

QUICK TIPS

for a Gospel-Sharing Youth Ministry



- 1. Be Strategic.** A youth ministry full of students that share the gospel is not something that happens by accident; it is an intentional discipleship process. That means you have to be strategic in planning your youth ministry for maximum Gospel-sharing impact. Action Steps:
 - Plan a sermon/message series leading into the beginning of the school year that emphasizes students sharing the Gospel and making a difference in their generation at school and beyond. You can find sermon series at youthalive.com.
 - Attend a Youth Alive event, or plan your own training day to equip students to share the Gospel using *Alive in 5* and start Youth Alive Movements (clubs, prayer movements, huddles, etc.)
 - Promote and help students plan for See You At The Pole.
- 2. Help students see their school as a mission field; and they are the missionaries.** All who follow Jesus are called to share Jesus. Students are sent to their campus, their culture, to share the Gospel just as Jesus sent His disciples (John 20:21-22). Action Steps:
 - Five Friend Focus—students should create a prayer list of at least five friends they want to share the Gospel with. Download from youthalive.com.
 - Refer to the Five Friend Focus regularly, have students pray for their Five Friend Focus in youth group, at home. Check in with them regularly.
- 3. Equip students to share the Gospel—use *Alive in 5* in your youth ministry.** Make it the language you use to communicate the Gospel simply and effectively. This will help students memorize it. Action Steps:
 - Use the Alive in 5 Booklet and train them have Gospel conversations. (available at myhealthychurch.com)
 - Challenge students to share the Gospel using the *Alive in 5* booklet once a month during the school year. If they do this, they will have shared the Gospel with a friend nine times before the end of the school year.
 - Have enough *Alive in 5* booklets on hand to resupply students as needed.
- 4. Help students start a Youth Alive Movement at school—**Youth Alive Clubs, prayer movements, Huddles, etc. Help students work together at school to create a platform or opportunities to share the Gospel at school and beyond. Action steps:
 - Pray for every school; assess opportunities. Is there a club? If not, can we start one? If so, what other ways can our students work together to share the Gospel?
 - Use Youth Alive Movements packet to coach students in starting a Movement. Download from youthalive.com to help students discover their vision and then begin to start a Movement.
 - Work through the packets of each Movement students feel called to start.
 - Help them develop their plan and set it into motion. Support, coach, and visit the Movement.