



Streak Week Assistance Team (SWAT) Leader Application Packet

Dear JCU student,

Thank you for your interest in becoming a Streak Week Assistance Team (SWAT) Leader for the incoming class of 2021! The primary goal of this program is to make our first year students' transitions from home to JCU as smooth and enjoyable as possible. I'm sure most of you remember that starting college can be an incredibly exciting, but stressful, experience, and this program aims to help to alleviate some of that anxiety.

Please read the rest of the information in this packet carefully before you complete an application. It is essential that SWAT Leaders are available during the dates and times listed in this packet, so please consider your summer schedule when applying. **It is especially important that you are available during the week of August 21, 2017, as this will be move-in week, training, and Streak Week (fall orientation).** More specific information regarding dates and times will be sent to you during the summer. If you have any questions or concerns, do not hesitate to contact me at kodell@jcu.edu. Thanks again for your interest in being a SWAT Leader... I really appreciate your commitment to our campus and your future classmates!

**** Please note that New Student Orientation leaders and Resident Assistants are not eligible to apply. Also, if you are selected to be a student leader for the Cleveland Neighborhood Project on Living the Mission Day, you will not be eligible to be a SWAT Leader.**

Thanks and have a great day,

Kyle O'Dell, Ph.D.
Senior Director of Student Engagement

SWAT LEADER BASIC EXPECTATIONS

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Motivated, energetic, positive student who loves JCU
- Hard-working with a customer service attitude
- Previous co-curricular involvement is preferred

GENERAL RESPONSIBILITIES:

Attendance

- Attend and fully participate in the fall training meeting prior to Streak Week
- Be present at all Streak Week activities during the week of August 21, 2017
- Participate as a move-in crew member during the week of August 21, 2017

Communication

- Respond to all communications from the Senior Director of Student Engagement in an appropriate and timely fashion
- Maintain current, up-to-date contact information with the Senior Director of Student Engagement
- Communicate professionally with incoming students, parents, JCU community members and other SWAT Leaders

Personal Attitude and Image

- Maintain a positive spirit focused on the mission of John Carroll University
- Be welcoming and accommodating while serving as a role model and ambassador of JCU
- Dress neatly and appropriately for the activities taking place
- Appearance must be clean, polished, and professional

STREAK WEEK RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Be available to work during from August 22 – 27, 2017
- Attend Streak Week social events and activities during the week and weekend
- Lead activities/ice-breakers/meetings for your small group of students
- Be available for your small group during breaks and free time periods
- Assist students with the move-in process
- Other responsibilities as assigned by the Senior Director of Student Engagement

COMPENSATION:

- Be allowed to move-in to your residence hall room early (value of \$20 per day)
- Receive complimentary meals during training sessions and Streak Week
- Receive three free t-shirts

SWAT Leader Application

Please print all information legibly. All information is required.

Name _____ Class of _____

JCU Email _____ Banner ID _____

Cell Phone Number _____

T-Shirt Size: S M L XL XXL

Were you a SWAT Leader last year? Please circle one. Yes No

Are you in the Leadership Scholars Program? Yes No

Extracurricular Involvements _____

What are some things that you are passionate about and like to do in your free time? (e.g. Watch "The Walking Dead", play tennis, watch NBA games, hike) _____

Any special accommodations needed: _____

Please respond to the following question in the space below: Why would you like to be a SWAT Leader?

Bring your completed application to Kyle O'Dell in the Office of Student Engagement (above the bookstore) by Friday, April 7, 2017 at 5:00pm.