

Community Ministries Use of Evidence of Student Learning – AY 2015-2016

The program evaluation and assessment occurred at the end of the school year. Each student leader was asked to complete an informal, short answer evaluation of their leadership experience, as well as the formal assessment. 2015-2016 was the fourth year that all three assessment questions were used.

The Community Ministries staff noted that the previous year’s concerns regarding leadership training and components necessary for effective ministry execution are improving, but continue to seek improvement for maximum proficiency. These issues were addressed during the initial training week, weekly meetings, and one-on-one trainings, with continued opportunity to shadow current leaders, update ministry handbooks, and streamline logistical issues. The team is hopeful that by making incremental improvements each year, the training will become more comprehensive for all learning abilities and leadership levels.

As well, the Community Ministries staff will consider whether leadership growth and development is adequately assessed via these means, and if the questions are too broad for the students to answer in a quantifiable way. Their answers and scores do not seem to match with the level of maturity of the leaders and the training they received. The team again determined that the continued emphasis on the connection between Christian faith and service has been helpful as a majority of the Student Ministries leaders scored Proficient or Advanced on this assessment question.

Community Ministries Organizational Chart

Student Ministry Director Team:			
Student Ministries Intern, Homeless Ministries Core Group Director, Tutoring Ministries Core Group Director, Visiting/Creative Ministries Core Group Director			
Student Ministries Intern	Homeless Ministries Beacon of Light Leaders Bread of Life Leaders Surf & Serve Leaders Threshold Leaders Wednesday Night Outreach Leaders	Tutoring Ministries ALIMA Leaders Kids @ Heart: Iglesia Presbyteriana Leaders Logan Heights Library Leaders THRIVE Leaders Reality Changers Leaders	Visiting/Creative Ministries Agape Leaders Beloved Leaders Elderly Outreach Leaders Master's Hands Leaders Turning Pointe Leader

