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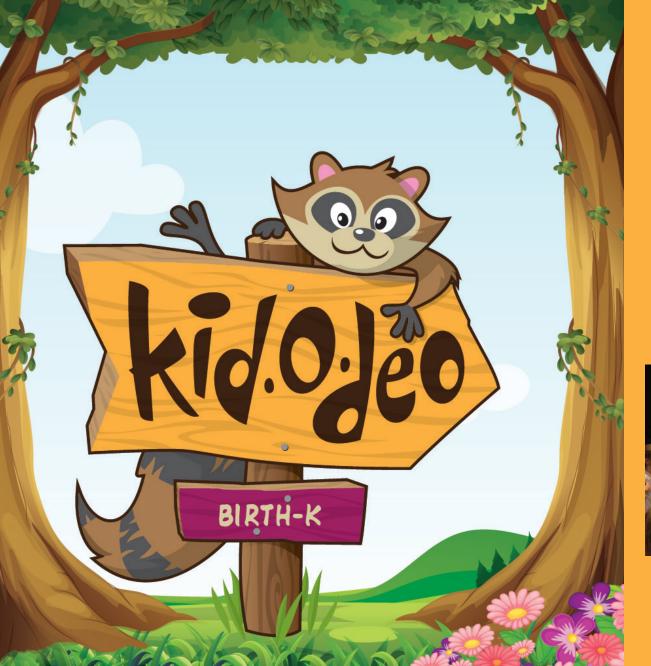






At Eagle Brook, we teach kids about God in a simple way they can understand, and we create environments that help them have fun, feel safe, build relationships, and learn more about who God is and his plan for their lives.

EBC Kids services are available at every campus, during every service. The doors are open for drop-off 15 minutes before the start of each service.



In Kid-O-Deo, we teach kids in groups based on their age and divide them into two areas: Nursery and Preschool.

### The nursery is for our youngest Kid-Os.

These kids range from newborn to 36 months. Kids 24 months and up are introduced to God's stories that foster a firm biblical foundation. We provide a place where kids feel safe and cared for and can begin learning how to trust others so that one day they will trust in God and his truths as well.

### **Preschool is for kids ages 3 through kindergarten.**

Kids in preschool will participate in both large and small group time. In large group, kids are given an opportunity to sing, hear Bible stories, and learn about God in a fun and relevant way. In small group, they have a snack, build friendships with kids their own age, and are guided in activities, lesson review, and questions with an adult group leader.



Kid-O-Deo is where kids experience teaching in a language they understand, in a vibrant, exciting, and fun environment designed with them in mind. We hope and pray that your kids learn, have fun, and feel known and loved by others and by God. Ultimately, we want even the littlest Kid-Os to be prepared for a relationship with Jesus and to make him the leader of their lives.

# elevate



### **ELEVATE IS FOR KIDS IN GRADES 1-5.**

Before Elevate services start, kids participate in hang time. They can watch music videos, play games, and hang out with their friends. When services start, kids gather for large group time which helps them connect with and learn more about God through singing, teaching, Bible stories, and life application. Each week, kids are challenged to apply the lesson to their lives and are given a verse to think about during the week. If kids return the following week with the verse memorized, they get something special!

During small group time, kids discuss the large group lesson with their small group leader, ask questions, complete fun and engaging activities, and build relationships with their peers and leaders.

In Elevate, we want kids to learn about God, build great relationships with others at church, and have TONS of fun! Most of all, we want to provide these kids with a place that engages and challenges them and helps them feel welcome. We also want to give them a biblical foundation and an opportunity where they can make the decision to have a real relationship with Jesus and grow in their faith.







### **SECURITY**

Each week, your family will check in and be assigned a random, 3-digit alphanumeric code that is printed on the kid's name tag and on the parent's security tag. This security tag must be presented in order to gain entrance into any EBC Kids area at pickup time. You will also need to present this tag, which matches the code on your kid's tag, when you pick up your kid from his/her classroom. We will not release any kids without a matching security tag.



#### **EARLY PICKUP**

Another purpose for the code on the security tag is in case of an emergency or if we need you to pick up your Kid-O during the service. In that circumstance, the code on your security tag will be displayed in the auditorium.

### **VOLUNTEERS**

Each EBC Kids volunteer has been background-checked and trained. They are ready to keep kids safe, have a ton of fun, and to teach kids about Jesus.

# KEEP GROWING

We love teaching kids about God and his love for us! We believe, however, that what you do at home is far more important and influential than what we can do in one hour each week. We are excited to partner with you and provide the following tools that can help to keep faith growing at home.



### **FAMILY CONNECTION TOOLS**

We hand out Family Connection tools at the end of each service that include things like a recap of your kids service, the memory verse, activities you can do together throughout the week, and questions you can talk about as a family. Put these tools in a common area in your home to keep learning, growing, and connecting all week long.

### **EAGLE BROOK CHURCH WEBSITE**

Check out eaglebrookchurch.com and click on the Kids/Students tab to access more information about each ministry. There you'll find tools, videos, and other great resources. You will also find dates and information on Parent/Child Dedication events and baptism for kids.



### **EBC KIDS TWITTER**

Follow @ebckids on Twitter for news and happenings in EBC Kids.

### **EBC BLOG**

We frequently write blog posts for EBC families to learn, grow, and connect with each other. Visit blog.eaglebrookchurch.com.

#### **KIDS STAFF**

Each campus has EBC Kids staff who would love to get to know you and answer any questions you may have.





## **VOLUNTEER**

You can volunteer with EBC Kids! We have several unique opportunities for you to use your talents and gifts to help kids have fun and grow in their relationship with Jesus.

#### YOU CAN SERVE BY:

- setting up checking in families welcoming new families
- giving tours teaching large group lessons assisting in production
- being a classroom volunteer leading a small group

Whether you want to be right in there with all the kids or serve behind the scenes, hold a small amount of responsibility or a lot, we would love to have you be part of our EBC Kids team. We think you'll have more fun than you ever thought possible by reaching kids for Christ!



For more information about serving in EBC Kids, email **serve@eaglebrookchurch.com** or visit **eaglebrookchurch.com/serve**.