



PHILADELPHIA

FUGE GROUP LEADER INFORMATION

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Please contact us if you have further questions: 1.877.CAMP.123

PRE-CAMP PROGRAM DETAILS

WELCOME

We are so glad you chose to come to FUGE this summer. We hope this information packet will be helpful in your camp planning.

What is M-Fuge?

M-Fuge is for your students who want to participate in Bible study and missions with students from other churches, led by Fuge camp staff.

PARENT PACK

CLICK HERE <http://fuge2010.s3.amazonaws.com/PPPHILLY.pdf>

REGISTRATION POLICY AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE

Registration Policy for All LifeWay Camps

Before February 1: You may reserve your spot at camp anytime before February 1, 2010 with no deposit.

February 1: A \$50 per person deposit is required for each reservation to be paid on or before February 1. If you have already registered, you are required to pay \$50 deposit per person to hold your reservation. Any new or additional reservation made after February 1 will require an immediate \$50 deposit per person. **ALL deposits are non-refundable and cannot be applied toward balance due.**

May 1 Cancellation Deadline: All cancellations made after May 1 will incur an additional \$50 fee for each person dropped. **When cancellations occur, deposits cannot be applied toward balance due.**

14 Days Prior to Camp: Final balance must be received 14 days before your arrival at camp. If it is not, your group will be charged a on time \$75 fee*

***Auto Payment Option:** Authorized Group leaders may give permission to charge the remaining balance to a church LifeWay account by calling LifeWay Events Registration at 1-877-CAMP-123. This must be done by May 1, 2010. Any adjustments for drops or additions will be applied to the specified account after camp.

WHAT TO BRING

- Linens, towels, pillows, blankets
- Water bottle that you can refill and carry with you
- Closed toe, closed heel shoes and shirts with sleeves to wear on ministry site
- Bible, notepad, and pen
- Toiletries such as toothbrush and shampoo
- Sun protection
- Spending money for snacks, camp store, and missions offering (optional)
- Ministry supplies if your group is doing XFUGE on Mission
- **DO NOT BRING** alcohol, tobacco, illegal drugs, fireworks, water guns, or any kind of weapon
- **DO NOT BRING** radios, iPods, CD players, play station portables or other gaming devices, roller blades, skateboards – if students do bring cell phones please help be sure it is not a distraction at camp.

TRANSPORTATION POLICY FOR FUGE

Groups must provide adequate and appropriate transportation and drivers for students to get to ministry sites & off campus activities while attending FUGE.

The best way to ensure adequate transportation is for each group to provide enough seating, with seat belts, to cover the number of participants the group is bringing. The vehicles best suiting the needs for use at M-Fuge are mini-vans, personal vehicles, 12 passenger vans, and mini buses. If 15 passenger vans are brought for use by churches, according to LifeWay Christian Resources and many state laws, M-Fuge will not load more than 11 passengers (including driver) on them.

What about large / charter buses?

M-Fuge will make the best possible use of large buses. While we welcome you to bring whatever source of transportation to camp that best suits the needs of your church, we must recognize that the use of large buses poses some significant logistical difficulty. If you bring a large bus to camp, we are asking that you make it available for use each day of ministry projects. Please keep in mind that the driver is required to stay on ministry site and is not allowed to leave. You may also be asked to provide, rent if needed, additional transportation to stay on site in case of emergency. This additional transportation could include cars, mini-vans, or 12 passenger vans. Bringing a couple of additional personal vehicles to camp per large bus is suggested for churches utilizing large buses as their primary means of transportation.

Bottom line

We want to make this as easy as possible for you, but we need you to understand that some weeks may have scenarios which require the provision of additional transportation, whether through personal or rented vehicles.

Bus Drivers

If your group comes on a chartered bus to M-Fuge and you plan on using that charter bus as your transportation to ministry site, you will need to secure lodging for the bus driver. The bus driver is welcome to be considered as one of your adult chaperones, as long as they will participate in supervising your students and you trust them to do so. If this is the case, you can just register him/her as an adult sponsor in your group numbers. If you do not wish to have the bus driver serve as an adult chaperone, you will need to make arrangements for his/her meals and lodging off campus.

