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## THE PROCESS

First the applicant needs to pick up an application, read through the packet, and pray. Fill out the application and background check form and give it to Sandy, as well as give reference forms to your references and have them mailed back to the church. Please include your resume. Once Sandy has received your application and references, you will be contacted for an interview. If we think that the applicant is a good fit, we will send an offer letter to officially extend the offer to the applicant.



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**VACATION:** Each participant will be responsible for communicating with the Student Ministry Pastor regarding vacation time, keeping in mind the necessity of completing ten weeks of work within the summer time frame. Each participant will also be responsible for communicating with the course instructors regarding the content and completion of assignments.



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**COOPERATION:** The participant will also work together to coordinate different student and church activities throughout the summer.

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