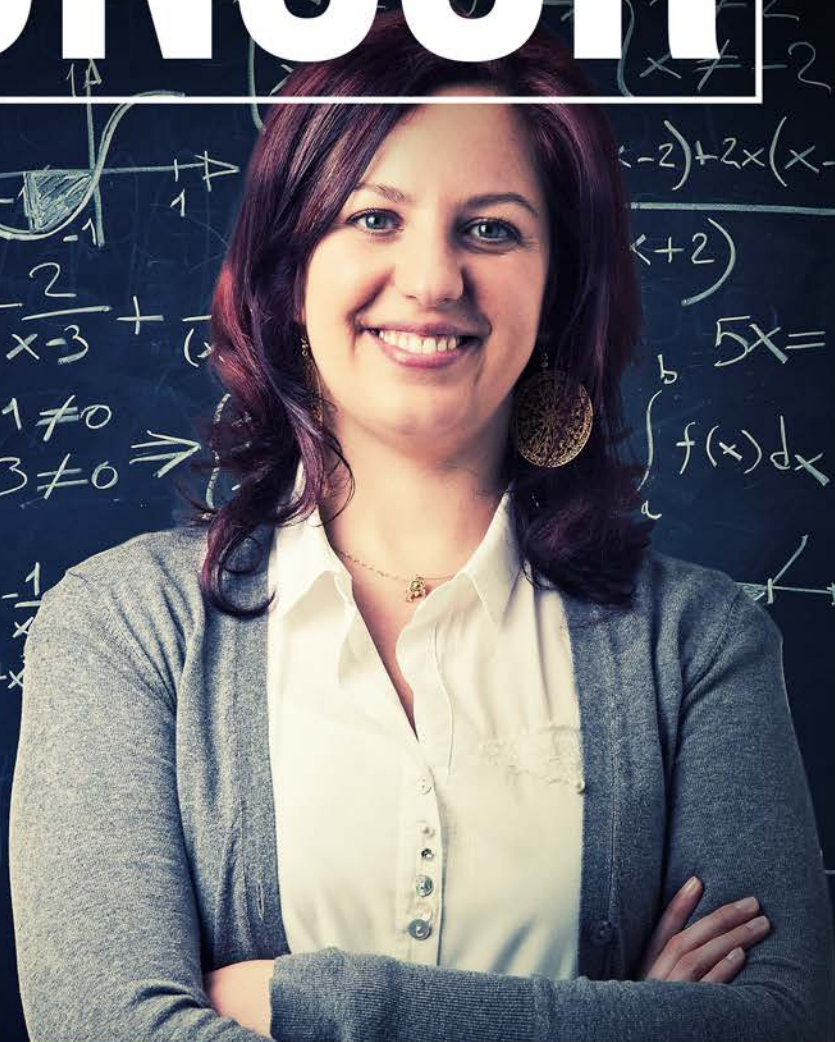


FACULTY SPONSOR



REFEREES IN THE GAME



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UNITING THE BODY OF CHRIST AROUND THE LOCAL SCHOOL

WHAT IS FIRST PRIORITY?

We do not need to tell anyone that our nation is in a crisis. We have been deceived by the great deceiver who took something that was meant for good and twisted it to mean something else. Our founding fathers wrote in the Constitution about separation between Church and State to protect people from the government establishing a church. Our culture has used it to remove God from our public debate and have taken all references to God and the Ten Commandments out of our schools. Now, our culture has no moral foundation so we have a culture that is defined by Hollywood and the Supreme Court. We have babies having babies. We have kids killing each other. The list goes on and on. The hopelessness of students is shocking. These are eye-opening statistics that need to get the Church's attention:

Every day in America:

- 5 children are killed by abuse or neglect
- 5 children or teens commit suicide
- 186 children are arrested for violent offenses
- 4,133 are arrested in total
- 386 are arrested for drug offenses
- 3,312 high school students drop out
- 18,493 public school students are suspended

(Numbers are from the Children's Defense Fund website: www.childrensdefense.org. Children are ages 5 - 17.)

While the hopelessness of students is shocking, it is not surprising. The solution is spiritual! Lost people act lost



because they are lost! You cannot take a pig out of the mud unless the mud is taken out of the pig. It is the nature that has to be changed. Our schools and our communities do not need more programs to deal with the symptoms; we need to deal with the heart. The heart is changed through a relationship with Jesus. Our country, our communities, and our schools need to hear the good news of Jesus. He can change the heart. We keep trying to change people and clean them up, but that is the job of the Holy Spirit of God. Our job is to share the good news with them.

