

MSM Girls Night: Parent FAQs

We're excited to have your student join us for MSM Girls Night! Below, you'll find answers to frequently asked questions covering everything from packing details and weekend expectations to safety policies and what your student can expect. If you have any additional questions, please don't hesitate to reach out to our MSM staff — we'd be happy to help!

Vision

We designed this event to help your middle school daughter connect with her peers, get to know her MSM leaders and staff, and grow in her faith. Through biblical teaching, worship, small group conversations, crafts, and activities, students will build friendships, strengthen their faith, and be reminded that they belong. Our hope is that each girl leaves knowing Jesus more deeply, feeling confident in who God created her to be, and encouraged to live out her faith every day.

GENERAL INFORMATION

- **Where are we going?**

This event will be hosted at the Christ Chapel Fort Worth Campus.

- **Who is going?**

Our MSM girls' ministry staff from all campuses, along with your daughter's small group leaders, will be there throughout the evening. Each leader has been carefully vetted through MinistrySafe and is excited to begin building relationships with students as they lead their small groups throughout the year. We maintain a one-to-eight leader-to-student ratio to ensure every student is known, cared for, and encouraged.

- **How are students getting there?**

Parents will check in their students at the Fort Worth Campus and pick them up from the same location at the conclusion of the event.

- **What are the sleeping arrangements?**

Students will be assigned to rooms based on small group, campus, and grade level. Each room will have two vetted adult leaders. All overnight routines and sleeping times will be carefully supervised in accordance with MinistrySafe policies.

- **What are we doing during MSM Girls Night?**

Girls will enjoy a fun mix of activities throughout the weekend, from crafts, movies, and dance parties to worship, teaching, and small group time. They'll have opportunities to make memories, build friendships, spend time in God's Word, and enjoy some free time together. Our goal is to create a meaningful balance of fun, connection, and time to grow closer to Jesus.

POLICIES + SAFETY

What is the cell phone policy?

We ask that all students leave cell phones and digital watches at home so they can step away from distractions and be fully present with God, their leaders, and one another. If you need to reach your child during the trip, please contact one of our MSM Girls Ministry staff members directly. Photos from the event will be shared with parents through our Waldo Photo Manager (details below).

What is the dress code?

We ask students to dress modestly and appropriately. Clothing with vulgar language or branding related to alcohol, drugs, or tobacco is not allowed. Students not in compliance will be asked to change. Failure to do so may result in being sent home at the parent's expense.

What is the medication policy?

If your student takes any medication, whether prescription or over the counter, please bring it to check-in with a labeled, resealable bag that includes:

- The student's name on the bag and all medication containers
- Original containers only (no loose pills)
- A notecard inside detailing dosage and timing

Will there be any medical staff?

Because this event is taking place locally, we have a plan in place to care for students should a medical need arise. Our MSM Ministers and staff will be available throughout the event to respond to medical needs and can dispense medications as necessary. In the event of a medical emergency, trained staff and adult leaders will respond appropriately and contact emergency services when needed. Parents will be notified promptly of any significant medical concern or unforeseen issue involving their student.

What is your safety policy regarding behavior and off-site travel?

To help create a safe and distraction-free environment for everyone, any student found with illegal items, engaging in inappropriate behavior, or leaving the building without permission will be sent home at the parent's expense.

PHOTOS + COMMUNICATION

How do I get photos of my student during the trip?

We will have photos available through Waldo Photo Manager for all parents. Waldo is a facial recognition photo-sharing app that allows you to easily access photos from the event. You'll receive a QR code at check-in. After uploading a photo of your student, you'll receive text updates when new photos featuring your student are available. You'll then be able to download and share those photos directly.

PREPARATION + PACKING

What should my student bring?

All belongings should fit into one large duffel or suitcase and one backpack.

Packing List:

- ✓ Bible, journal, and pen
- ✓ Toiletries
- ✓ Pillow and sleeping bag (students will be sleeping on the floor)
- ✓ Labeled water bottle
- ✓ Prescription medication (to be turned in at check-in)

Do NOT bring:

- ✗ Mobile phones
- ✗ Vapes, tobacco, or alcohol
- ✗ Illegal drug paraphernalia
- ✗ Fireworks or explosives
- ✗ Weapons of any kind

If you have any additional questions, please don't hesitate to reach out to your campus MSM Ministers or email our team. We're looking forward to an incredible weekend of growth, connection, and seeing what God does in the lives of your student!