

# ACCOUNTABILITY QUESTIONS

The purpose of these questions is to encourage your group to share their triumphs and trials with each other. They are powerful at deepening your community, but they only work if you are willing to be brutally honest and able to keep confidence. What is said in group has to stay in group (except when a student's safety is in danger).

Accountability questions are more effective if they are developed by the group and are specific to the struggles your students are facing. As a group, brainstorm areas your group needs to be held accountable. Include: spiritual growth, financial, physical, relational (with God, with men) accountability questions. Here are some examples:

1. How has God's Word changed your heart this week?
2. How much time have you spent with God this week? Have you spent time in prayer? When?
3. How have you been tempted to compromise your purity? Have you looked at pornography or any material that made you lust or covet?
4. How have you handled your time, treasure, talent?
5. How have you cared for your body? Exercise? Eat right?
6. Have you cheated on school work or stolen anything?
7. Have you consumed drugs or alcohol?
8. Have you served anyone?
9. Have you been a witness to anyone?
10. Do you have unresolved conflict with anyone?
11. Which fruit of the Spirit have you had the hardest time living? Why?
12. Have you honored your future spouse and God by the way you have acted, talked, and dressed around members of the opposite sex this week? Have you done anything that could be seen as inappropriate?
13. Have you honored or dishonored your body this week by trying to attain a certain body image?
14. Have you masturbated? How many times?
15. Have you let someone or something sit on the throne of your heart this week?
16. Have you elevated yourself above others this week/been judgmental? Who did you think you were better than this week? How did you convince yourself that you were? Why did you convince yourself that you were?
17. Were you envious of other girls/guys this week?
18. Were your motives for loving people impure this week? Did your actions have to be acknowledged?
19. Have you done something this week to make you win the approval from people and not from God?
20. Did you make the most of your time this week/fulfill your life purpose?
21. Did thoughts about yourself overcome you this week?
22. Did your words honor the Lord this week? Have your words built others up or tore others down?
23. Have you participated in gossip?
24. Did you fight with, roll your eyes at, backtalk, make fun of, or simply disrespect your parents this week?
25. What do you NOT want to share? Have you answered any of these questions dishonestly?