For "whoever calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved." How then shall they call on Him in whom they have not believed? And how shall they believe in Him of whom they have not heard? And how shall they hear without a preacher? And how shall they preach unless they are sent? As it is written: "How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the gospel of peace."

Romans 10:13-15

First Priority wants to see the Hope of Christ in every student. We do that by uniting the local body of Christ with a plan of action to influence the school with the Gospel. First Priority gives Christian students a specific, manageable, and focused opportunity to put their faith and love to work where they live every day: at school. Students from different youth groups unite on the campus and form a FP club under the guidelines of Equal Access.

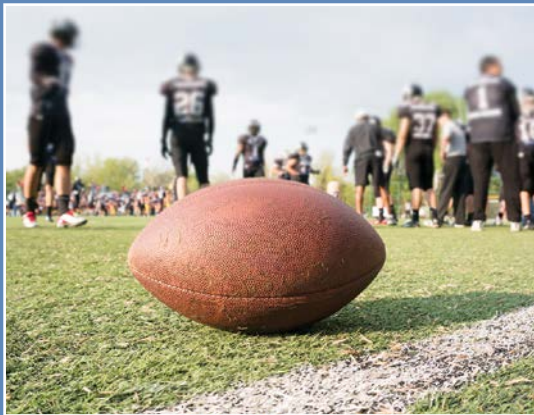
For more information on Equal Access visit:
www.firstamendmentcenter.org/religious-clubs.

THE GAME ANALOGY

UNDERSTANDING THE ESSENTIAL NETWORKS

First Priority works if the local community takes the time to organize each component of the strategy. To explain this, we will compare life as a Christian in the U.S. to a football player playing his game. What if the coach asked the football player to come study the team playbook twice a week, but only planned to play him in one half of a game throughout the entire season? Maybe. That is if something else didn't get scheduled the same day. Would he ever show up to practice? Yet, that is what most local churches expect out of students in their youth ministry: to come twice a week to learn how to live for Christ; and once a year go and share Christ together on a mission trip... unless something else prevents you from going. First Priority is the game plan for the students in your community to come together at school and live the game of faith every day.

UNDERSTANDING THE ESSENTIAL NETWORKS



STUDENTS: PLAYERS ON THE FIELD

The students are on the greatest mission field in America: a school. Engaged in the middle of the "game," students are the players we are here to train, pray for, and support, just as we do for foreign missionaries. The Hope Manual gives the student missionaries the action steps and direction they need to reach out to their peers at school. Each month, it helps them focus on a group and share the message of Jesus Christ with unbelieving students.



CHURCH LEADERS: COACHES ON THE SIDELINE

These are the youth ministers and pastors who are training and equipping the students in the game, a.k.a. the First Priority club.

Coaches do two things:

1. They help schedule "games" (a.k.a. First Priority club in school). This includes building relationships with school administration, finding a teacher sponsor, setting club time and location, submitting the club charter/constitution, and more.
2. They hold practices (leadership meetings) to help students be prepared for the month ahead. We often call them Captain's Team meetings and they are held monthly between Engage Week of the previous month and Help Week of the next.

UNDERSTANDING THE ESSENTIAL NETWORKS

Continued



EDUCATORS: THE REFEREES IN THE GAME

These are the faculty volunteers that open their room and the doors of the school for the club to hold their meetings. At the school, they are the people who help the players stay in line with the rules of the local district and state. At the monthly leadership meeting, they are the ones guiding and showing wisdom to navigate the school as only someone on the “inside” can do. They do not participate in the game even though they are right in the middle of it.



PARENTS: FANS IN THE STANDS

These are adults who are watching and cheering on the game. Up front, these parents are dedicated to praying and supporting the students as they work to minister to their school. Behind the scenes, these parents are waking their son/daughter up early for practice, rearranging schedules, encouraging when the “game” does not go well, and running the “booster club”. Putting fans in the stands is really an easy task when students are passionate about playing in the game.

BUSINESS AND COMMUNITY LEADERS: OWNERS

The business community is so important to the First Priority strategy. Like a professional team, coaches and players come and go, but the team lives on. Without business leaders involved in the FP strategy, the longevity of the ministry will diminish when students graduate or staff in our local churches move on. The business community has a vested interest in their community, and will be the ones that will be there through this entire generation. All the cities that have a successful First Priority team have a board of committed business leaders.



