



CONSTRUCT AND CREATE | WEEK 1 | SEPTEMBER 7, 2025

Preschool Lesson

Adam and Eve

Bible Story: *Adam and Eve* • God has good things for me to do • *Genesis 1:27-28; 2:15, 19-20*

Memory Verse: “For I know the plans I have for you,” says the Lord.” Jeremiah 29:11 NLT

Key Question: Who has plans for you?

Bottom Line: God has plans for me.

Basic Truth: I am loved by God no matter what so I can trust God to guide me.

LEADER BIBLE STUDY

God made me. God loves me. And God has plans for me. That is the foundation we want to begin to construct and create for our preschoolers this month. We want them to grow up knowing God has plans for them that include good things for them to do. We want them to know they can trust God’s plans and that His plans are always best. And just like we can wait for birthdays and Christmas, we can wait on God’s plans too! Each of our preschoolers is building their own story with their lives. It is our hope and prayer that they will choose to build it with God by trusting that His plans are best. With God, we know they will construct and create a story that will leave a legacy of faith for generations to come.

Pre-Service Check List

- HUDDLE AS TEAM → • You’re in this together! Pray together and talk about the activities for the day.
- PLAY MUSIC
- PUT OUT TOYS → • A welcoming environment is important! We want it to be obvious from the moment kids walk in that they belong HERE!
- PUT ASIDE DISTRACTIONS
- ENGAGE WITH KIDS

Morning Flow



KID CONNECT

WELCOME TIME

(VIDEO: ARRIVAL MUSIC)

Play intro music in the background as you greet preschoolers and follow the KidCity check-in procedures. Set out a few favorite theme-related toys, such as puzzles and blocks.

OPENING ACTIVITY

(No Supplies)

Kid Connect time is spent building relationships with the kids. Gather your Small Group together for some intentional connecting time before Large Group. You can do small activities while you chat together (like coloring or building with blocks) or just sit and listen to each other. Ask your kids relationship-building questions like:

- How old are you?
- Do you have a favorite stuffed animal?
- Do you have a brother, sister, or pet? What are their names?
- What do you like to play at home?
- What's your favorite food/color/animal/ice cream flavor?

Transition to Large Group...

LARGE GROUP

COUNTDOWN

(VIDEO: COUNTDOWN)

Show the countdown video as the children clean up and transition to Large Group.

SETTING UP FOR SUCCESS

(CG: EXPECTATION SLIDE, BASIC TRUTHS SLIDE, MEMORY VERSE VIDEO; BIBLE)

LGL: "Hello my friends! How are you today? Come and sit with me. I am so glad you are here! My name is [your name]. I'm excited to spend time with you today! We are getting ready to sing and dance and hear a true story from the Bible. Before we do let's go over our rules and truths.

"Here in KidCity we have three rules. How many rules do we have? (*Kids respond.*) That's right! Three rules. Let's go over our rules now. (*List rules while counting on fingers*)

1. **Be kind.** We can be kind by using our indoor speaking voices, by staying on our blankets (or whatever space you have), and by obeying our leaders.
2. **Be safe.** We can be safe by walking around the classroom and keeping our hands to ourselves.
3. **Have fun!** We are going to have SO much fun, and that's because you are here!

"Can everybody follow those rules today? (*Kids respond.*) Great! KidCity is a place where we learn

about God and Jesus! And there are three big truths that we want you to know. Let's say them all together! Are you ready?

1. **I am made by God.** What is it? *(Kids repeat.)*
2. **I am loved by God no matter what.** What is it? *(Kids repeat.)*
3. **I am made for a purpose!** What is it? *(Kids repeat.)*

"It's time for our memory verse. Let's watch our memory verse motions and do it along with them!"

Show memory verse motion video and then practice without it.

"For I know *(touch head with fingertips)*
the plans I have for you,' *(march)*
says the Lord," *(point up)*
Jeremiah 29:11. *(Open hands like a book)*

"Ok, now let's sing and worship God!"

WORSHIP

(VIDEO: ANYTHING AT ALL, GOD'S WAY)

Sing the worship songs together.

