

ELECTED SUNDAY SCHOOL LEADERSHIP QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPECTATIONS

Qualifications

I understand that, in order to be an elected leader of a Sunday morning Bible study group, each of the following must apply...

- I am a born-again believer in Jesus Christ and have assurance of salvation and eternal life.
- I have been a member of First Baptist Church at least six months.
- I regularly attend the worship services of First Baptist Church.
- I am in doctrinal agreement with the major doctrines outlined in *The Baptist Faith and Message* of 2000.
- If teaching minors, I am required to submit to, and pass, a criminal background check.

Expectations

I understand that, in entrusting me with the leadership of a Sunday morning Bible study group, my church expects that ...

- I will be faithful in attendance and active in outreach, ministry, and other functions that I am to lead.
- I will strive to be a Christ-like role model to believers and unbelievers in matters included in, but not limited by, the Church Constitution.
- I will strive to practice biblical stewardship through tithing and giving to my church.
- I will strive to have a daily time of personal prayer and Bible study.
- I will arrive by 15 minutes before starting time on Sunday mornings to be prepared to lead, greet and befriend class members and visitors upon their arrival.
- I will be prayerful for the leading of the Holy Spirit for the group.
- I will use a Bible study curriculum approved by the appropriate staff member.
- I will study the scriptures along with the curriculum helps provided, and lead members in the study of the scriptures.
- I will seek to fulfill the Great Commission by leading the lost to be saved and believers to grow in Christ-likeness.
- I will participate in an annual First Baptist Church scheduled training event.