PARTICIPATE

Crisis / Solutions / Networks

THE FACULTY SPONSOR JOB:

Faculty sponsors have opportunities that no other individual has simply because they are involved with the school administration and students on a daily basis. The faculty sponsor becomes the main person or liaison for the students in the school to organize and charter the club (see appendix). According to the Equal Access Act, your role is to monitor the club. It is vital to have the full support of a school's administration in developing a First Priority club. In order to have this support, it is of utmost importance that the faculty sponsor communicates the mission and the role of the club to the administration, developing trust.

In time, with appropriate leadership from the faculty sponsor and enthusiasm by the students, the First Priority club will begin to positively change the entire school climate. This will be both pleasing and beneficial to the administration. This is the goal. We need to be salt and light (good taste and guidance).

PLANNING OUTSIDE OF THE SCHOOL GROUNDS:

As a faculty sponsor, you are not allowed to have any role other than as a monitor while on school grounds. However, you can be involved outside of the school setting.

It is very encouraging to the local churches and students for you to be involved in the planning meetings for the club. You need to find out from the student leaders and the campus coach the location and times of these planning meetings. These meetings will also allow the students and faculty sponsor to brainstorm ideas for the upcoming months, including making a list of speakers. It is always important to remind the students to remember the old saying, "If you're failing to plan, you're planning to fail". Students can plan for the entire school year, a semester or even a month at a time. Once the meeting days have been set, and future plans have been established, the First Priority club will be well on its way to success.



PRAY

The HOPE of Christ in every student

Nothing happens apart from prayer. For any work of God to last at the school, prayer must be a primary part of it. We are led to believe that the educational institution WANTS the separation of church and state. However, we find a lot of school administrators that are accepting of the church because they have lost hope. Pray for God to give you favor with the school administration and for God to raise up some of your students to make a difference in the school. Then “go” help schedule the game.

GUIDANCE AND DIRECTION

Most of us have been told, because of separation of church and state, we have no right to do anything at the public schools. While we might not have the right, the students do. That knowledge is

more important than ever, especially when given the following statistics:

According to a Gallup Poll back in the 60’s the greatest influences on a teenager were:

1. Parents
2. Teachers/coach
3. Religious leaders

The same question was asked in 2000. The change is eye-opening.

1. Friends
2. Media
3. Parents

Teachers dropped to number six and religious leaders ended up at eighteen. The days of building a youth group around us adults is over!!! The point is that students reach students. They are

the ones who have the most influence on each other. It is our job to coach and train them as missionaries to their culture.

Students have the right to assemble and meet as long as they have other non-curricular clubs at their school. Check out the Equal Access Act online via Google or Wikipedia for more information. Even if the students cannot assemble due to the all or nothing regulations, we can still send them to school on a mission as missionaries for Jesus. The strategy of First Priority is unity of churches. With all of the church youth groups united at school to impact that school for Christ, the club can be a secondary issue.

For this reason, First Priority starts with unity and prayer amongst the churches in the community. Gather regularly with other leaders in the area. Pray together and prepare for the harvest that will come as students share the love and message of Jesus Christ at their school.



LARGEST UNREACHED PEOPLE GROUPS



Have you ever traveled overseas or via church van to share the gospel in another place? It is an amazing opportunity that everyone should experience at some point in their lives. However, did you know that on the first day of school, you will be surrounded by one of the largest unreached people groups in America? Thank you for taking the opportunity to play a part in what God is going to do through you and your friends. We have a VISION that every student in your school will have the opportunity to say “YES” to a personal relationship with Jesus

Christ. We believe sharing the gospel at school is important! The H.O.P.E. Strategy isn't the only way to do that, but it is a simple strategy and plan to help you communicate the gospel at your school. We hope that The H.O.P.E. Strategy will be an effective tool to revolutionize the lives of those around you. Read this Guide so you can best help the Christian students who are committed believers to form their First Priority club. These clubs will meet once each week for 20-30 minutes. Watch God move and share God's results. Jesus challenged us to go into all the

world and share the Good News, and we must; but the mission begins HERE... in your school.

Mark Roberts,

*Director of Ministry Operations;
First Priority of America*

“Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.”