CAMP BIBLE STUDY THEME

Please take some time to talk about and study the theme for your week of camp with your students. Below is an outline.

Theme Title: KAIROS
Tagline: Defining Moments
Theme Verse: Ephesians 5:15-16
Study Focus: Character

Day 1

Character = Love
Teaching Aim: Students will learn God loves them and how denying self will lead them to develop a deep love for Him and others.
Study Passage: Jonah
Jonah 1:1-2:1
Jonah 2:10-3:5, 10
Jonah 4:1-11
Life Questions: When was a time you tried to run from God and His direction for your life?
When have you responded to God out of love for Him?
When have you experienced the mercy and compassion of God?
How have you shown love to others?
Defining Moment: Jonah 3:3

Day 2

Character = Obedience
Teaching Aim: Students will discover faithfulness in everyday moments leads to a lifestyle of obedience that honors the Lord and has lasting impact.
Study Passage: Shadrach, Meshach and Agednego
Daniel 1:3-7, 8-17a
Daniel 3:1, 4-18
Daniel 3:19-30
Life Questions: Why does obedience not come naturally?
When was a time you obeyed God even when it was not the popular thing to do?
How can your obedience or lack thereof affect those around you?
Defining Moment: Daniel 3:17-18

Day 3

Teaching Aim:

Character = Sacrifice

Students will realize living for God requires sacrifice and how our response to those moments shapes us and others.

Study Passage:

Hannah
1 Samuel 1:10-18
1 Samuel 1:20-28
1 Samuel 2:1-11

Life Questions:

How do you respond to sacrifice in your life?
Why does your affection for other things often outweigh your love for God?
What are you willing to give up in order to live the life God has for you?
How does sacrifice in your life influence or shape others' thinking and response?

Defining Moment:

1 Samuel 1:27-28

Day 4

Teaching Aim:

Character = Integrity

Students will understand the importance of staying true to our original purpose and passion in the midst of struggle or success.

Study Passage:

Nehemiah
Nehemiah 2:1-6, 17-18
Nehemiah 2:19-20, 5:14-16
Nehemiah 6:15-16

Life Questions:

When are we to be people of integrity?
When was a time you compromised your integrity and what was the result?
As believers, what message does not being of utmost integrity send to non-believers?
How does our integrity (or lack of) reflect upon the reputation of God?

Defining Moment:

Nehemiah 6:15-16

Day 5

Teaching Aim:

Character = Commitment

Students will find that follow through and dedication to fulfill our calling are essential to experiencing the full life God intends for us.

Study Passage:

Jeremiah
Jeremiah 1:4-10
Jeremiah 1:17-19
Jeremiah 29:11-14

Life Questions:

When did you want to give up and quit?
What might we miss if we do not remain true to something?
What does being committed to a cause or person require from you?

Defining Moment:

Jeremiah 1:9-10

Quiet Time Focus:

Silence and solitude

SPECIAL NEEDS REQUESTS

Fuge takes the special needs of students and adults seriously. Meeting your needs and setting up your group for a great week of camp is important to us. While we understand that the spiritual need for your students is great, we would like to specifically know about physical and emotional needs. These needs include but are not limited to wheel chair accessibility, hearing/sight impairment, food allergies, etc.

If one of your students has a special need that should be handled before camp starts, please call our camp toll-free line (1.877.CAMP.123) and share this with our events registration team so it can be handled properly. The special need can also be shared with us via email at fuge@lifeway.com.

If your student's need should be known by our camp staff at camp, you have the option of completing a "Special Attention Card" for your student so this need can be addressed by the Fuge staff. You can print and fill out this card before camp, or you can fill it out on registration day at camp. You can find a copy of this card in the Appendix of this document.

NIGHT LIFE

We don't want to ruin the surprise by telling you too much, but there are a couple of themed Night Lives. You will want your students to have the appropriate clothes to dress for these two theme driven nights.

