

ROYAL SERVANTS MENTOR PROGRAM

For both the Royal Servant Participant & Mentor

The Lord will grow you this summer as you serve, and because of our commitment to discipleship, our goal is beyond a summer “spiritual high.” We want to come alongside what the Lord is already doing and will continue to do in your life after you get home. For this reason and many others we **STRONGLY** recommend that you consider finding a mentor that is nearby, preferably from your home church. A simple definition of mentoring is an intentional, one-on-one relationship with a person who is further along in their Christian journey than you, who can provide consistent support, guidance, and prayer as you prepare for and return home from your Royal Servants mission trip.

Pray about someone in your life who you’d like to mentor you and ask them if they would be interested. Talk through some expectations and ideas of what that would look like. Every mentor relationship will look a little bit different, but here are a few thoughts we have on what it could look like:

- Multiple agreed upon meeting times both before and after the trip.
- Accountability in support raising, especially as procrastination is a temptation!
- Help with Scripture memorization before the trip.
- A safe place to share joys, frustrations, and prayers with regards to your Royal Servants trip.
- Encouragement, prayer, wisdom, and a listening ear.

Each mentor will receive three letters designed to give specific insight into the Royal Servants experience to better help them in the mentoring relationship. The first will come soon after this form is returned, another as the summer nears, and the last one after you get home from the trip. We will also be offering more ideas and resources via email if desired.

We are excited about how intentional discipleship leading up to and following your trip can help maximize the impact a Royal Servants summer can have on your own spiritual journey, and we hope you are excited too!

MENTOR PROGRAM FORM

| Royal Servants Mentor (Please Print Clearly) | Royal Servants Participant |
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| Name: _____ | Name: _____ |
| Street: _____ | RS Trip: _____ |
| City, State, Zip: _____ | Contract - I commit to investing in the Royal Servants Mentor Program before and after the Royal Servants summer trip. |
| Email: _____ | Participant Signature: _____ |
| How do you know the Royal Servant: _____ | Date: _____ |
| How long you’ve known the participant: _____ | Mentor Signature: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I would like to receive occasional email updates with ideas, tips and suggestions on mentoring. (used for mentor program updates ONLY) | Date: _____ |