1 Peter 1:3

HELP

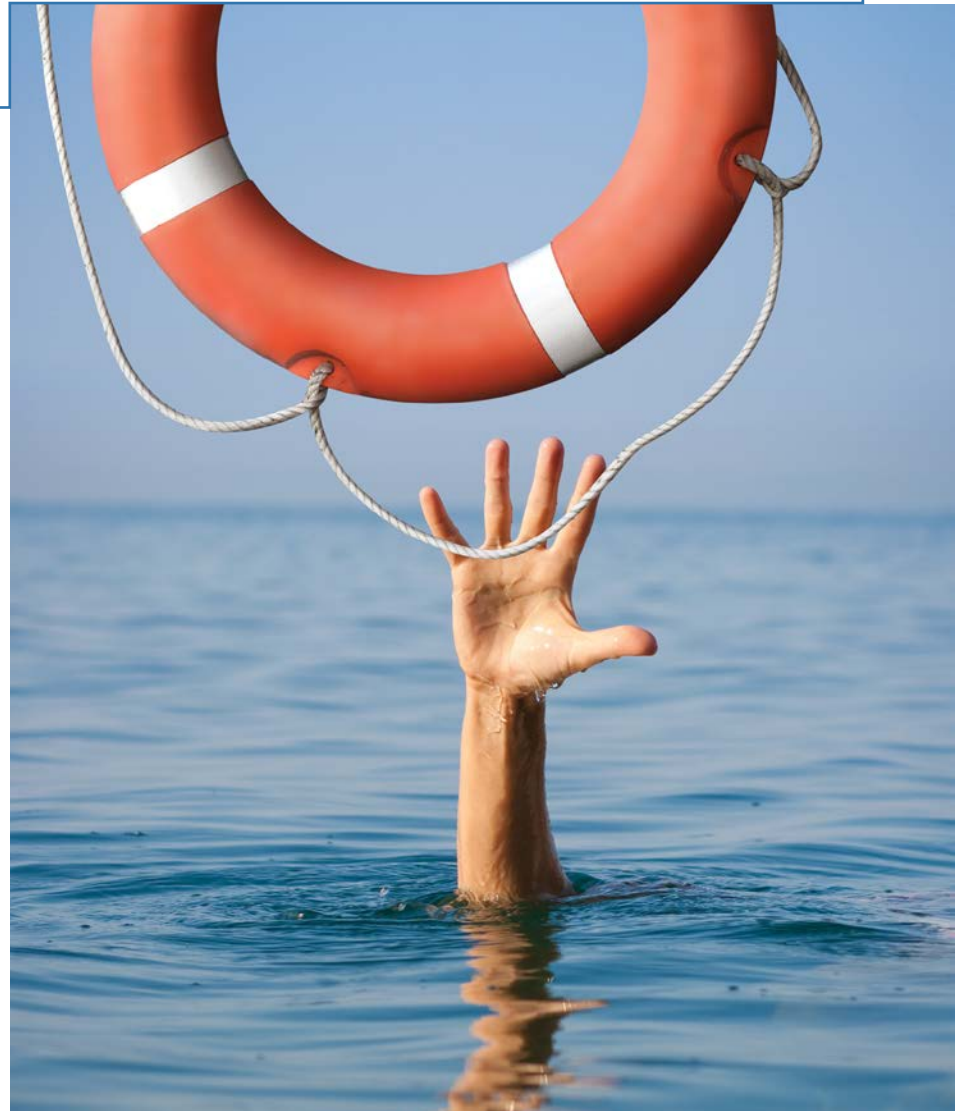
Definition: [verb] Make it easier for someone to do something by offering aid.

The Goal: Equipping believers with a basic outline of the gospel, along with a tool, to help them articulate clearly in casual conversation.

You cannot expect a victory without taking the time to train. Help Week is essential if you want to see your club be successful. The purpose is to empower students with a basic outline of the gospel. This will help students have answers to questions their friends are asking about faith. If you have a friend that made a decision on Engage Week, it is also a great opportunity for them to learn the basics of their new life in Christ.

EQUIPMENT:

A list of monthly recommended resources is on the following page. You can find a detailed sheet on how to use each of the resources at www.firstpriority.club/help. The student leader(s) of this week needs to learn, study, and memorize their chosen gospel presentation. Through their teaching, the small group discussion with other students, and with time, all FP students will gain an ability to understand and better express why they believe what they believe. Each month



will focus on a different angle and/or method for sharing the truth of Jesus Christ. By the end of the year, the goal is to have students ready to give a reason for the hope that is in them (1 Peter 3:15).