Tuesday Night– Fuge County Fair; come dressed in overalls, boots and a straw hat or other attire you might see at a county fair.

Thursday Night – Variety Show; dress up as your favorite historical figure like George Washington, Neil Armstrong or John Wayne.

Friday Night – Mega Relay

DRESS CODE

Make sure your students do NOT pack anything that:

- Advertises alcohol, tobacco, illegal drugs
- Explicitly or implicitly promotes racism, sexism, or hatred of any group or person
- Explicitly or implicitly refers to sexual actions or situations
- Has spaghetti straps, except for sleepwear
- Is excessively short or tight fitting.

While at camp, we ask that students:

- Wear modest, one-piece bathing suits or two-piece suits covered with a t-shirt
- Wear modest shorts, dresses, slacks, and jeans for worship. Long pants or knee length skirts are required for students or adults participating in worship on stage
- Do not dress in a way that calls attention to underwear (sagging your pants, rolling down your waistbands, etc)
- For ministry sites, please make sure that all students/adults have closed toe shoes and shirts with at least short sleeves.

We invite you to join us as leaders in monitoring your group to ensure they are dressing appropriately.

SPONSOR QUALIFICATIONS

- In order to provide the best atmosphere and supervision, we ask that all groups bring 1 male sponsor for every 5 boys, and 1 female sponsor for every 5 girls.
- All sponsors must be at least 19 years old. Basically, someone who has been out of high school for at least one year. We encourage each church to select these sponsors at their own discretion.
- Aid in monitoring the dress code of your students.
- Encourage participation and promptness by setting an example
- College students coming with your group who are under age 21 and not a sponsor do not have to be included in your student ratio. For example, if you bring 5 high school boys and 4 college-aged boys, you will only need 1 male sponsor since the 4 college-aged boys don't count in your sponsor-to-student ratio.

BRINGING CHILDREN TO CAMP

We want you to be able to spend more time with the ones you love during your busy summer. Children too young to participate in our camp programming (completed 5th grade or younger) can join you at camp with the following parameters:

- Meals/Bed = full price
- No meals/No Bed = no charge

We want your family to experience worship together, but not at the expense of everyone else. We ask that you please take your child out of the service if they are a distraction to others. Children must have adult supervision at all times. Please also consider the needs of your students and ensure enough adults accompany your group to build relationships and focus on their camp experience.

Please note that while we welcome your children to camp the camp program is not designed for their comfort. We cannot make arrangements for your child to have quiet hours for naps.

CHURCH GROUP AND PARENT DEVOTIONS

Church Group Devotion is a time for each church group to be together in the evenings to debrief the day. This time usually lasts one hour. The Group Leader needs to determine what should be discussed or taught. The Fuge office provides devotions for this time which can be found on the Fuge website after April 1. Print this and bring it to camp with you, if you choose to use it.

Parent Devotions are also available on the Fuge website after April 1. This resource is for you to give parents so that they can follow along and know what your students are learning in Bible study.

RELEASE FORM

Every person coming to camp (adult sponsors and students) needs to complete two Fuge Release Forms. Both copies need to be notarized. You can find the FUGE Release Form in the Appendix of this document.

If for some reason, a student or adult in your group does not want to provide their social security number, please have them complete the “Refusal/Absence of Vital Information Form” that can also be found in the Appendix of this document.

PARTICIPANT LIST (EXCEL GRID)

In order to get your students into Bible study groups, we need to know their names and ages before they arrive at camp.

Click on the link below for this Participant List excel document. Please complete the excel grid and email it to philadelphiamfuge@gmail.com two weeks prior to your arrival at camp.

If you do not complete and email this grid to camp, you will be asked to complete it upon arrival to camp. Having done this before camp will ensure a faster and more efficient registration process.

