



Special Needs/Disability Ministry
Weekend Volunteer Opportunities
Job Descriptions



All jobs require a current background check, and SOAR Volunteer training.

Opportunities to serve:

Special Needs/Disability Ministry Director:

Coordinates and schedules buddies for weekend services. Works with both families and volunteers. Works with children's and student ministries in integrating individuals with special needs seamlessly. No experience is necessary. Open to adults. 5-6 hour/week

Special Needs/Disability Ministry Service Coordinator (each hour)

Coordinates the service hour in the Children's Ministry for individuals with special needs and their volunteers. Ensures that all buddies have arrived and are with their designated participants. Greets and welcomes new families. Handles and assists with behavioral problems as necessary. Troubleshoots during services. Becomes the 3rd person when needed on sensory breaks. Open to youth or adults. 1 hour/week

Special Needs/Disability Ministry Buddy for Children's Ministry:

Serve on a 1:1 ratio with a child with special needs to provide assistance, support, and friendship during weekend services. No experience is necessary. Open to youth or adults. 1 hour/week

Special Needs/Disability Ministry Buddy for Adults (12 y/o+):

Serve on a 1:1 ratio with an adult (12 y/o +) with special needs to provide assistance, support, and friendship during the Special Needs Adult class. No experience is necessary. Open to high school youth or adults. 1 hour/week

Special Needs/Disability Ministry Lead Teacher for Adults (12 y/o+):

Teach the developmentally appropriate curriculum for the Adult Class (12 y/o +). No experience is necessary. Open to high school youth or adults. 1.5 hour/week

Special Needs/Disability Ministry Buddy for Students (MS/HS):

Serve on a 1:1 ratio with a student with special needs to provide assistance, support, and friendship during Student Ministry services. No experience is necessary. Open to adults. 1-3 hour/week

Special Needs/Disability Ministry Student Coordinator:

Coordinates and schedules Student buddies for Student Ministry programming. Works with both families and volunteers. Helps lead the Student Ministry Small Group (Special Needs). Works with both the Disability Ministry Director and Student Ministries Pastor. No experience is necessary. Open to adults. 4 hour/week

Special Needs/Disability Ministry Student Small Group Leader:

Leads the Student's Small Group discussion and assists with the buddies as needed. Open to adults. 4 hour/week

Special Needs/Disability Ministry Float:

Be available during services to buddy with an individual with special needs who is visiting and needs assistance or to assist with individuals when extra help is required. Float is needed during all services. No experience is necessary. Open to students/adults. 1 hour/week

Special Needs/Disability Ministry Substitute Buddies:

Fill in when a scheduled buddy is unable to serve. Open to youth or adults.