

SEPTEMBER

**EARLY CHILDHOOD CURRICULUM
FOUR YEAR OLDS - KINDERGARTEN**

Bottom Line

**KCRG
REWIND**



Week

Sep. 25

Bible Story

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“For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the LORD, “plans to prosper you, not to harm you...” Jeremiah 29:11, NIV

SUGGESTED CLASS SCHEDULE:

9:35 & 11:35	Activity to introduce the story
9:50 & 11:50	Story & Snack
10:05 & 12:05	Activity to reinforce the story
10:15 & 12:15	Line up to travel to the Island
10:20 & 12:20	Island
10:40 & 12:40	Playtime until parent's arrive

NOTE: If you wish to serve a snack, children are only to receive ONE cup of snack, not an unlimited supply.

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LEADER DEVOTIONAL

We have learned over the last seven weeks, that God is all powerful and has a plan for us all. He is a loving and forgiving God. With everything he has done for us, how do we show our gratefulness back to God? Are words enough? Maybe a song? Is a poem or a drawing enough? Sharing God with others?

God wants all those things. God wants us to live in such a way that we constantly remember our gratefulness for Him and His love. The best way we can show our gratefulness is to live a grateful life, and to give God our worship - our life! Take time this week to show God your gratefulness.

STORY BACKGROUND

Today is KCRG REWIND! In the past, we have provided you a Bible Story to cover as well as participating in REWIND. We decided to try something a little different today. This REWIND we just want you to take time to review the children on the questions and answers. We have provided two activities that have been done in the past seven weeks to help fill in time in your classrooms.



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Make It True:

It is important to hold the Bible open while telling the story. We want the children to know that stories we tell are from God's Word and all of God's words are true.

Questions for Two Year Old's

Hungary

Round One (Boy): Who created heaven? **God**

Round Two (Girl): What was the first woman's name? **Eve**

Russia

Round One (Boy): What was the first man's name? **Adam**

Round Two (Girl): What did Eve eat when she sinned? **Fruit**

Questions for Three Year Old's

Turkey

Round One (Boy): Who built the ark? **Noah**

Round Two (Girl): How long did it rain? **40 days**

India

Round One (Boy): What did God make when He made a promise to Noah? **rainbow**

Round Two (Girl): What was the man's name who moved away from his family? **Abraham**

Questions for Four Year Old's

Egypt

Round One (Boy): How old was Abraham when his son was born? **100 years old**

Round Two (Girl): What was his sons name? **Isaac**

India

Round One (Boy): What does Isaac's name mean? **He laughs**

Round Two (Girl): What type of animal was stuck in the bushes? **a ram**

Questions for Five Year Old's

Brazil

Round One (Boy): What was given to Joseph? **a coat of many colors**

Round Two (Girl): Who took it from him? **his brothers**

Questions for Kindergarten

Greece

Round One (Boy): Who could interpret dreams? **Joseph**

Round Two (Girl): Did Joseph ever forgive his brothers? **yes**



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Make It Fun:

God Created

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What You Need: play dough

What You Do: Gather the kids around the table and pass out play dough to each of them. Encourage them to make things with their play dough. (You could ask them to make a cloud, a circle, a square)

What You Say: "God created us to be with Him. Today, we are going to review what we have learned the last couple of weeks. I am going to say a word and you make it out of your play dough."

- cloud
- circle
- square
- triangle
- tree
- flower
- lion

Think of other words to call out to your class.



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Make It Fun:

God Says

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What You Need: God sign, tape

What you do: Play Simon Says, but call it God Says. Line the children up at one end the room Stand in front of the children. (Great activity for student leaders to do with the kids.)

What You Say:

"In our Bible Story today, God told Adam and Eve that they couldn't eat from a certain tree in the garden. But did they listen? (allow for responses) No. They didn't listen. They didn't follow the directions that God gave to them. We are going to play a game where you need to follow God's directions."

Tape the "God" sign onto the leader.

"This sign says 'God'. They will be God during this game. You need to do whatever 'God' tells you to do. Does everyone understand how to play the game? Great! Let's play!"

Give the children simple directions, such as: "God says... to touch your head, rub your tummy, clap your hands, etc."



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Make It Fun:

God Made Me

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What You Need: crayons, 5 x 7 cardstock (1 per child), crayons, markers, decorative items

During the activity: Help trace the child's hand print on their sheet of paper. Allow the children to color and decorate their hand print.

What You Say:

During the activity: "Who's hand is this? (Pause.) Yes! It's (name of child). God created you to be with Him (name of child)."

At the end of the activity: "God is great. God loves us so much that He created us to be with Him. Why did God create us? [Bottom Line] God created us to be with Him."



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