CLICK HERE <http://fuge2010.s3.amazonaws.com/2010ParticipantListGENERAL.xls>

ARRIVAL AND AT CAMP DETAILS

ARRIVAL AT CAMP

When you arrive to camp this summer, you will need to bring the following with you (both of which are included in this document):

1. Two notarized FUGE Release Forms (medical release form) for each camper and sponsor. Please bring them separated into two sets. One complete set of forms will be turned in upon arrival to Fuge and the other set is to be kept with the Church Group Leader at all times.
2. Registration checklist. Please print this checklist (found on the page below), complete it, and bring it with you to registration.

Registration will take place between 1pm and 4pm.
Look for banners to point you to Fuge Registration.

You should not have to bring payment with you, unless you have changes at the last minute, as payments are due two weeks prior to arrival at camp.

CAMP SCHEDULE

Opening Day

1:00 – 4:00 PM	Registration
5:00 PM	Dinner
6:30 PM	Opening Celebration
7:30 PM	MTET/Track Time Planning
10:00 PM	Church Group Rally
10:15 PM	Church Group Devotion
11:00 PM	In Rooms
11:30 PM	Lights Out

Full Days of Camp (Days 1, 3 & 4)

7:00 AM	Breakfast
8:00 AM	AM Show
8:30 AM	Dismiss from AM Show to QT/Bible Study
10:00 AM	Depart for Ministry Sites
3:00 PM	Hang Time
5:00 PM	Dinner
6:30 PM	Worship
8:00 PM	Church Group Devotion
10:00 PM	Night Life
10:30 PM	Hang Time
11:00 PM	In Rooms
11:30 PM	Lights Out

Day 2 of Camp (Change from previous years)

*Morning schedule is the same

3:00 PM	Extended Free Time in the City
9:00 PM	Worship
10:15 PM	Church Group Devotion
11:00 PM	In Rooms
11:30 PM	Lights Out

Closing Day

7:00 AM	Breakfast
8:00 AM	Quiet Time/Bible Study
9:30 AM	Closing Celebration
10:30 AM	Churches Depart

PASTOR AND WORSHIP LEADER

CLICK HERE www.fuge.com



MFUGE MINISTRY TRACKS

Upon arrival at registration, your M-Fuge students will sign up for their ministry track for the week. They will participate in these ministries in the afternoon each day. Their options are:

Children's Ministry

This ministry track involves working with children in a variety of settings. These tracks could include Vacation Bible Schools, Backyard Bible Clubs, Day Camps, and other site-specific work with children. The purpose of this track is to minister to children, providing your students with the opportunity to teach and lead children in telling Bible stories, making crafts, and playing games.

Social Ministry

This ministry track involves a variety of ministry opportunities for meeting the physical, emotional, mental, and spiritual needs of people. This track ministers to the following populations and organizations: mentally/physically handicapped centers, homeless shelters, soup kitchens, food banks, clothing closets, furniture distribution centers, refugee ministries, centers for teaching adults and children English as a second language (ESL), prison ministries, Baptist Centers, Salvation Army Sites, and other community organizations with like purposes.

Painting, Construction, and Yardwork Ministry

Students in this track will spend their week building houses, roofing, repairing, cleaning, painting, and doing yardwork. These tracks work with various organizations such as Habitat for Humanity and the local housing authorities.

Creative Ministry

This ministry track uses the gifts and abilities of students to minister through drama, interpretive movement, puppets, clowning, singing, and other ministry performances. Students in this track will spend their week traveling to nursing homes, children's centers, residential homes, beaches, parks, and other places where they will be able to minister creatively.

Games and Recreation Ministry

This ministry track is designed to help students use their athletic ability and willing hearts to share the gospel through sportsmanship and Christ-like attitudes. These tracks are located in children's centers or homes, apartment complexes, and boys and girls clubs.

MISSIONS OFFERING

The summer of 2010, we will celebrate the 25th anniversary of the Fuge missions offering. Students have given more than 8 million dollars and last year alone students gave over \$611,000. This missions offering goes to support the work of both the International Mission Board (IMB) and the North American Mission Board (NAMB).

These agencies have allowed us to target specific ministries with which students can identify. Our offering going to the IMB will continue to support the work of missionaries working with the Romany people in Central and Eastern Europe. More than 350 students responded last summer by going with their youth groups to minister and multiply the hands and feet of the Roma missionaries.