COACHING TIPS:

- Leadership should be familiar with the training resource in advance and have printed copies available.
- Do not allow discussion to become divisive.

- Be sensitive to new believers and aim to help them grow in their new relationship with God.
- Be sure to emphasize the spiritual growth of every believer as they talk about the gospel. This specific challenge to grow in your own personal relationship with God is important as you reach out at your school.
- Every month: Complete the Follow Up Process... New believers are what this club is all about!

OVERCOME

Definition: [verb] Succeed in dealing with (a problem or difficulty).defeat (an opponent); prevail: “they overcame the guards”; “we shall overcome”)

Overcome, the second meeting of HOPE strategy. Overcome is just that: motivation and inspiration to overcome our fear, worry, and doubts that we have about sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ. This is the perfect opportunity to have a guest or inspirational speaker come to the club to share success stories of how God has used him/her or to teach Scripture. The speakers could include ministers, athletes, parents, business people, school faculty, or a gifted student. The speaker should not discuss denominational issues. Communicating this important message to the guest speaker is the responsibility of the campus coach and student leader in charge of the Overcome week.

Make sure the guest speaker has a student leadership host that will meet him/her at the front door of school, get him/her to the meeting room, and send a thank-you card once the meeting is over. The host should call the guest speaker the day before the club meeting as a reminder, ask if he/she intends to share the gospel, and if they do, leave five minutes at the end of the club meeting to complete Response Cards.



Overcome week is a great chance to get creative, so think about what would appeal to and encourage the students in your club.

WHAT INSPIRES YOU TO GROWTH?

For everyone born of God overcomes the world. This is the victory that has overcome the world, even our faith. Who is it that overcomes the world? Only the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God.

1 John 5:4-5

COACHING TIPS:

- Quality speakers need advance notice.
- Clearly explain the purpose of OVERCOME week to the speaker; provide a copy of the guidelines.
- Assign a student to meet the invited guest in the school office.

PREPARE

Definition: [verb] Make (something) ready for use or consideration. to put things or oneself in readiness



**Life is made of choices.
The one you choose,
you have to live with.**

The third meeting of HOPE strategy is intended to help students recognize the significance of their personal story of faith and learn to tell it well.

When we understand that our story of faith is more about what God has done than our mistakes and poor decisions, we will recognize that every believer has a valuable story.

Each student should complete a Faith Story form (see the appendix) before sharing their story with the club. Many students have never done something like this before. Using the Faith Story form and writing out your story will help you bring clarity to what God has done in your life. If you have never shared your story before, be sure to make an appointment with the campus coach to assist you. The coach will help you have

confidence in making a presentation, writing, content, and answer other questions/concerns that you have. Be sure to turn in a copy of your Faith Story in to the student leaders so they can follow along and be ready to transition to the next part of the FP club meeting.

THE TESTIMONY GUIDE SERVES TWO PURPOSES:

1. To help the students outline their thoughts and what they want to communicate.
2. To help the students stay focused on what they intend to say.

The Faith Story form in the Appendix brings clarity to what the students want to communicate and gives them confidence. A copy of the **Faith Story** form should be returned to the students so they can follow it while they are sharing. This also

helps the students know when to end. The Campus Coach and Student Leaders should determine who and how many students share during the club meeting each month depending on the length of each faith story and the amount of club time that month.

PRAY

When the stories of faith are completed, encourage the students to gather into groups and pray out loud for the friend(s) they will invite to the Engage meeting the next week. Direct them to pray that God would give them an opportunity to invite their friend to the meeting and Engage Jesus Christ as their Lord and Creator. Thank God in advance for what He is going to do.

Who is going to harm you if you are eager to do good? But even if you should suffer for what is right, you are blessed. "Do not fear their threats; do not be frightened." But in your hearts revere Christ as Lord. Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect, keeping a clear conscience, so that those who speak maliciously against your good behavior in Christ may be ashamed of their slander.

