



POSITION PROFILE

PRINCIPLE FUNCTION

The Student Pastor provides leadership for the student ministry at either the Martinez or Appling/Harlem campus to ensure a healthy and quality ministry for the purpose of fulfilling Abilene's mission and vision.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTION

The Student Pastor must be spiritually, physically, mentally, and emotionally able to fulfill these assignments and tasks to occupy this position. A strong candidate will be teachable and a team player.

REPORTS TO

Discipleship & Family Pastor

POSITION TYPE

Full-time, Exempt

POSITION TITLE

Student Pastor

Responsibilities

1. Assumes primary responsibility for effective leadership and successful implementation of strategic initiatives resulting in a healthy student ministry.
2. Establish and maintain relationships with students and their parents for the purposes of evangelism, discipleship, accountability, and encouragement.
3. Recruit, equip, resource, mobilize, and encourage student ministry staff and volunteers to determine goals, and establish systems to achieve those goals.

Education and Experience

1. Earned theology or ministry degree from a college/seminary closely associated with the Southern Baptist Convention is preferred.
2. Minimum of three years of experience in full-time Christian ministry is preferred.

Student Ministry Programming

The Student Pastor, in consultation and agreement with the Girls' Ministry Director and other Student Pastor, will determine and direct ministry programming.



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OVERVIEW

The mission of Abilene Baptist Church is to bring those who are lost into a personal relationship with the Lord Jesus and then build them into fully, mature, reproducing followers of Christ.

The vision for Abilene Baptist Church is to fulfill the mission locally through two church campuses (Martinez and Appling/Harlem), nationally through the Abilene Network, and internationally through missionary partnerships. Our church is currently home to just under 3,800 members, with an average of 1,278 in attendance for three Sunday morning services across two campuses.

LOCATION

Martinez, Georgia is in the eastern area of Columbia County and bordered by Augusta (Richmond County) and Evans. In 2020, Evans was ranked the best place to live in America (Money). In 2021, Columbia County was identified as one of the fastest growing counties in Georgia (WJBF). According to the 2020 census, within a 10-minute drive of Abilene Baptist Church's Martinez campus, there were 31,859 household, 90,228 residents, and an average household income of \$89,434. By 2025, the population is projected to be 114,354, which is a 26.7% increase.



To apply for this position, submit a résumé to Dr. Josh Lancaster, Executive Pastor, at jlancaster@myabilene.org.