

2020 J-Term Opportunities for High School Students

J-Term, or January Term, is a special week at CCS that offers high school students opportunities to participate in mission trips and experiential learning trips. J-Term is important to our students because it opens opportunities for growth beyond the traditional academic setting by providing a way for students to grow in Christ, build community and serve others. All trips include an element of experience, discipleship and service.

- The trips listed below are proposed and will be confirmed based upon participation.
- The cost listed is a "maximum cost." Once we have groups established after registration, we can then begin shopping for better deals and making reservations to finalize costs.
- Costs will be finalized by the end of summer and any savings will be shared before the first half of the trip cost is due **September 23**.

IMPORTANT DATES FOR REGISTRATION

May 9 - Selection opens (*Parents will be sent an email with a selection link.*)

May 13 - Deadline to turn in selection

May 17 - Selection results emailed to students and parents

May 17 - Registration information will be emailed to parents

May 28 - Registration and deposit due to secure your student's participation

2020 J-Term Proposed Opportunities

Internships

Intern with a local business or organization of your choosing. 30 hours required. Internships must be secured and confirmed completely by October 1, 2019. If it is not secured by October 1, you will be placed in Charlotte Serve and pay the late registration fee.

Local Missions

Metrolina Mission (\$300 max)

This is a new track for our local missions that would provide the opportunity to immerse our students in our Charlotte culture and enjoy the experience of bonding with their team like many of our groups that travel. This track would open more impactful opportunities with our ministry partners like Project 658 (*refugee ministry*) to help with their after school program as well as our existing relationships with Charlotte Rescue Mission, Carrington

Place, Merry Oaks, and Beds for Kids. Students will stay at the Metrolina Baptist Association throughout that week.

Charlotte Serve (\$100 max)

This is an impactful opportunity for our students to be engaged with service projects in our community. We will work with some of our current partners like JAARS doing landscaping projects. We are also exploring some new service opportunities for students.

International Missions Opportunities

SCORE International Sports Missions (\$2000 max)

SCORE's mission is to equip student athletes to share God's love through their sport. We help to put together sports teams to serve and share the gospel through competitions and service work. Enjoy exploring the amazing culture of Costa Rica through activities like zip-lining, hiking to a volcano and shopping at local marketplaces.

time or worship and teaching, followed by fellowship and activities. One day will be spent in a sugar cane village and another at the beach.

Pacific Coast Mission (\$2,000 max)

The students will travel to partner with a missional outreach in the coastal city of Huacho, Peru. While serving alongside the Tippie family who are missionaries with Loving Grace World Missions, our students will conduct community projects like vacation bible school and teaching English. The Tippies also use skateboarding and surfing as an outreach to young people in Huacho. Since it will be summer time in Peru, the timing will allow our students opportunity to minister while children are out of school and without a lot of activities.

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Educational Opportunities

Fort Caswell (\$550 max)

Fort Caswell is blessed to be surrounded by a salt marsh, the Cape Fear River, and the Atlantic Ocean. These unique ecosystems make for an amazing outdoor classroom for their Environmental Stewardship Program. The purpose of this program is to create awareness and a sense of stewardship to care for and preserve our environment. While staying at Fort Caswell, students will venture out around the area to serve a local ministry as well as visit attractions like the NC Aquarium at Fort Fisher and U.S.S. North Carolina Battleship Memorial. Depending on the UNCW basketball schedule, we will try to catch a game and visit some of our alumni!

NOLA (\$1,600 max)

Explore New Orleans and the culture of the "Big Easy." Students will visit the National World War II Museum, New Orleans Museum of Art, Saints Hall of Fame Museum, the Audubon Nature Institute and other similar activities in the community. Students will participate in a project with a local ministry to give back to the New Orleans community.

Big Apple Arts (\$1,750 max)

For our students who love the arts this will be a great opportunity to hit the Big Apple to visit art museums, attend a Broadway show, Central Park and the Empire State building! Students will partner with a local ministry to serve the community. Students will stay near Times Square and take in the many sites of New York City.

Camp Camino

(\$1,800 max - Spanish immersion trip to Puerto Rico)

Spanish 2 and higher students are welcomed to serve at a mountain mission camp, similar to Windy Gap. We will serve the Camp in the morning, go into the towns and serve those in need during the day. We will also enjoy some fellowship in the resort city of San Juan.

Regional Missions Opportunities

Lurecrest (\$400 max)

Service, mission, retreat. Located on Lake Lure, the 65 acre camp offers retreats and camps that share the gospel with campers. Your service this week will focus on improving the campground, working with local non-profits and mission organizations, all while enjoying the Lurecrest retreat experience with outdoor adventures and nightly devotions

Disaster Relief (\$400 max)

We will partner with NC Baptists on Mission to serve in rebuilding phase in Lumberton, NC an area that has been hit by historic flooding twice over the last few years. This impoverished area has a permanent site to house and feed teams as the rebuild process is an extended ongoing effort. Student will spend 3 days serving before joining our team at Ft. Caswell for some fun activities and team building Oak Island/Wilmington, NC area. While staying at Fort Caswell, students will visit attractions like the NC Aquarium at Fort Fisher and U.S.S. North Carolina Battleship Memorial. Depending on the UNCW basketball schedule we will try to catch a game and visit some of our alumni there!

Solomon's Temple (\$600 max)

Serve at Solomon's Temple in inner-city Atlanta, a transitional facility for homeless women and their children. We will serve the residents and work with children during after school programs. Possible excursions include Georgia Aquarium, World of Coke, Civil Rights Museum, Dwarf House, or SunTrust Park Tour

Big Creek Mission (\$850 max)

Based in Bear Branch, Kentucky, Big Creek Mission connects churches and volunteer groups from across the country with needs that exist in the Leslie, Clay, and Perry County areas. We are able to reach out to our community through home repairs, providing community programs, tutoring, day camps, food distribution, and student outreach. By providing these services, and connecting churches with needs here in our community, we hope to nurture positive relationships that will continue to benefit the community at Big Creek.



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