

1st Grade

HOUSE

Locate Genesis, Psalms And Revelation	Name the 4 Gospels	Name the 12 Disciples	
Locate Psalm 23	The ABC's of becoming a Christian	Name and locate the 2 divisions of the Bible	The Lord's Prayer
The Armor of God	Read and understand a Bible Reference	"Bricks and Mortar" 20 complete	
Locate John 3:16	Mission Project	Recite 20 of the of 40 verses	Pray aloud
Recite other names for the Bible	What does the New Testament tell us about	Name promises of God	
Books of The Bible	TEN COMMANDMENTS	What does the Old Testament tells us about	Define sin

Incremental Learning Goals

Level 1

Bible

1. Recognize the Bible as a book from God.
2. Learn that the Bible is God's gift to us.
3. Learn that the Bible is the only book we can trust to always be right.
4. Learn that the Bible is the inspired Word of God. When children leave 1st grade they should know how the Bible came to be. (God breathed the words into the minds of about 40 different men.)
5. Know other names for the Bible: God's Word, Holy Word, A Map, the Sword, Flashlight, Holy Book, The Book, Compass, Rule Book, etc.

Bible Skills

1. Name and locate the two main divisions of the Bible: The Old Testament and the New Testament
2. Know that the Old Testament tells us how the world and man was created and about things that happened BEFORE Jesus was born.
3. Know that the New Testament tells us about Jesus' birth, ministry, death, and resurrection, and everything that happened after Jesus was born leading up to the first church.
4. Be able to locate the contents page in the Bible and be able to locate a book of the Bible based on the information found there.
5. Locate the book of Genesis and know that it is the first book of the Bible and that it tells about God's creation of the world.
6. Locate the book of Psalms and know that it is a book of songs and that it is found in the middle of the Bible.
7. Locate the book of Revelation and know that it is the last book of the Bible.
8. Name and locate the four Gospels—Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John. Know that they tell about the life of Jesus.
9. Read and understand the name and numbers in a Bible reference.
10. Be able to find John 3:16 and Psalms 23.
11. Begin learning the Books of the Bible in order.

God

1. Learn that God created everything and that He keeps the world in order.
2. Realize that God loves us and wants us to be with Him in Heaven forever.

Missions

1. Learn that *God* wants us to tell others about Him, near and far.
2. Participate in at least one mission project.

Scripture

1. Learn and be able to recite by memory a minimum of 20 key Bible verses. See the attached list for the 1st grade scriptures.
2. Learn what those 20 scriptures mean and how they may apply to our lives.

Becoming a Christian

1. Learn there is a place called Heaven and Hell and to understand the difference.
2. Learn what sin is and be able to list sins.
3. Learn the ABC's of becoming a Christian
A-Admit you are a sinner
B-Believe that Jesus is *God's* Son
C-Confess your faith in Jesus as your Savior and Lord
4. Learn that Jesus did not die on the cross by accident. Understand it was *God's* plan for us to be able to have our sins forgiven and go to Heaven.
5. Learn that baptism does not make you a Christian.

Other

1. Learn the 10 commandments and what they mean.
2. Learn the Lord's Prayer.
3. Name the 12 Disciples.

Answer Key to the "Houses" (Incremental Learning Goals)
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- Learn what sin is and be able to list sins.
Sin is disobeying God. It is being separated from God because of wrong thoughts, attitudes, words or actions. Anything we do that makes God unhappy is a sin. When we sin we have chosen to do things our way instead of God's way.
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	Commandment	Meaning	Obey it by:
1	Have no gods before me.	Trust God only.	Pray to God for your needs.
2	Have no idols.	Worship God only.	Thank and praise God.
3	Don't misuse God's name.	Use God's name respectfully.	Do not use God's name to swear.
4	Keep the Sabbath holy.	Rest and think about God.	Pay attention in church.
5	Honor your father and mother.	Respect your parents.	Obey your mom & dad.
6	Do not murder.	Protect human life.	Help other not to get hurt.
7	Do not commit adultery.	Be true to your husband or wife.	Keep promises you make.
8	Do not steal.	Don't take what belongs to others.	Don't take things that aren't yours.
9	Do no give false testimony.	Do not lie.	Be truthful and do not gossip.
10	Do not covet.	Don't want what others have.	Be satisfied with what you have.

- Learn the Lord's Prayer. Matthew 6:9-13

"Our Father in Heaven hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our debts (sins) as we also have forgiven our debtors (those who sin against us). And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from the evil one." Ending: For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever, Amen.

6. Name the 12 Disciples.

Simon Peter	Thomas
Andrew	Matthew
James	James
John	Jude
Phillip	Simon
Bartholomew	Judas

4. The Armor of God: Ephesians 6:10-17

Belt of Truth

Breastplate of Righteousness

Gospel Shoes of Peace

Shield of Faith

Helmet of Salvation

Sword of the Spirit (Word of God)