



The Dos and Don'ts for our TCU Area Church Partners

DO:

- When in doubt, ASK!
- Respect TCU protocols and policies – it protects you, your church, and campus, and our students.
- Be aware that not every church has the right intention – students have been hurt by various groups being on campus uninvited.
- Be aware of how many churches would like to be present daily – sheer numbers overwhelm our campus and our students.
- Recognize that TCU is private property – churches cannot use campus for any reason unless invited by RSL, religious student organizations, or campus ministries who must also be present with church/ministers while on campus. Churches can be on campus in this capacity up to 3 times a year.
- Respect the role of religious student organizations and campus ministries as recognized entities of the University (these are NOT churches).
- Be the Church – literally at the Church. Help us get students to you by telling RSL what you want students to know about your ministry and how to contact you.
- Refer to the RSL website. All information needed is THERE.

DON'T:

- Be on campus uninvited without being hosted by RSL, religious student organizations, or campus ministries. You will be reported to and removed by TCU PD because you are trespassing.
- Be on campus with more than one or two students at a time. It can be seen as you hosting an event/program/meeting/bible study on campus grounds, which means you are violating policy. You will be reported and removed by TCU PD.
- Take advantage. If you have been invited as a guest do not overstay your welcome or use our religious student organizations or campus ministries for your own agenda.
- Use marketing/advertisements for church purposes on campus (yard signs, posters, etc.). All will be confiscated if found and reported to TCU PD. Furthermore, any use of the TCU logo is prohibited.
- Assume every student wants what you have to offer - listen to their cues. No means no.
- Work with organizations or individuals who are not TCU employees, campus ministers, or students, to host events on TCU's campus. Contact us when this happens.

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