INTRO SKETCH

(Story Box with Beginner's Bible, Stuffed Ollie the Owl and Prop for Current Week (W1 Lion Stuffed Animal/Lion Toy Figure, W2 Baby Doll Wrapped in a Blanket, W3 Kings Crown, W4 Large Star))

LGL brings the story box with the Bible to the center of the room.

"I have my story box ready. I'm SO excited to see what we are learning about God today. Let's see what I have in here..."

Pull out the Bible

What is this? *(Pause for responses.)* Yes, it's the Bible! The Bible is God's word and God's word is always true. The Bible has many stories that make one BIG story, and we (you and me) are part of that story.

There is something else in our story box today. Let's see what it is!

Pull out Ollie and the prop for current week

Hello Ollie! Can everyone say, "Hello Ollie!" *(Pause for responses.)* What did Ollie bring today? *(Pause for responses.)* YES, a lion! Do you think there is a lion in our story today? *(Pause for responses.)* Let's get ready to watch our Bible story video and find out!

Let's click on our listening ears (tug on each ear, one at a time, as you make a click, click sound), let's put on our looking eyes (bring your hands, one at a time, to your eyes like binoculars as you

say shook, shook) and let's put our hands that have been move and praising Jesus quietly in our laps.

Now we are ready. Let's watch today's true Bible story."

WATCH THE BIBLE STORY

(VIDEO: BIBLE STORY, BOTTOM LINE)

"Wow! That was a great story! There WAS a lion in our story today. Who gave the lion its name? *(Pause for responses.)* Yes, Adam did! God had plans for Adam and Eve, and God has plans for you too.

When I ask you, 'Who has plans for you?' I want you to say, *[Bottom Line]* 'God has plans for me!' Are you ready? *(Pause for responses.)* 'Who has plans for you?' *[Bottom Line]* 'God has plans for me!' YES! *[Bottom Line]* 'God has plans for me!'

SAY THE BASIC TRUTH

(CG: BASIC TRUTH SLIDE)

Let's look at our Basic Truth for today. It says, 'I am loved by God no matter what so I can trust God to guide me.' **We can trust God to guide us because God made us, God loves us, and God has plans for us!**

PRAY

"Let's get our hands ready to pray. *Open them, close them, open them, close them, give a little clap. Open them, close them, open them, close them, fold them in your lap.*

Dear God, Thank you for all my friends here today. Thank you that we are learning that you have plans for us. Please help us do the good things you have for us to do. We love you, God. In Jesus' name. Amen."

TRANSITION TO SMALL GROUP

SMALL GROUP

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PLAY IN THE GARDEN (2's-5's)

(“Play in the Garden” Activity Page (11x17) – 1 /group and “Play in the Garden Images” Activity Page- 1 set/group, color copy, cut a part.) Optional- Bag/Bucket/Bin 1 per group

What You Do:

Before the Activity: Copy “Play in the Garden” page 1 per group on 11x17 paper and copy “Play in the Garden Images” 1 set per group cut apart. *Optional- put the cut apart images in a Bag/Bucket/Bin for each group.

During the Activity: Quick Review of the story. And then let the kids take turns picking an image and matching it to the “Play in the Garden” page.

After the Activity: Connect the Bottom Line to the Bible Story.

What You Say:

Before the Activity: “Hey Everyone! Let’s all sit here together, we are going to play a fun game to review today’s Bible Story.”

During the Activity: Hold up the 11x17 page and point to each image, one at a time, pausing and giving the kids time to recognize it and raise their hand to tell you what it is.

- **Adam:** In our Bible Story we learned that God gave Adam good things to do.
- **Eve:** In our Bible Story we learned that God gave Eve good things to do too.
- **Things that Grow in the Garden:** One Good Thing God had for Adam and Eve to do was to take care of the things that grew in the Garden
 - Point to each thing and let the kids tell you what it is.
- **Animals:** Another Good Thing God had for Adam to do was name all of the animals!
 - Point to each animal and have the kids tell you what it is called.
- **Heart:** God LOVED Adam and Eve and had plans for them. God LOVES YOU and has plans for you too!
- **Smiley Face:** It makes me smile to know that God has plans for you and me!

