# REACH KIDS

### PARENT GUIDE





### WELCOME TO REACH KIDS

We are excited to partner with you in facilitating your child's spiritual growth through Christ. At Reach Kids, we are dedicated to ensuring a safe, clean, and engaging environment where your child can learn and grow. Through interactive worship, age-appropriate Bible lessons, and exciting activities, we strive to make scripture accessible and meaningful for your child.

This Parent Guide is designed to familiarize your family with our Reach Kids policies and procedures. Whether it's during a weekend service or a special event, our goal is to ensure every child has a consistent, safe, and memorable experience. The guidelines outlined in this guide apply to all Reach Kids experiences to help us serve your family with excellence.

If you have any questions or need further assistance, please don't hesitate to reach out. You can contact me at the information below! We look forward to partnering with you and your family on this exciting journey of faith and growth!

Thank you for trusting us with your child!



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### OUR VALUES

#### SAFE

We believe every child is a precious gift from God (Psalm 127:3), and their safety is our top priority. From secure check-in and check-out procedures to thoroughly trained volunteers, we ensure that every child is cared for in a secure and nurturing environment. Background checks are required for all of our volunteers and our classrooms are designed to create a space where parents can feel confident leaving their children. We believe there's no safer place for your child to be on a Sunday morning than Reach Kids!

#### **CLEAN**

We believe excellence honors God (Colossians 3:23). Every detail matters as we create a space that reflects His care for our families! Our team arrives early, stays late, and prepares our classrooms to ensure they are spotless, sanitized, and ready to receive our kids.

#### **FUN**

We believe joy is a gift from God (Psalm 16:11), and when kids have fun, they're more engaged and open to learning about Jesus. That's why our team works hard to create an exciting, interactive, and FUN experience every Sunday. From worship and Bible lessons to games and hands-on activities, we strive to make each moment meaningful and enjoyable, helping your child experience Life Change at every level!





### REACH KIDS CLASSROOM

We've created age-specific environments to ensure every child feels welcomed and engaged.

Here's an overview of our classrooms

Reach Nursery
O-Walkers

Reach Toddlers
Walkers – 3 years Old

Reach Pre-School 3-5 Years Old

Reach School Age K-5<sup>th</sup> grades



Each space is thoughtfully designed with your child's development and spiritual growth in mind. From interactive play to age-appropriate Bible lessons, we strive to make every moment impactful and fun





## OUR SAFETY COMMITTMENT

Creating an environment where parents feel comfortable to leave their children is one of our highest priorities.

#### **BACKGROUND CHECKS**

We require background checks for all of our Reach Kids team members who serve and have access to our Reach Kids areas.

#### **RESTROOM & DIAPER CHANGES**

We kindly ask parents to take your child to the restroom before class to help limit mid-service breaks. For safety, only female volunteers may change diapers and no volunteer ever enters a restroom alone with a child. You'll receive a diaper bag tag at check-in to keeps thing organized for our team.

#### **INJURY**

Each classroom has a First Aid Kit available. For any injuries, our team will complete a Reach Kids Incident Report, required to be signed by the campus leader and parents.

#### **SICK POLICY**

If your child isn't feeling well, we kindly ask that they rest at home so we can keep germs from spreading. For safety reasons, our team can't give out any medication — but if your child needs it during their time at church, a parent or guardian is welcome to step in and help.

#### **CALMING A CHILD**

We want your child to have a great experience in Reach Kids. If your child in inconsolable for more than 15 minutes, we'll contact the number on their name tag.

### HELPFULL INFORMATION

#### CHECK-IN

Upon arrival our check-in team will be ready to help you in our designated first time family check-in area. Walk your child to their classroom & give them a hug before they runoff and join the fun. Enjoy our worship experience knowing your kids are in great hands! Check in at all of our locations begin 15 minutes before the start of the experience.

#### **SNACK POLICY**

We are currently not providing snacks due to allergy concerns. However, parents are welcome to let their children bring a snack from home or from the Gathering Place to eat in the classroom.

#### **CHECK-OUT**

After the worship experience head back to fetch your child using the pick-up sticker you will receive at check-in. Parents must give the proper corresponding name tag to the classroom teacher in order to check-out his/her child. No child may exit the classroom without a proper check-out sticker.

#### **OUTSIDE ITEMS**

In an effort to create a distraction free environment, toys from home are not allowed. Our team provides all necessary age appropriate toys and playtime activities in each of our classrooms.

#### **CONTACT DURING THE EXPERIENCE**

In the event that we need to contact you during the service we will call or text the phone number on your child's name tag.