



We are delighted you are considering an internship at Prairie Lakes Church! You can look forward to a challenging and rewarding year. Whether your passion is families, worship or administration, after spending a year with us, our goal is you will be more proficient with your skills, wiser as a leader and more mature as a follower of Christ.

Overview:

- You will be part of a cohort of 6-12 interns for the 2026-2027 academic year (August – May).
- You will be expected to invest a minimum of 10 hours per week during the semester.
- You will receive a stipend of \$1600 per semester.

Application Deadline: February 27, 2026

Specific questions may be directed to Human Resources
internships@prairielakeschurch.org.

Student Ministry Intern

Decorah Campus

This intern will report to the Decorah Campus Pastor.

Education, Experience, and Skills Requirements:

- Pursuing a degree from a four-year college or university
- Exhibit evidence of a healthy and growing relationship with Christ
- Fully support the ministry philosophy of Prairie Lakes Church and its leadership team
- Possess strong communication and IT skills
- Exhibit evidence of strong relational skills
- Possess a strong work ethic with a demonstrated ability to initiate and finish projects
- Passion for students with a heartfelt desire to grow in both knowledge and skills
- Growing understanding of adolescent development and teen culture
- Passion and heartfelt concern for teens with a desire to serve as a student ministry leader
- Love for engaging students through graphics and video in both web and large group settings

Responsibilities:

- Assist with all major ministries and programs within student ministry, especially mid-week meetings, camps, retreats and trips
- Create and set up welcoming environments for students both in regular programming and special events
- Communicate weekly with student ministry leaders to prepare them for programming

- Develop an effective huddle strategy to equip and encourage student ministry leaders
- Create and plan games for weekly programming
- Lead weekly student ministry programming at either MiD or Move.
- Foster relationships with leaders and students through interaction in programming and outside meetings
- Participate in event planning and implementation
- Assist with additional projects and tasks as needed

Development:

- Personalized leadership coaching & development meetings
- One-on-one mentoring
- Personalized StrengthsFinder coaching
- Exposure to PLC campuses
- Attend retreats as scheduled