



Dear Families and Students,

Welcome to “iMust” Discipleship!! You have made one of the best decisions of your life- to *come* to God, to *hear* His words, and to *do* what He says. This 3-step discipleship program is based on our foundational scripture found in Luke 6:47-48:

*“Whoever comes to Me, and hears My sayings and does them, I will show you whom he is like: He is like a man building a house, who dug deep and laid the foundation on the rock. And when the flood arose, the stream beat vehemently against that house, and could not shake it, for it was founded on the rock.”*

“iMust” are the first two words of the seven words Jesus spoke when He was 12 years old: “I must be about My Father’s business”. “iMust” Discipleship teaches you how to live the seven words of Jesus by *coming* to Him, *hearing* His words and *doing* what He says. This is how we lay our foundation on the rock, and this is how we live victoriously!

### **Expectations**

Each student will be given a journal, a weekly homework checklist, and a folder with additional class resources. Students are expected to review and check off their homework list daily. We highly recommend that this list is visible and accessible all week to keep your child focused and responsible. Students who *consistently* fail to complete their homework will not be allowed to graduate. Each week, students will meet with their coach to discuss their progress during the week. Your student’s coach will also contact your child each week to check-in. The following is a breakdown of expectations for the four-week class:

1. **Come-** We must come to God
  - a. **Attendance:** Students are required to attend all four discipleship classes. *If a student misses a class, they will be unable to graduate.*
  - b. **Prayer:** Students are required to do 7-12 minutes of undisturbed, spoken prayer every day (minutes depend on which level your child is taking). We suggest parents help their child by setting a timer for their children.
  - c. **Fasting:** Students will fast secular media and can only view 5 hours of secular media per week. Christian based apps, games, movies, etc or school books/assignments do not count against the 5 hour limit.

2. **Hear-** We must hear God
  - a. **Reading:** Students will read selected chapter(s) every day.
  - b. **Journaling:** After reading the Bible passage for the day, students will write in their journal and record what God is speaking to them using the SOAP format.
  - c. **Faithbuilders:** Students are required to watch one 10-minute Faithbuilder video and take notes in their journal each week.
3. **Do-** We must do what God says
  - a. **Memorize and Meditate:** Students are given one “memory verse of the week”. Students are encouraged to meditate on the verse throughout the week. Students should try their best to memorize the verse throughout the week and will be given an opportunity in class to recite the verse to their coach. We understand that memorizing scripture can be difficult, especially for kids, so we simply ask that they do their best. As long as they are meditating on it throughout the week they will do great!
  - b. **Ministry:** Students are required to serve in a ministry at church or help others in some capacity outside of church on a weekly basis (extra chores at home, helping a neighbor, etc. Feel free to be creative!).
  - c. **Invite:** Students are required to invite someone to church and/or to “I Must” Discipleship once during the course of the class.
  - d. **Share or Prayer (Levels 5 & 6):** Students need to pray for someone in person OR share the gospel with someone and fill out the “Prayer or Share Worksheet” each week.

If you wish for your child to participate in this discipleship program and commit to helping your child graduate by adhering to the expectations, please fill out a registration form. Cost for the program is \$\_\_\_\_\_ and is due by the start of the first class. We believe your time will be worth the investment and look forward to partnering with your child over the next four weeks!

Reaching a generation before they need to be rescued,

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