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**In a proactive effort to provide a safe environment and to protect both the students and staff, the following are guidelines for all events and activities:**

**State Minimal Requirements:**

Middle School (Grades 6-8)

* Minimum of 2 adults (18 years of age and over) should be present in class at all times
* 1:14 adult-to-child ratio

High School (Grades 9-12)

* Minimum of 2 adults (22 years of age and over) should be present in class at all times

**OUR Goal (FBCD Student Ministries):**

Adult to student Ratio: 1 adult to 8 students,

for camps and retreats: 1 adult to 5 students.

We will strive to have clear and adequate staffing BEFORE any event. (Minimum of 2 adults)

If necessary, we will have the group wait outside, get parent assistance or cancel events.

Though we operate through God’s Grace, we seek to be wise and diligent in all we do.

Start and End on time to keep schedules well and to keep students moving and be thoughtful on time.

**A PASTOR/TEACHER/LEADER SHOULD NEVER BE ALONE WITH A MINOR OF ANY AGE AT ANY TIME.**