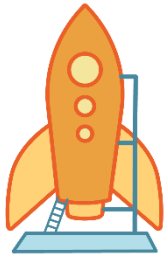


Small Group Launch Checklist

Use this checklist to prepare for your first small group meeting. (Use the [small group development plan](#) to further map out your group)



1. LAUNCH PREP

PLANNING FOR YOUR SMALL GROUP

What's your vision?

Where is God leading your group?
Remember the who, what, and how.

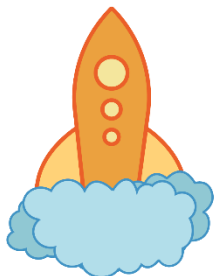
What's your invitation?

Write a simple, accessible, "come-and-see" invite. Starting inviting!

Turn up the hospitality!

One way to show hospitality to your small group is to plan for the following:

- Who can help you? _____
- Day, time, location: _____
- What's the set-up? _____
- What content will you focus on? _____
- Invitations and reminders: _____
- Food and drinks: _____



2. LIFT OFF

YOUR FIRST MEETING

Final checklist (30-minutes out)



Set up

Snacks

Name tags

Contact info sign-up sheet



Background music

Reminder text

Prayer

Lead the meeting

As you lead the first meeting, include these elements:

- Cast vision (use the one you already wrote above!)
- Introductions / icebreaker: _____
- Share about group expectations (if there's time)
- Study the Bible: _____



3. POST LAUNCH

AFTER THE FIRST MEETING & BEYOND

After your first meeting

Celebrate: Treat yourself and thank God!

Debrief: What went well? What could be improved next time?

Follow Up: Thank everyone who came and invite them back

Build Community: Set up a time to hang out