What is Epic Weekend?

Worship, fun activities, fellowship, small groups in homes and so much more crammed into an unforgettable weekend! The name sells itself! This all happens January 13\textsuperscript{th}-15\textsuperscript{th} and involves students from 7\textsuperscript{th}-12\textsuperscript{th} grade.

You can sign up online at our church website at [http://www.firstbaptistjackson.org/students](http://www.firstbaptistjackson.org/students) or grab a promo card available after each service on Wednesday & Sunday. We encourage students to bring a friend for this life-changing event!

Here’s an overview of our weekend schedule:

**Friday**

5:00 pm- Leader Meeting
6:00 pm- Check in CLC 2\textsuperscript{nd} floor hallway
6:30 pm- Dinner (CLC Game Room)
7:00 pm- Worship Experience (FSHE)
9:00 pm- Dismissal to Host Homes
10:00 pm- Small Groups in Homes

**Saturday**

9:00 am- Session #2
11:00 am- Small Groups (Church)
12:00 pm- Lunch (FSHW)
1:00 pm- We Love Jackson
5:30 pm- Dinner (FSHW)
7:00 pm- Session #3
9:00 pm - Late Night (Concert with Tedashii, FSHE )
10:00 PM - Dismissal to Homes

**Sunday**

9:00 am- Breakfast in Student room (CLC 3rd floor)
10:30 am - Worship in Sanctuary
12:00 am - “Epic Weekend” is finished

**How will students be organized into small groups in homes?**

The students will be with their same gender and age-group. Students have the option of requesting two friends to be in the home with them. Then, this group of students will be paired with a couple of group leaders and a FBCJ member’s home (that our staff has checked & approved).

**What about transportation to and from the activities?**

Our staff team will organize a transportation plan that focuses on safety of the students. Although many college leaders will assist us in being leaders over the weekend, we ask that all drivers be over the age of 22 years old and have a safe driving record. Host home adults (Church members) will be responsible for transportation from the church to host homes at night.

**Is it possible for a student to leave a part of the weekend due to a prior commitment (i.e. game or practice)?**

Yes! We will have a time away card that each student and parent can fill out prior to the weekend in order to participate in an outside event. These forms are on our website as well as upon registering that Friday night.

**Does my student need to bring money?**

There will be merchandise from the speaker and Rapper that will be available for purchase before & after sessions. That would be the only need to bring money.

**We love Jackson**
“We love Jackson” will be our mission projects for Saturday afternoon. Our students will love on our city and community. Some of these things will include going to nursing homes, work in schools, loving on the police & fire departments, and Mission First. After students participate in “We love Jackson”, they will be transported back to their host homes for clean-up and free time. First Baptist Jackson will be responsible for transportation for this.

**What to Bring?**

- Bible, pen, journal
- Sleeping bag & pillow
- Towels
- Personal hygiene items (deodorant, toothbrush, shampoo, etc)
- Recreation Clothes (We love Jackson)
- Food & drinks for snacks at host homes

**For social media people...**

We will be using the #fbjepicweekend17

We would love to see your tweets and pictures getting ready for epic weekend! Come expecting God to do something big!

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