Our offering going to NAMB will help to support their Current Canada summer missions program. Current Canada is a partnership project between the North American Mission Board and the Canadian National Baptist Convention. This program is open to students who have completed the 11th grade or higher. You can check out their website at www.currentcanada.com.

You have the opportunity to pray, give, and go to help these people groups learn about the gospel. A missions offering will be collected at camp this summer, we hope you will begin praying now about what your church group can give.

To find out more information visit the Fuge Missions website:
<http://www.lifeway.com/fuge/about/missionsoffering.asp>

DAMAGES

Please be aware that your group is personally responsible for damages to any facilities including but not limited to the dorm room your group occupies. You will also be asked by the facility to pay for any lost keys.

AFTER CAMP DETAILS

AFTER CAMP BIBLE STUDY

This year, Fuge is providing an After Camp Bible Study that is designed to follow the camp experience. You can use it as Sunday school curriculum or for your mid-week events. There are three sessions of this study and it can be found on the Fuge website beginning April 1.

EVALUATION

Upon your arrival home, you will receive an email survey. Please take time to complete and send this back to us. Your input is very valuable and helpful to us as we plan for the future.



LOCATION DETAILS

CONTACT INFORMATION

Address:

Eastern University

Attn: M-Fuge (please write church and camper names on all mail)

1300 Eagle Road

St. Davids, PA 19087

Camp Cell Phone (not active until June 10): 615.429.4568

Camp Email Address (not active until June 10): philadelphiamfuge@gmail.com

Before June 10 Contact:

Events Registration: 1.877.CAMP.123 or

Mark Robbins: 615.251.3806, mark.robbins@lifeway.com

FACILITY INFORMATION

Eastern University Main Number: 610.341.5800

Eastern University Website: www.eastern.edu

Housing: Dorm Style

Bath: Suite Style and Bath on the Hall

Linens: Not Provided

Amenities: Pool, Snack Shop, Indoor Gym, Tennis Court

Average Weekly Attendance: 300-350

FREE TIME ACTIVITIES

During your extended free time off (see the above camp schedule) you have the chance to explore the city of Philadelphia. You will have the option to eat dinner on campus if you so choose. Your camp director will give you instructions about this at the beginning of the week. You will also be given more specific information about places to go and things to do in the city to help you plan your afternoon this day.

Until then, here are some ideas for your time:

Independence National Historical Park

The visitor center has parking under the center. This is a great place to start your history tour. This park is full of history including the Liberty Bell and Independence Hall. There are accessible parking places. From this location your group can walk to other historical sites in the area.



Independence Hall

Independence Hall is a must see for visitors to Philadelphia. Tours are free but are organized through a system of timed tickets. You can get free tickets at the Independence Visitor Center on the day of your visit. You can reserve them in advance for \$1.50 per ticket.

King of Prussia Mall

King of Prussia is a fantastic area to visit for sight-seeing and recreation. Located next to Valley Forge Park and minutes from Historic Philadelphia, King of Prussia is visited by countless tourists a year. Being home to one of the largest malls in the country, King of Prussia has a variety of shopping and restaurant options.



APPENDIX

FUGE REGISTRATION CHECKLIST

Church name: _____

Group Leader name: _____

Bring this sheet completed and the following items with you to registration:

_____ A notarized copy of the Release Form for each student and adult sponsor (keep one set for yourself).

_____ Any payment for additional participants or last minute changes.

GROUP INFORMATION

Broken down by male and female:

M-Fuge

Female Campers _____

Female Sponsors _____

Female College Students _____

Total Females _____

Male Campers _____

Male Sponsors _____

Male College Students _____

Total Males _____

Broken down by grade completed:

M-Fuge

Completed 6th, 7th and 8th grades _____

Completed 9th and 10th grades _____

Completed 11th and 12th grades _____

College Students _____

Adult Sponsors (21 years of age or older) _____

Total _____

Broken down by T-shirt sizes:

