



The West Internship Program

Experience hands-on ministry alongside local ministry staff and volunteers; help facilitate spiritual transformation in hundreds of children, young people and families; develop Christlike character and integrity; and gain confidence and competence as a Christian leader. The 12-month SU West internship is designed to help you discover your ministry gifts, move out of your comfort zone and grow spiritually and emotionally.

Character

The primary aim of the Internship is to help young Christian leaders grow in godly character and integrity. Through ministry experience, regular mentoring, training opportunities, and input from the SU team, Interns will be supported to build a strong spiritual foundation.

Competence

Through taking on responsibilities, you will grow your skills and capacity, adding a heap of experience and practical skills to your ministry toolkit.

SU LEAD camp and other in-house training will help you develop in areas such as facilitating small groups, developing safe programs for young people, camping and more!

Your discipleship as a Christian leader is our main concern, and opportunities to grow spiritually will be provided through the Emotionally Healthy Spirituality course, retreats, daily staff devotionals and regular supervision.

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Experience

SU Interns are invited to be involved in a wide range of ministry experience such as leading on camps and school programs, completing ministry projects and relevant training. The main focus is showing God's love to hundreds of children and young people and having opportunities to speak God's truth into their lives. Interns work alongside SU staff who focus on investing in them and developing them professionally as they take on roles of SU Team member and, where appropriate, more senior leadership roles. In doing so Interns get a valuable inside perspective on different leadership and program styles.


Interns are encouraged to discover, develop and exercise their gifts, passions and strengths, and understand how God is leading them to use these to glorify him and to serve people.

Commitment and Cost

Interns sign an agreement at the start of the program indicating their commitment to working alongside the SU staff team on mission with SU Australia, usually beginning in February and lasting 12 months*.

Interns work in a voluntary capacity, and the time commitment reflects this; being on average 2 days a week. This enables Interns to do outside work on a casual basis, allowing for times when they are away on camp. Interns can take four weeks leave as negotiated. In order to contribute towards the cost of training, travel and other costs, Interns are helped to engage in the SU staff Team Support process. This and other details are discussed in the Interview process.

*6 month Internship is also available and a flexible starting time can be negotiated if needed.



“The Internship is incredible... it’s so good to be surrounded by young people who share your faith and passions.” - Sienna

Apply today!

To apply for our 2025 intake, please contact Sally Howe in our Perth Office, via the details below:

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