1 Peter 3:13-16

ENGAGE

Definition: [verb] Occupy, attract, or involve (someone's interest or attention).
Cause someone to become involved in (a conversation or discussion)



The fourth meeting of the HOPE Strategy is to Engage your non-believing students with the life changing message of the gospel. Gospel means “good news”. The good news is that God loves us and sent His son to die for our sins. We can be restored to a relationship with Him through forgiveness that is offered through Jesus Christ. This is an opportunity for the Christian students to bring non-Christian friends to a non-threatening environment. At this club meeting, they will hear a clear presentation of the gospel and have an opportunity to respond in faith. Engage week never changes. Always share the gospel! Even if you think everyone there is a Christian, make a clear presentation of the gospel every time. No exceptions. A Christian student should share the gospel message. Even if a student stands and reads the gospel presentation from the Appendix, it is the most powerful message in the world. It is the HOPE of Christ to a world that is hopeless.

Do not open in prayer. Do not plan for worship. Just play popular music, eat, and hang out until it is time for the gospel presentation. Why? Because you

do not want to do anything that would cause a non-believer to disconnect because they feel left out, uninformed or different. If this seems unusual to you, remember that this meeting is for those who have not yet placed their faith in Jesus Christ. The mixer type atmosphere disarms people and establishes a casual atmosphere, which makes relationships and communication more effective.

Promote the Engage meeting based on relationships. If every participating student is committed to bringing one friend to this club meeting, there will be plenty of students to share the gospel with. Leave time for everyone to fill out a response card at the end of the club meeting! This helps the guests to not feel singled out and helps you keep track of who attended that day.

CLOSING PRAYER

The student who dismisses the club in prayer should thank God for those who just committed their lives to Jesus Christ. The prayer could be something as simple as “God, thank you for those who have just invited you into their lives and have become part of your family. We know that all of heaven is

celebrating because of their salvation.” Applaud as soon as the prayer ends, celebrating what God has done. This sends a message to those who have just committed their lives to Jesus Christ that what they have done is very important.

The students who prayed to commit their lives to Christ may be contemplating whether to fill out the response card and turn it in. The prayer and applause will affirm the value of their decision and encourage them. If heaven gets excited about people coming to know Jesus, then we should too!

Then Jesus came to them and said, “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.”

Matthew 28:18-20



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A central location for all the information you need.

LEARN ABOUT THE FIRST PRIORITY MOVEMENT

LEARN ABOUT YOUR ROLE

FIND CLUB RESOURCES

FIND PROMOTIONAL VIDEOS AND MATERIALS

MOBILE FRIENDLY

STUDENTS' BILL OF RIGHTS ON A PUBLIC SCHOOL CAMPUS



- I.** The right to meet with other religious students.
- II.** The right to identify your religious beliefs through signs and symbols.
- III.** The right to talk about your religious beliefs at school. The Supreme Court has stated that freedom of speech does extend to the public school when concerning religious issues.
- IV.** The right to distribute religious literature at school. Literature may not be restricted just because it is religious. However, outside non- students may not use students to distribute literature and literature may not stuff lockers.
- V.** The right to pray at school. "See You At the Pole" has been specifically mentioned as allowed in government guidelines and other forms of prayer are allowed if not forced on other students. Certain kinds of public prayer, such as graduation prayers, are allowed in certain circumstances but not in others.
- VI.** The right to carry or study your Bible at school. The Supreme Court has said that only state directed Bible reading is unconstitutional.
- VII.** The right to do research papers, speeches, and creative projects with religious themes.
- VIII.** The right to be exempt from activities and class content that contradict their religious beliefs.
- IX.** The right to celebrate religious holidays at school. Music, art, drama and literature that have religious themes are permitted as part of curriculum if presented objectively as part of traditional cultural parts of a holiday.
- X.** The right to meet with school officials. The right to petition school officials is protected by the constitution. It is the duty of Christian students to exercise these God-given rights.

FACULTY SPONSOR COMMITMENT



1. **ATTEND** all club meetings as required under Equal Access Act (20 U.S.C. 4071-74).
2. Be aware of school regulations and make sure the club functions in accordance with **POLICIES AND PROCEDURES** and submit a **CLUB CONSTITUTION** to your administration, completed at your first club meeting.
3. Act as a **LIAISON** on behalf of the students to the school administration.
4. Make sure the **MEETING ROOM** is open and ready before weekly club meetings.
5. Attend all **PLANNING MEETINGS**.
6. Seek to understand the purpose of a First Priority club so that you may be an **INFORMED** sponsor.
7. Provide **PRINTED RESOURCES** for students.
8. Keep an accurate **RECORD OF ATTENDANCE**, which will assist in follow through with students.
Your administration may also request a copy.
9. Be a **FOLLOWER OF JESUS CHRIST** and maintain an active relationship in a local church that is in agreement with our statement of faith (below), avoiding disqualifying behavior that Scripture forbids (Galatians 5:19-21, 1 Corinthians 6:9-10), and setting a positive biblical example "in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith, in purity" (1 Timothy 4:12, c.f. Galatians 5:22-25).