M-Fuge

Small _____

Medium _____

Large _____

XL _____

XXL _____

XXXL _____

VEHICLE INFORMATION (For M-Fuge Participants Only)

	Capacity	Trailer (Y/N)	Trailer/Size
Vehicle 1	_____	_____	_____
Vehicle 2	_____	_____	_____
Vehicle 3	_____	_____	_____
Vehicle 4	_____	_____	_____
Vehicle 5	_____	_____	_____
Vehicle 6	_____	_____	_____



SPECIAL ATTENTION CARD

CAMP LOCATION: _____ CAMP DATES: _____

Student Name: _____ Age: _____

Church Name: _____ Group Leader: _____

Bible Study Leader: _____

Description of Need: (use space below as needed)

Please provide information that will help us to better minister to this student. DO NOT disclose any confidential information.

FOR FUGE USE ONLY

Provide details of ways you ministered specifically to this student.

Provide any changes noted or actions taken on the part of the student.

Provide comments to group leader about this student.

STAFF SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

FUGE RELEASE FORM

Bring TWO notarized copies of this sheet to registration. Turn one in and keep one for yourself to have with you at camp. Attach a photocopy of insurance form or card.

Fuge Venue _____
Participant Name _____ Age _____ Date of Birth ___/___/___
Address _____ City _____ St _____ ZIP _____
Name of Church _____ Address _____ City _____ St _____ ZIP _____
In case of an emergency notify: _____ Phone Numbers - Home:(____) _____
Work: (____) _____ Mobile:(____) _____ Pager:(____) _____ Other:(____) _____

Medical Profile

Generally, Participant's Health is: (Check One) ___Excellent ___Good ___Fair ___Poor

If Fair or Poor, please explain your condition: _____

List any medical difficulties for which you are currently being treated: _____

Check any of the following that cause you problems and explain: Asthma ___ Sinusitis ___ Bronchitis _____

Kidney Trouble ___ Heart Trouble ___ Diabetes ___ Dizziness ___ Stomach Upset ___ Hay Fever ___

List any medicines or substances to which you are allergic: _____

List any previous operations or serious illnesses _____

List any medications you are currently taking: _____

List any special diet or special needs: _____

Childhood Diseases: ___Chickenpox ___Measles ___Mumps ___Whooping Cough ___Other _____

Date of Tetanus Immunization: ___/___/___

Family Physician _____ Phone(____) _____

Insurance Co. _____ Policy # _____

Subscriber Name: _____ Subscriber Number _____ Place of Employment _____

Subscriber Occupation: _____ Work Phone: _____

Permission For Medical Treatment, Photograph/Video Notice, and Release and Indemnity

My permission is granted for the camp or event director, church official, any camp or event staffer, or adult present or in charge of first aid, to obtain necessary medical attention in case of sickness or injury to me or my child. Also, I understand that as a Participant, I or my child may be photographed or videotaped during normal camp or event activities, and these photos/videos may be used in promotional materials. I, the undersigned, do hereby verify that the above information is correct, and I do hereby release and forever discharge LifeWay Christian Resources of the Southern Baptist Convention, the Fuge Venue, the Church, camp or event sponsors and state conventions and their employees ("Released Parties") from any and all claims, costs, demands, actions or causes of action, past, present or future arising out of any damage or injury in connection with my or my child's employment by or participation in this camp or event. I agree to indemnify the Released Parties for any and all claims, demands, damages, injuries, costs, suits or causes of action, past, present, or future, arising out of or caused by myself or by my child while participating in this camp or event or while on property leased or owned by any of the Released Parties. Complete and sign below (youth under 18 years of age requires Parent/Legal Guardian signature).

Participant's Signature _____ Date: ___/___/___

Parent/ Guardian Signature _____ Phone () _____ Date: ___/___/___

Notary Acknowledgement (Notary: please affix seal to both sheets.)

State of _____

County of _____

On _____ before me, _____ Notary Public personally appeared _____ who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that that h/she/they executed the same in his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand an official seal.

Notary signature: _____

My commission expires: _____