

YOUR ROLE AS A GRADE LEADER

While Rally Jr. moves at a fast pace without a dedicated sit-down time, you are still the relational glue of the night! By leaning into these five principles, you turn a massive room into a personal, unforgettable experience for every kid in your grade.

BE PRESENT

Show up physically, mentally, and emotionally for the kids in your grade.

- Be fully engaged, and model participation and excitement.
- Cell phones need to be put away for the duration of the event so you can focus entirely on the kids and environments.
- Enjoy your grade and have a great time with them!

MAKE IT PERSONAL

In a high-energy environment, intentional connection matters more than ever.

- The goal is for each child to be seen and known by a leader.
- The best way for kids to know God is to know someone who knows God. Get to know your kids and have them get to know you!
- Use the fun to build trust. Jumping into a high-energy game or exploring the choose-your-own-adventure zone alongside them creates shared experiences that break down walls.
- Spiritually lead by looking for micro-moments of discipleship in the midst of the hype—pray with them, affirm who they are, and connect the fun back to the love of Jesus.

CREATE A SAFE PLACE

Kids have the most fun when they feel secure and know the boundaries.

- Count the kids in your grade before you move to the next activity and once you get to the activity.
- Remind kids of the right behavior; to be kind and respectful. Affirm your kids and redirect misbehavior.

MOVE THEM OUT

Help kids build relationships that outlast the event.

- Encourage and find ways for kids to connect with one another.
- Fill transition times with games, conversation, and things that build community.
- Do fun things to bring identity and fun to your grade!

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PARTNER WITH PARENTS

You represent the church to every family that walks through our doors.

- Leaders are expected to live a lifestyle that is in obedience to the Bible and are a model to the kids and families of Flatirons.
- Take the initiative to connect at drop-off and pick-up. Introduce yourself, share a quick positive moment about their child's night, and help parents feel just as valued and welcomed as the kids.