## First Session: Incoming Shoreline Freshmen Curriculum

Welcome future Shoreline Students and Leaders! We are so excited about your upcoming transition into high school. As you make the move to Shoreline, we want to make sure you feel prepared and equipped for what's next. Spend some time discussing the questions listed below. We believe these questions will help set you up well as you get ready for high school.

**Looking Back:** Reflection is a valuable practice that can help you learn from and celebrate past experiences. Looking back will give you the opportunity to recognize all the ways God has worked in your life. We encourage you to reflect on your time during Wake. How have you seen God work? What is the biggest thing you are taking away? How has Small Group challenged you to grow spiritually?

**Looking Around:** Making the move from 8th grade to high school can be a scary transition. You will be immersed in a new culture with more students, challenging classes and new social pressures. Now is a good time to process how you are feeling about going to high school. What excites or worries you as you think about the transition? Do you feel prepared and ready?

Looking Ahead: Developing a plan is a great way to establish your priorities. A plan will give you direction and help you make the most of your time in high school. As you look ahead, think about what you want your time in high school to look like. Take some time to set goals for yourself. How will you accomplish these goals? How do these goals help you prioritize your faith?