

# HOW TO START A G10

## DIRECTIONS

Ask God for direction about what group to lead and who to invite.

## INVITE

Invite people you know or meet to come check out your group. They can sign up online.

## DECISION

Once you decide on a topic or activity for your group, choose a place and time.

## PRAY

Pray for God to do great things through your G10

## REGISTRATION

- Semesters are Fall, Spring and Summer
- Wait for the announcement of registration to open up for the semester
- Register your group online at [refugecitycr.com/](http://refugecitycr.com/) small-groups and your group will be entered in the Small Group Directory

## THANK YOU!

Send thank yous to the new people that signed up to start building the relationship and connection.

## SUPPORT

You are never alone in creating community. We have pastors and staff who are all working alongside you to invest in great G10 at Refuge City Church.

## MUST COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING TO BECOME A SMALL GROUP LEADER

- + Become a member of Refuge City Church CR.
- + Complete First Steps Course at Refuge City Church
- + Attend a G10 Leadership training.
- + Complete the G10 Leadership application
- + Must sign Commitment and Honor Code of a G10 Leader.
- + Complete a one-on-one interview

# FAQ

## How can I recruit people to come to my group?

- Start with people who you already know, in your sphere of influence (co-workers, neighbors, friends).
- Find people around you who are new to the church, are new believers, or have shown interest in getting involved.
- Look for people you think you can help realize their potential
- Ask God to send the right people to your group.

## Where can I hold my G10?

We encourage G10's to meet outside the church building in the places where you like to spend your time. Some of the most common meet places are coffee shops.

## Where can I find Small Group Curriculum?

We have a variety of curriculum suggestions available to you  
Email [info@refugecitycr.com](mailto:info@refugecitycr.com)

## Does my group have to meet weekly?

We encourage meeting weekly each semester in order to build genuine relationships.

## Does Refuge City Church offer childcare during G10 Meeting?

You are welcome to choose to offer childcare at your Small Group. The church does not provide it.

## How do I measure if group members are moving one step?

- How did you get connected to this G10?
- What are you most looking forward to in the group?
- Do you attend Refuge City Church?
- What brought you to Refuge City Church?
- Have you ever been part of a G10 before?
- What do you feel like God has been doing in your life?
- What are you focused on in your life right now?
- Are you familiar with 21 Days of Prayer?
- What area of your faith are you hoping to grow?

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**What should I do if someone asks a question I can't answer?** It's okay to not have all the answers. Thankfully we can find guidance through prayer, God's Word and the Holy Spirit. Encourage them to spend time reading the Bible and praying. Also, let them know that you will do your best to get some information and get back with them.

**What should I do if someone in my group shares something with me or the group that requires more attention beyond what I can provide?**

If you encounter a difficult situation within your Small Group, please know that you are not alone. If a member is going through a crisis, you can rally the group around them. If you are unsure of what to do, don't hesitate to ask. You can call Refuge City Church at 319-250-1400, if needed.

**How can I share stories of life change from the G10 semester?**

We love hearing about lives that are changed through Small Groups. You can share your stories with your G10 Leader/Coach. You can also share your own personal stories through your social media and tag #refugecitycrg10