Name of Church _____ Pastor _____

I agree to the guidelines above and commit to serve the First Priority club at:

(NAME OF SCHOOL)

(Room #)

(Meeting Day)

(Meeting Time)

(SIGNATURE)

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

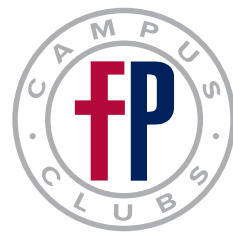
Phone #: _____

Email Address: _____

We Believe

*God loves mankind so much that He gave:
His Son, Jesus, to restore our relationship with God;
His Spirit, to empower believers to live holy lives;
His Word, to be the written source of absolute truth;
His Commission, to proclaim Christ's sinless life,
death, and resurrection to all;
His Church, to equip believers to reach the world.*

CLUB CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS



ARTICLE I - NAME OF THE CLUB

The First Priority Club of _____ School.

ARTICLE II - PURPOSE OF THE CLUB

1. To encourage friends to understand the importance of living in relationship with God; serve as a resource to help students enhance their spiritual lives and provide an opportunity to integrate beliefs into daily living.
2. To provide members the occasion to grow in their faith and for them to develop into dynamic leaders on the campus and in the community.
3. To increase the self-esteem and moral foundation of peers while discouraging premarital sex, substance abuse, bullying, violence, suicide, etc.; that each member will develop a greater respect for the authority placed over them and pursue a lifestyle consistent to that outlined in the Bible.

ARTICLE III - QUALIFICATIONS OF THE MEMBERS

Club membership is open to any student in this school that agrees with and is able to comply with the stated guidelines in this constitution/by-laws, provided there is no attempt by them to disrupt the meeting. Membership is equated to consistent attendance and participation in the club.

ARTICLE IV - STUDENT LEADERSHIP

Our club may or may not have individuals holding positions of office depending on our school's requirements; our team of officers/student leaders carry out the following duties including, but not limited to: greeters and promotion, club leader for a specific week, speaking publicly, teaching as able, securing guest speakers, leading or co-leading small groups, skits and mixers, announcements, and refreshments. Any candidate for leadership must be a devoted follower of Christ, avoiding disqualifying behavior that Scripture forbids (Galatians 5:19-21, 1 Corinthians 6:9-10), and setting a positive biblical example "in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith, in purity" (1 Timothy 4:12, c.f. Galatians 5:22-25).

ARTICLE V - MEETINGS

1. Our meetings are student led in accordance with the Equal Access Act (20 U.S.C. 4071-74), passed by Congress in 1984.
2. Our meetings occur weekly and are coordinated with our faculty sponsor: _____.
3. Our meetings provide students the opportunity to discover and develop leadership skills they will use the rest of their lives.
4. Our "H.O.P.E." strategy of meetings provides students with the opportunity to grow and apply their personal faith and enhance their relationship with friends and family.
5. Our meetings encourage students to invite their peers to be a part of an exciting club that assembles in a respectful and friendly atmosphere.

ARTICLE VI – AFFILIATION

1. Our club is affiliated with First Priority, a not for profit ministry that resources clubs to succeed in their stated purpose.
2. First Priority connects a community volunteer (typically an area Youth Worker) to attend club meetings as an invited guest to help student leaders in fulfilling their assigned tasks.

ARTICLE VI - AMENDMENTS

Amendments to this Constitution/By-Laws may be proposed by any member. Amendments shall become effective if approved by the two-thirds of the members and faculty sponsor.

This Constitution/By-Laws agreed to at _____ School
this day _____ of _____, 20____

By the following students: 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____
4. _____ 5. _____

STUDENT LEADER COMMITMENT



1. Be a positive example at school and committed to a **CHRISTIAN LIFESTYLE**.
2. Develop a **PASSION TO REACH YOUR FRIENDS** through your First Priority Club.
3. **PLAN** and carry out the First Priority monthly strategy.
4. Use your influence to keep the club **FOCUSED ON OUTREACH**.
5. If denominational/church issues come up, encourage **UNITY** and lead students to talk with local church leadership.
6. **ENCOURAGE** New Believers to grow in their relationship with God.
7. Maintain an active and healthy relationship in a **LOCAL CHURCH**.

