate commitment to God's truth.

Please read this information in preparation for your time in BSF Students:

- Arrival time: 6:30, this will allow our Children's Leaders (CLs) to attend leader prayer time. There will be a single room with students of group leaders. At least one CL will stay in the pre-class student room with volunteers.
- Notify your Group Leader (GL) before class that you will be assisting in BSF Students.
- Please wear your name tag, bring your Bible, and silence your cell phone or set it to "vibrate."
- Please bring your adult lesson in the unlikely event you are released back to your Discussion Group.
- The recorded lecture is available on the MyBSF website.
- Arrival time is a time of taking attendance, greeting students, and making them feel welcome. Sit with the students. Get to know them. Gently encourage any shy or hesitant student.
- The main components of BSF Students include:
 - **Build Community:** Students will build trusted community with friends and leaders as they learn to love and follow Jesus through the study of God's Word.
 - **Discover Truth:** Through the combination of best practices in education with BSF's firm commitment to in-depth Bible study, students will have the opportunity to discover truth in God's Word.
 - **Live Differently:** Together, students will explore why the passages matter and how the truth they learn changes the way they think and live.
- Sit with students during these times and be available to assist in any way. Some younger students will need help finding the place in their Bibles or with reading. The CLs will be leading these times. You will not lead or teach in any capacity but assist the students.
- Assist the CLs in encouraging all students to participate in the program.
- Any discipline situation will be handled by the CLs.
- Always follow and honor BSF's two-adults policy.
- Be assured you will never be left alone to supervise or teach the students.
- For safety reasons, taking photographs or any recording of the students is prohibited.

Regardless of the host church's policy regarding carry of concealed weapons, neither weapons nor ammunition may be brought into any Children's Program area or classroom by volunteers, leaders, or class members.

Should a last-minute emergency make it impossible for you to be a volunteer, please notify your group leader.