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# Planning a Gap Year





## Gap Year / Semester

Is this right for me?

Use this guide to ask yourself some key questions. Take time to think these things through and answer them honestly. Being vulnerable with yourself is a good first step in discovering direction for your life.



# Purpose

Do I know my purpose?



What do I love to do? When I stop and think about all my experiences, what stands out to me the most?



Do I have any sense of a “calling” God has put on my life?



If I could do anything right now, without the fear of failure, what would I really like to do?



If I take a Gap Year or Gap Semester, in what ways could this help me discover my purpose?





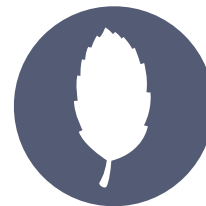


# Life Goals

Do I know my next steps?



What is the one thing I know I want to pursue more than anything else?



What steps do I need to take to begin discovering my calling and purpose?

Step 1

Step 2

Step 3



What areas of my life do I need to develop in my character?

Area 1

Area 2

Area 3



# Ask Questions

What are the real concerns?



What's the one obstacle I see in front of me to overcome:



On a scale of 1-10, I think my family would support me.

1 not supportive ..... supportive 10



My 3 biggest fears to push past if I take a Gap Year or a Gap Semester:



Who are the two people I will share my thoughts and ideas?

Name

Name





# Gap Year Strategy

Plan a Gap Year / Gap Semester

## Gap Year 1



**July-  
May**

<DTS  
SOE>

### Graduate / Break

Fundraise Jan - June

DTS is July - Nov  
SOE is Jan - May

Start college in the Fall

## Gap Year 2



**Oct-  
Aug**

<DTS  
SOE>

### Graduate / Break

Fundraise June - Sept

DTS is Oct - Feb  
SOE is Apr - August

Back to college in Sept

## Gap Year 3



**Jan-  
Nov**

<DTS  
SOE>

### Graduate / Break

Fundraise Fall - Christmas.

DTS is Jan - May  
SOE is July - Nov

Back to college in Jan

## Gap Year 4



**Apr-  
Feb**

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SOE>

### Graduate / Break

Fundraise Jan-Mar

DTS is Apr - Aug  
SOE is Oct - Feb

Start college in the Fall

## Gap Semesters



**05**

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### 1 Semester

Jan, Apr, Jul, or Oct

DTS only.

5 month schools start 4  
times a year.

DTS: Discipleship Training School | SOE: School of Evangelism

Our outreach locations span over every continent to 105 nations. Where will your Gap Year take you?





# Journal

This is why I'm going to do this!

Put your thoughts down in simple terms. Write it out in bullets points if needed. Pray. Be courageous and walk in confidence with your decision.