



**2020-21**

**INFORMATION & APPLICATION**

**Applicant's Name:**

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## What is CREW?

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To put it simply: **CREW works**. (In fact, say CREW backwards.) CREW is a team of students who are fully committed to making Southside Student Ministry all that God desires it to be. Those on CREW are not only committed to being at every student event, but also praying for, planning, and helping to carry out every effort that Southside Student ministry makes. In other words, those on CREW are “all in” and it shows through how they show up, love others, and serve.

## What does it take to be on CREW?

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We keep it super simple. If you can say “yes” to the following things, you can be a part of CREW!

- Are you faithful to attend the Mixx, our worship gathering?***
- Are you involved and committed to spiritual growth through being in a small group?***
- Can you commit to attending our monthly CREW huddle\*?***

If you can answer yes to these, then please continue on and fill out the rest of this application! If you can't say yes to all these, but you still want to get more involved, please talk to Pastor Jerry!

## What is expected of CREW students?

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Students who are part of CREW aren't expected to be perfect, but they are expected to be welcoming, friendly, consistent, helpful, and willing to do whatever is necessary to help others connect, grow, and find a place to serve. CREW students walk into a room and ask themselves ***“How can I help make this amazing?”*** and then jump in and do it! CREW are those who aren't consumers, but contributors.

Each month\*, CREW will meet together for training, prayer, and planning. These dates are on the last page of this packet. You'll get to know others better as you serve together! We know CREW isn't for everyone, but we hope it's for you!

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**Please fill out the following information COMPLETELY:**

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Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

*\*By providing your cell phone number, you agree that we can text you, and that you will subscribe to the CREW Reminder service (you'll be given that info. once you're on the team).*

School: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Please check the social media you are on, and your username:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Snapchat     | Name: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Instagram    | Name: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> WhatsApp     | Name: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Facebook     | Name: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ | Name: _____ |

As part of CREW, I agree to be accountable for my social media activity.

Have you ever been involved in any ministry area in the church (i.e. Children's Ministry, Buddy Break, media team, worship team, etc.)?

If so, where? \_\_\_\_\_

**Student, please read and sign:**

I understand that if I am on CREW, I am responsible to be:

- Present at all student ministry events
- Inclusive of EVERYONE and always willing to help others feel welcomed, accepted, and loved. I'll be in inviter & includer!
- A faithful and active part of a small group for growth, connection, and accountability
- Available and teachable. I want to grow in my understanding of what it means to serve like Jesus served.

Student signature:

Date:

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**PLEASE DETACH/KEEP THIS SHEET AND ADD ALL DATES TO YOUR CALENDAR WITH REMINDERS...**

### **Dates for CREW gatherings 2020-2021**

*\*(subject to change, but we'll do our best to stick to this.)*

**Sunday, Sept. 13**

**Sunday, Oct. 18**

**Sunday, Nov. 15**

**Sunday, Dec. 13**

**2021:**

**Sunday, Jan 10**

**Sunday, Feb. 21**

**Sunday, March 14**

**Sunday, April 11**

**Sunday, May 9**

**Our gatherings are mandatory and critical that you attend. If it becomes a problem for you to attend CREW gatherings, we will need to discuss your involvement on the team. Anytime you need to miss a gathering, you MUST let Jerry know IN ADVANCE.**

### **Our gatherings will focus on:**

#### **Our SubTeams:**

*Every CREW member will be on a "subteam". Each subteam is responsible to oversee a certain aspect of the ministry: **Mixx, Blitz, & Care.***

- **Mixx:** *This team helps make sure our Mixx gatherings are AMAZING!*
- **Blitz:** *This team steers the Blitz events and makes sure people know about them!*
- **Care:** *This team is actively involved in welcoming new people and following up so no one is left out!*

#### **Spiritual discipleship topics:**

*Developing a strong connection to God's Word, Speaking of Jesus, Helping others grow, Prayer, Your Spiritual Gifting, etc.*

#### **Leadership skills training:**

*Humility, Initiative, Responsibility/Accountability, Conflict Resolution, Creative Problem Solving, Bridge Building, Healthy Communication, Integrity, Vision, Listening & Time Management. You'll also learn how to invest in and disciple others.*

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