

BIBLE QUIZ TEAM 2018-19

Thank you for your interest in joining our student ministry Bible Quiz Team! To get plugged in,

- 1. Read this application.
- 2. Complete the enclosed information and return it to either Jeff Maison or Nick Dalgardno
- 3. Join us weekly Tuesday @ 6:30 pm.

PURPOSE

Bible Quiz Team is a Student Ministries elective for the purpose of helping students memorize and apply large portions of Scripture. It takes a high level of commitment on the part of both parents and students since there is a large amount of mid-week work required. We believe it is joy to memorize God's Word and worth the effort as the Holy Spirit uses His Word to mold us and cause us to live for Him.

VALUES

Spiritual Growth. We want to take ownership of our faith together and live out what we memorize. **Encouragement**. We want an environment where everyone remains positively motivated. **Unity**. We believe the best in others and seek unity as a team, as a student body and as a church. **Fun**. We want to have a blast together all year.

COMMUNICATION

We aim for timely and clear communication. In order to accomplish this, we request everyone signs up online at *highlandscc.org* under either the Middle School or High School page where Bible Quiz Team is located. Our primary form of communication will be email sent from the Bible Quiz Team Leadership.

MEETINGS

6:30-8:30 pm Renton Campus.

Regular attendance is highly recommended for encouragement, motivation, and team building throughout the year.

TEAM DETAILS & UNDERSTANDINGS

- Bible Quiz Team (BQT) is for 7-12th grade students.
- It is led by a team designated by and accountable to the Student Ministries staff. If you would like to be part of the team, please let the team leader know (Jeff Maison) and we can walk through the steps of adding you to the leadership team.
- BQT is focused on quizzing competition to help motivate Bible memory and application.
- BQT, along with all ministries, is continually evaluated as part of the overall ministry discipleship strategy within Student Ministries.
- We recognize that BQT is not for every student.
- We commit to speak and act in a way that demonstrates unity with staff, leadership, parents and quizzers. This is a high value and imperative for student and leader involvement on any team as part of Highlands Student Ministry.
- It is a ministry to HCC families, and while there are students welcomed from other churches, it is primarily an HCC ministry.
- We commit to be actively involved in the broader HCC Student Ministries for holistic growth (D-groups, Sundays, serving, camps).
- We understand Bible memory can be accomplished through a variety of methods. The competition aspect of Bible memory is a preference for how to accomplish Bible memory. Bible memory is valued and practiced along with the other spiritual disciplines within the broader Highlands Student Ministries.
- We understand extra BQT events and commitments are evaluated alongside the HCC Student Ministries calendar objectives and commitments.
- We understand the expectation that BQT is to be more than knowledge-based, and will continually strive for relevant application. BQT will strive to engage culture rather than retreat from it.
- We understand BQT is staff directed and the BQT leadership, parents and students must share the values, vision and direction of the Highlands Student Ministries leadership to participate.
- We understand BQT will culminate at the IFCA regionals (September April).

Unique for 2018-19

- We understand that this year there will be a group heading to the IFCA National convention pending leadership and interest on the part of the team:
 - We understand this doesn't mean there is an expectation to send a team to Nationals the following year.
 - For 2018-19 we will be sending a senior team to the IFCA Nationals pending a leadership team and senior team is in place.
 - o "Seniors" are defined as those who are in their third full year of quizzing having completed at least two prior full years of the Bible memory commitment.

AGREEMENT

After spending time in prayer, and talking to my family about the team details and what is necessary to be involved in this ministry, I choose to commit to the following year:

Student Name:	Date:
Student Signature:	Date:
Parent(s) Name:	Date:
Parent(s) Signature:	Date: