

SMFC DELTA INTEREST FORM

Due by Sunday, August 19th, 2018

Thank you so much for your interest in joining Delta. Please complete this form and return it to a staff member. If you have any questions regarding the form or what it means to be in Delta, please let us know.

And we, who with unveiled faces all reflect the Lord's glory, are being transformed into his likeness with ever-increasing glory, which comes from the Lord, who is the Spirit.

- Paul, 2 Corinthians 3:18

If your outward actions are a result (a by-product) of something that has taken place deep within you, then these outward actions do receive spiritual value and they do possess real goodness. But outward activities have only as much spiritual value as they receive from their source.

- Jeanne Guyon, Experiencing the Depths of Jesus Christ, p. 107

Short Answer Questions

Please answer the following questions to help us know you better. You may use a separate sheet or the back of these sheets if there is not sufficient room to complete an answer.

1. Name:		Grade:
Cell Phone:	Email:	

- 2. Share how and when you became a Christian.
- 3. How do you cultivate your relationship with God (be sure to include a description of your personal time with God and the frequency of these times)?
- 4. What is God currently teaching you? Describe.
- 5. Do you have peer relationships that keep you accountable in your walk with Christ? Describe.
- 6. Please describe your involvement in SMFC and how long you have been a part of it.
- 7. Are there other skills/passions you have that you'd like to explore using?
- 8. Name (and explain) two of your weaknesses that you hope to mature in.
- 9. Referring to the Conduct Covenant (attached), which number do you think will be challenging for you and for what reason?

Delta Conduct Covenant

Becoming a Delta leader is not simply about accomplishing goals. A Delta leader is one who also sets an example for others in regards to integrity, character and morality. We assume that anyone who chooses to be in Delta has a desire to live as Christ, being a new creation and living now as a citizen of the Kingdom of heaven. With this understood, we want you to clearly understand the expectations we have of a Delta leader and to acknowledge that it is your intent to live within these expectations.

As a follower of Jesus and as a leader within the Student Ministry at First Colony, I commit that I will:

- 1. Conduct myself in the spirit of Titus 2:11-12: "For the grace of God that brings salvation has appeared to all men, teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly in the present age."
- 2. Present my body as a living sacrifice to God, honoring Him in all my actions and seeking a balanced, godly life. I will strive to prioritize sleep and a healthy balance of personal time with God, schoolwork, work, Delta responsibilities and other commitments I make. (Romans 6:13; 12:1)
- 3. Make my best effort to prioritize studies. I understand that it is the Lord Jesus who receives glory as I serve Him as a student this year. (Colossians 3:23)
- 4. Refrain from using any substances, such as alcohol, tobacco, and drugs, in any way prohibited by proper authority such as the government, church, family, or school. (Romans 13:1-2; Galatians 5:19-21)
- 5. Reserve sexual activity for marriage, avoid sexually explicit material, and seek parental counsel when pursuing a romantic relationship. (1 Thessalonians 4:3-7)
- 6. Guard my tongue, speaking that which is wholesome and edifying and show respect to my fellow students. (Ephesians 4:29)
- 7. Regularly meet with other Christians for worship, prayer, encouragement, instruction, and spiritual accountability. (Hebrews 10:25; Acts 2:42)
- 8. Respect the leaders of SMFC and support the efforts of the ministry. (Hebrews 13:17)
- 9. I will resolve conflicts with others directly and humbly, speaking the truth in love. (Matthew 18:15-17; Ephesians 4:15-16)
- 10. Expect God to do great things through me next year! (Hebrews 11:6)

I have prayerfully considered this covenant and pledge my faithfulness to its terms.

Signature



Delta Student Team Role Description

Student Ministry Primary Aim:

Partnering with parents in the spiritual formation of students.

Delta Primary Purpose:

Reaching students who are CENTERED in Jesus in order to lead them to have tangible opportunities to let Him minster through them.

Student Team Primary Function:

You will be poured into more than other students. You will pour out more than other students. Discipleship is as simple as taking one step of faith at a time.

Commitment Length:

1 school year

Who do I work with:

- I'm led by Kevin and Darcey Porter, Program Leaders
- I work with the Student Team
- I lead in various ministries of the church and community

Checklist:

Retreat: September 21-22, this is a no cost, 1 night retreat for the Delta Student Team only.

Weekly Service: Each team member will choose a ministry of the church or community to be involved in weekly. This is a requirement to continue being a part of the team.

Monthly Discipleship Training: Put these dates on your calendar. We will meet the 2nd Sunday of the month at 12:15pm from September to May. Lunch will be provided at no cost. There will be a bible study portion and a time for practical preparation and reflection on ministry.

- September 21-22 Retreat
- o October 14
- o November 11
- o December 9
- o January 13
- February 17 (Winter Retreat, February 10)
- March 3, (Spring Break, March 10)
- o April 14
- May 5 (Mother's Day, May 12)

4 DISTANT Events:

- o Dodgeball Tournament, October 21, 2018
- Rock the Lot, January 27, 2019
- Urban Air, March 17, 2019
- Summer Kick-off, May 25, 2019

I commit to attending the Delta Retreat, serving weekly in some ministry, attending 6/8 monthly meetings, and 3/4 Distant outreach events.