Name of Church _____ Youth Leader's Name _____

Youth Leader's Signature _____

8. Please use the "**YOUR FAITH STORY: YOUR STORY OF HOW YOU OVERCAME THROUGH CHRIST**:" to describe how you came to know Jesus as your Savior and the difference that He has made in your life.

Thank you for your desire to reach your school for Christ. God has put together a winning team at your school and we ask that you work together with your Faculty Sponsor and Campus Coach to carry out the HOPE game plan so that you can accomplish your mission.

I agree to the guidelines above and commit to serve the First Priority club at:

(NAME OF SCHOOL)

(SIGNATURE)

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone #: _____

Email Address: _____

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death, and resurrection to all;
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QUALITY CONTROL MATRIX: CLUB EVALUATION

HOW TO USE THIS MATRIX

At each month's leadership meeting, rate each line on a scale of 1 to 5	
1 = Poor	
3 = Average	
5 = Great	
Add up each section and review in your area of responsibility	
Add up section totals to review the month	

1. STUDENT LEADERSHIP

Displays enthusiasm, has a passion to reach friends and embrace mission	
Accepts responsibility and carries out tasks with little supervision	
Works and communicates well with Coach, Sponsor and peers	
Actively involved in planning (volunteers)	
Good role model (servant leader)	

score

2. CAMPUS COACH

Enthusiastic -- encourages and casts vision for students	
Attends club meetings as needed to be an effective coach, but not regularly	
Assists students with leadership planning	
Maintain supplies -- runs off printed resources for students from website/disc	
Attends and contributes at Network meetings	

score

3. FACULTY SPONSOR

Enthusiastic -- assists with creating a "fun" atmosphere	
Attends all meetings (including planning) and arranges alternate for absences	
Prepares the room for meeting -- makes sure door is open	
Helps to promote First Priority meetings at school	
Maintains an attendance log for the school's knowledge of what is going on in their non-curricular club	

score

4. MONTHLY PLANNING MEETING

Participation of students, teacher, and coach	
4 weekly club meeting outlines printed and distributed	
HOPE Manual was used	
Follow up was discussed and implementation begun	
This month's club happenings reported to FPOA	

score

5. HELP WEEK

Student leaders prepared to lead discussion	
Strategic use of Help Week tools	
Small group participation (practice)	
Content comprehension (demonstration of understanding by students)	
Prayer for unsaved friends emphasized	

score

6. OVERCOME WEEK

Speaker present and prepared (if applicable)	
Prayer for unsaved friends emphasized	
Prayer cards and response cards utilized	
Students review Engage Week assignments	
Student leaders review responsibilities for follow up from last month	

score

7. PREPARE WEEK

Faith Story page printed and utilized (HOPE Manual)	
Student led	
Opportunity for follow up with new believers in response to the testimonies	
Strategic use of Prepare Week tools	
Resources (Bibles and response cards) available	

score

8. ENGAGE WEEK

Speaker present and prepared	
Student leaders fulfilled roles and responsibilities	
Positive club atmosphere (music, icebreaker, greeters)	
Guests invited and attend	
Resources available (Response Cards, Bibles, new books, paper goods, food and drink)	

score

9. GOSPEL PRESENTATION

Speaker received Engage Week Guidelines in advance of meeting	
Clear presentation – the basic doctrine of salvation was explained	
Timely presentation	
Invitation to respond – students given a chance to respond to the message	
Adequate time left for follow up	

score

TOTAL SCORE

Score Average attendance of club meetings	
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# of new Christians this month	
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God Story:

BELIEVE THE IMPOSSIBLE

To say the very least, it amazes God for His children to believe in the impossible. The only two times the Bible ever mentions God being amazed is when His hometown expressed little faith and then when the centurion expressed great faith. (Matt. 8:10)

Do Christians know they can AMAZE God? It is in itself amazing that the omniscient God can be amazed. What lover of God would not want to seize the opportunity to amaze Him by believing in the impossible and ingratiating himself to His heart, ensuring that for America, He did not die in vain!

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