

## Campus Ministry Grant Application

Next Generation Ministries (Next Gen), a vital mission partner to the Greater New Jersey Conference, has the yearly task to evaluate, distribute and cultivate funds for the Campus Ministry Network. Campus ministries receive program money from Next Gen through this grant application. For the 2020 – 2021 school year, grants up to \$4,000 will be awarded.

### Campus Ministry Network

Campus ministries who receive funding from Next Gen will participate in the Campus Ministry Network, a collaborative community of campus ministers and local church leaders in ministry with students on college campuses. Through the network, campus ministries receive funds, connect with one another, and have access to resources and support to thrive in ministry. The Campus Ministry Network is led by the Next Gen Campus Ministry Coordinator.

Receiving a grant and participation in the network will include:

- Campus Ministry Grant Application with annual goals
- Regular check-in or coaching calls
- Grant report due each semester
- Participation in yearly planning retreat

Through the network, campus ministries can also access:

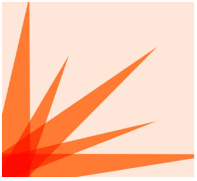
- Events and mission projects for college students, including ministry discernment
- Additional grant programs, such as the College Cultivate experience
- Development resources to grow funding and donor relationships
- Media support, such as web design, branding and promotional materials
- Individual ministry coaching

2020-2021 Campus Ministry Network Calendar:

June 15	Campus Ministry Grant Applications due
July 1	New appointments begin
August	Yearly planning retreat. Disbursement of Fall Semester Funds.
December 11	Fall 2020 Grant Report due
January 2021	Disbursement of Spring Semester Funds
May 7	Spring 2021 Grant Report due
May 21	2021-2022 Campus Ministry Grant Applications due

*\* Next Gen support for campus minister salaries is coordinated outside of the grant process. Campus Minister appointments and salaries are set in coordination with the Cabinet and Next Generation Ministries. To receive salary monies, it is recommended to have a successful grant program first.*

**Connect. Grow. Lead.**

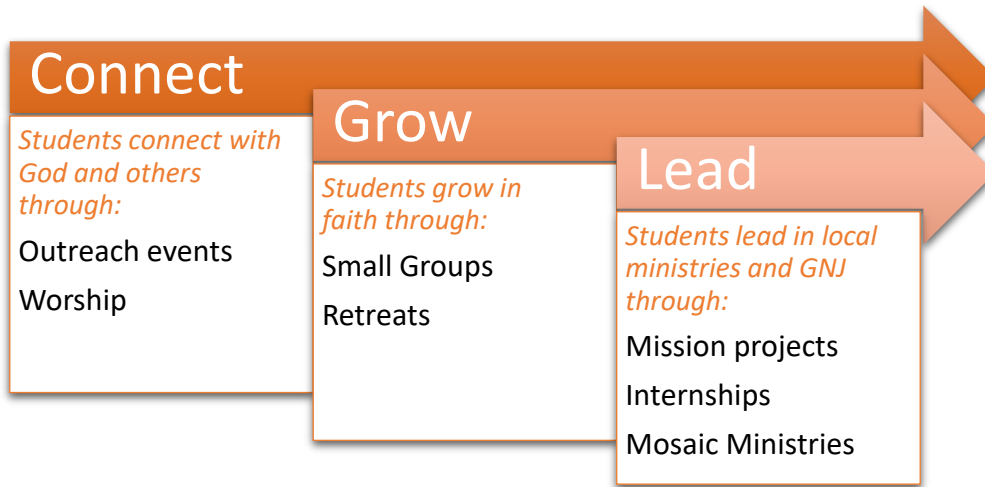


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The mission of Next Generation Ministries is to cultivate and catalyze new generations of enthusiastic disciples of Jesus Christ who connect, grow and lead in their congregations and communities for the transformation of the world.

Next Gen Campus Ministries follow the Next Gen Mission Pathway of Connect, Grow, Lead:

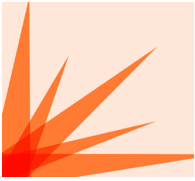


**Connect:** Opportunities for students to connect with God and others, maybe for the first time. Connect gatherings happen in high energy, welcoming settings and create a low-risk step into faith, calling and Next Generation Ministries programming. This is often the first step on the Next Gen Mission Pathway and encourages all to go deeper and Grow.

**Grow:** Opportunities for students to grow in their faith and leadership. These include retreats, small group gatherings, learning cohorts, mission trips and more. To grow together community and safe space are created to deepen faith and explore the calling as leaders of the church. Grow gatherings regularly encourage all to explore their call and lead.

**Lead:** Opportunities for students to serve in their ministry setting, GNJ and Next Gen. The next generation of disciples is full of today's church leaders; the culmination of the mission pathway is leading in ministry, helping others to connect, grow and lead.

Campus ministry funding will be invested in ministries, which are helping students on college campuses to connect with God, grow in faith and lead in their ministry setting. Please write SMART campus ministry goals, including specific actions, measurable outcomes and the timeframe in which they will be accomplished.



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## Campus Ministry Grant Application – Due June 15, 2020

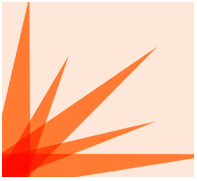
To input your information, click on the *dark gray* areas within the highlighted areas and begin typing. Please complete all gray highlighted areas. Responses must fit in the box and space provided.

For local church applicants:

<b>Church Name:</b>		<b>Church ID number:</b>	
<b>Church Address:</b>		<b>District:</b>	
<b>Pastor:</b>		<b>Email:</b>	I have reviewed and approve the request
<b>Ministry Supervisor (if different than pastor):</b>		<b>Email:</b>	I have reviewed and approve the request
<b>Church Council Chair:</b>		<b>Email:</b>	I have reviewed and approve the request
<b>College/University:</b>		<b>Address:</b>	

For Appointed Campus Ministers:

<b>College/University:</b>		<b>Address:</b>	
<b>Related Church:</b>		<b>District:</b>	
<b>Campus Minister:</b>		<b>Email:</b>	I have reviewed and approve the request
<b>District Superintendent:</b>		<b>Email:</b>	I have reviewed and approve the request



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\* Appointed Campus Ministers should share their completed grant application with the District Superintendent at the time of applying for the grant.

**1. In 400 words describe how your ministry will follow the Connect, Grow, Lead model. Describe outreach events, monthly discipleship and leadership opportunities for your campus ministry.**

**Description:**

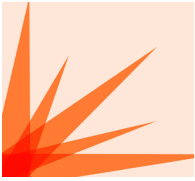
**2. Goals. In this field include measurable goals for one or more mission pathway areas. Appointed campus ministers are expected to have one goal for each area of Connect, Grow and Lead.**

1. Connect Goal:

2. Grow Goal:

3. Lead Goal:

**3. Celebration: In the field below tell us about a ministry celebration in the past year (500 words):**



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4. Use the space below to outline the budget for how you will allocate the requested funds. Include the sources of income that will support the ministry and the expense lines that will be associated with the program. Use only those lines applicable to your program (Income and Expenses amounts should be balanced).

Budget 2020-2021			
INCOME	Amount	EXPENSES	Amount
2020 Campus Ministry Grant (Amount Requested)		<b>Fall Semester</b>	
Additional Income			
Fundraising			
		<b>Spring Semester</b>	
Cultivate College Grant		College Cultivate Internship	
<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>		<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	