

A CALL TO PRAY

At the start of each term (Sep, Jan, Apr):

Loving God,

We ask you to be with all of the students who are entering further education for the first time. Be with them and uphold then at this time of new beginnings.

We pray for all those returning students, beginning a new year; we pray they can continue to grow and that they consolidate and enrich their studies in the coming year.

Throughout the year:

Living God, we pray that you will guide and inspire all those students embarking on training for employment and all those seeking support and new learning for their personal development.

We pray for the staff and chaplains at our colleges and learning providers, that they have the courage, wisdom and stamina to support the students.

In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen

A CALL TO SHARE

Why not include a prayer for those in FE in the coming weeks in your Sunday service or at your next Bible study meeting?

You can read more about the work FCG have been doing in the field of further education here: https://www.freechurches.org.uk/further-education

A CALL TO ACT

What is the further education picture like in your local area? Is anyone in your congregation working or learning in further education? Why not find out?

You can also find out more about Christian work in FE through the Festive network: https://www.festive.org.uk/pageup/

FCG have produced a flyer to support churches to get involved in the work of their local FE providers which you can download and use here: https://www.freechurches.org.uk/news/2018/12/17/the-gift-of-further-education

"Now to Him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to His power that is at work within us." *Ephesians 3:20*