OK, now that we remember our story from today... let’s play a game. We are going to take turns going to the Image Pile and picking up 1 (hold up 1 finger) image and then you will bring it back and match it to where it goes on our BIG Paper here!” -- Call the kids one at a time to get an image. You may need to go through the activity twice so that all kids get a turn.

- **Adam:** Everyone stomp your feet and say, God had plans for Adam!
- **Eve:** Everyone high five a neighbor and say, God had plans for Eve!

- **Things that Grow in the Garden:** God wanted Adam and Eve to work and take care of the Garden.
 - Have the kids raise both hands if they like the food image and say, “Yum!”
- **Animals:** Another plan for Adam was that he was given the job to name all of the animals!
 - Have the kids make the sound for that animal image.
- **Heart:** Point to the Sky and Say, “God” then cross your arms on your chest to show love and say, “Loved Adam and Eve.” Same motions and say God Loves ME!
- **Smiley Face:** Point to your mouth and give a BIG SMILE, then say the Bottom Line together... **Who has plans for you? [Bottom Line] God has plans for me!**

After the Activity: “God gave Adam and Eve really good things to do. God wanted them to take care of the World He made! And God gives us good things to do too! Like... Being kind and loving to everyone. Helping your neighbor. And taking care of the things God made. God had plans for Adam and Eve, and God has plans for you too! **[Bottom Line] Who has plans for you? [Bottom Line] God has plans for me!”**

GARDEN CREATIONS (2's-5's)

(“Garden Creation Plans” Activity Page- 1 set per SG, Pom Poms (20-30 of each color)- green, yellow, pink, orange, red, brown)

What You Do:

During the Activity: Help the kids follow the plan to create a garden image.

After the Activity: Connect the Bottom Line to the Bible Story.

What You Say:

Before the Activity: “Today we heard about the plans God had for Adam and Eve. We also heard that God has plans for us too! Most of the plans for Adam and Eve had to do with things in the Garden. So, we are going to have some fun following a few garden plans too.... I will give you a Picture Plan and some Materials. I want you to take turns following the plan you have to create a garden.”

During the Activity: “We have Garden Plans, show the kids the “Plans” and we have Materials... Step one, is to see what colors you need. Step two is to get your colors. And Step three is to create your Garden. When you are done, let me know! We will take turns and after everyone is done, we can put all the materials back in the middle and get a different Garden Plan and do it again! Let’s see what you guys can do!” ****2s Adaption-** work as a group to complete one or two pictures. (Put all of the pom poms in one area and have the kids go get one at a time and place on the picture.)

After the Activity: “You guys worked hard to follow the plans and make something beautiful!” Remember, God had plans for Adam and Eve- like taking care of the things in the Garden. And God has plans for you too! Plans like being kind and loving to everyone. Helping your neighbor. And taking care of the things God made. **[Bottom Line] Who has plans for you? [Bottom Line] God has plans for me!”**

MEMORY VERSE WITH MOTIONS

(Memory Verse Motions Poster – 1 per group)

Say the memory verse using motions from the Memory Verse Motions poster. Repeat several times and encourage children for their efforts.

“For I know *(touch head with fingertips)*
the plans I have for you,’ *(march)*
says the Lord,” *(point up)*
Jeremiah 29:11. *(Open hands like a book)*

PRAY

“Let’s pray together. *(Have kids “put both hands up in the air, clap them together once [keep hands clasped], and then lower them down to their lap.”)*

Dear God, thank you for loving us and having plans for us. Thank you for all the good things you have for us to do. We love you, God. In Jesus’ name. Amen.”

PARENT PICK UP ACTIVITY – READ THE STORY

(The Beginner’s Bible)

What You Do:

- Open up the Beginner’s Bible to today’s (Adam and Eve, page #14) and read it to your small group.

CONNECT WITH PARENTS/INFLUENCERS

(First Look Placemats - 1 per child)

Hand out placemats and encourage parents/influencers to review the Preschool lesson with their child this week.