Groups work best with a balance of light-hearted spontaneity as well as intentionality and planning. *We recommend creating your own plan using the sample below as a guide.* Planning will help you optimize group time for spiritual and relational growth. It will also allow you to schedule events occurring at your church that your group may want to attend, as well as socials, service projects, and maybe a retreat.

Below is a sample plan for your group. There are numerous studies to choose from; these are just a select few. This pathway assumes your group follows the semester model (meeting 28-35 weeks a year).

**Year 1**

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**Weeks:**  **Category:** **Title**:

5 weeks: Values *Elemental*

6 weeks: Measures *Measure What Matters*

6 weeks: Bible Study On Campus Bible Study

10 weeks: Core Class *Alpha*

3 weeks: Spiritual Growth Fasting Material

**Year 2**

**Weeks: Category: Title:**

6 weeks: Evangelistic Heartbeat *Gospel Above All* by Greer

4 weeks: Grander Vision *Daring Faith* by Warren

6 weeks: Bible Study On Campus Bible Study

8 weeks: Core Class *Get Free*

4 weeks: Empowered People *Outlive Your Life* by Lucado

Year 3

**Weeks:**  **Category:** **Title:**

6 weeks: Forgiveness & Freedom *Recovering Redemption* by Chandler

5 weeks: Word & Spirit *The Holy Spirit* by Bevere

20 weeks: Core Class *Doing What Jesus Did*