



Internship

Grace Church Guildford

Grace Church Guildford (GCG) is a lively and active Christian community in Guildford, based over two locations: one campus in the heart of the town centre, and one right next to the railway station. We are an independent Baptist church, standing together for the historic Christian faith based on the Bible. We are in the Association of Grace Baptist Churches (South East) as well as the Surrey Gospel Partnership.

Our vision is that we would be gathering, growing, and going with the gospel of grace to the glory of God.

What does an Internship with GCG involve?

The Internship is split into three parts:

1. Training

This involves an internal study programme set by one of the Pastors of GCG. The study programme involves reading the set material each week, writing reflection papers and being involved in a weekly discussion meeting with a Pastor. The training program covers areas such as ecclesiology, Systematic Theology, Spiritual Disciplines and Bible handling.

Twice a year GCG Interns go to a Formation Residential Conference run by Living Leadership.

2. Ministry Experience

Interns get plugged into specific ministry areas. These are normally students, youthwork and seniors' ministry:

- Students Ministry typically involves:
 - regularly leading at the Student Bible Study group on Wednesday evenings
 - meeting up with students for 1:1s
 - running the Hub. The Hub is a social gathering on Sunday evenings (after the evening service) for students

- organising the Big Weekend Away. The Big Weekend Away occurs each year in February at Otford Manor for students and for those who are in their 20s and 30s
- Youthwork Ministry typically entails:
 - helping at one of the youth groups during the week
 - meeting with teenagers on a regular 1:1 basis
- Seniors' Ministry involves:
 - helping at the weekly Coffee Mornings
 - helping with the monthly Lunch and Listen on Fridays
 - putting on the Holiday at Home Non-Residential three-day event in the Summer

3. Service

Each Intern also supports our admin team in order to support the running of the Church. This includes (but not limited to):

- church building set-up for various events
- preparing booklets for church services
- preparing music and laptop presentations for church services
- being involved with service planning and review

What are the Key Details?

The Internship will run from September to August each year. Typically, 35 hours a week with bank holidays off and 25 days Annual Leave.

Interns receive funding for the year.

What is the Application Process?

If you are interested in the internship and would like more information please contact the church office through our website.