

BIBLE CLASS TEACHING

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PURPOSE

Many of you will at some time or another teach a children's Bible class. This event encourages young people to develop and/or implement creative teaching skills.

PROCESS

Each participant will:

- Prepare Bible class lessons for an appropriate age level
- Teach the lesson/children's worship/VBS to the correct age group.
- Give four copies of each lesson plan to your Church Coordinator.
- Church Coordinator will collect all entries for Bible Class Teaching and mail as bundle to the Event Coordinator on or before **March 1, 2018**.
- Church Coordinator will use a trackable shipping method to mail the Bible Class Teaching bundle. LTC-WR recommends USPS Priority Mail; www.usps.com.
- Children in grades 3 – 6 may teach only the Bible story part of the lesson, and ALL FIRST TIME LTC Bible Class participants may use a preprinted lesson from the regular curriculum used by the church. This could be for Sunday morning Bible class, Vacation Bible School, mid-week Bible study, or any other time when children's Bible lessons are taught.

The Event Coordinator will:

1. Send a confirmation of receipt of lesson plan(s) and verification sheet to the Church Coordinator.
2. Organize submissions or judging.
3. Confirm that the correct number of lessons have been taught to receive the appropriate award.
4. Mail all award recommendations to the Award Entry Coordinator by **March 15, 2018**.

The written lesson plan for grades 3-6 must contain (please use 3rd-6th grade form provided below):

1. The age level of the students being taught.
2. The passage for the lesson.
3. The method being using to teach, such as flannel graph, story-telling, flip chart, a puppet show, a drama, or some other method (circle the correct response on the form).
4. What you liked best about teaching the Bible story.



The written lesson plan for grades 7 – 12, must contain (please use 7th-12th grade form provided):

1. Age or grade level of children to be taught.
2. Lesson goal: Write ONE sentence about your goal. Your goal should answer the question, “What is the lesson you want the children to learn?” OR “How will this lesson help children become what God wants them to be?”
3. On the form, circle the correct response describing how you will teach the Bible story.
4. Lesson Content: What Bible story, event, or lesson will you teach? What is the scripture reference? Will you teach a memory verse, new song, or application story? Will you include a hands-on experience?
5. Lesson Outline: Circle at least one response from the following options on the form:
 - a) Attention Getter: How will you get your student’s attention? You might use a picture, game, toy, song, story, or something else.
 - b) Check for Understanding: How will you make sure the students learned the lesson? You might have them retell the story using the flannel graph, or discuss the story, or use a game (i.e. jeopardy), or have them re-enact the story, or something else.
 - c) Application: How does the lesson relate to the student’s everyday lives? Will you use a drama, have a workbook activity, sing a song, share a prayer, or something else?

TEACHING THE CLASS: Finally, you must teach the Bible study to an appropriate age level of children. If you are in the 3rd – 6th grades, you may work with a regular Bible class teacher and present the Bible story portion of the lesson. If you are in the 7th -12th grades, you may use a regular Bible class teacher as your assistant if you desire. In any event an adult must sign the verification form that you actually taught the Bible story or the entire class.

LENGTH:

- 3rd – 4th grade Bible story: at least 3 minutes long.
- 5th – 6th grade Bible story: at least 6 minutes long
- 7th – 8th grade classes: at least 15 minutes long.
- 9th -10th grade classes: at least 20 minutes long.
- 11th – 12th grade classes: at least 30 minutes long.

ADDITIONAL RULES:

You may use this Bible class teaching experience to count towards Service Challenge. All forms may be hand written if the writing is legible. Whether the forms are completed by computer or hand written, they **MUST** be filled out by the participant, not the coordinator.

AWARDS:

Grade Categories	3 rd -6 th	7 th -12 th
Gold	3 Lessons	4 Lessons
Silver	2 Lessons	3 Lessons
Bronze	1 lesson	2 lessons
Participant		1 Lesson



3RD – 6TH GRADE LESSON PLAN
(USE ONE PER LESSON TAUGHT)

Participants Name: _____

This lesson is for age(s): _____

The title/subject of my lesson is: _____

The Bible passage for my lesson is: _____

I will teach the Bible story by (circle one or explain in “d” below):

a. using flannel graph

e. doing a drama

b. telling the story in my own words

f. flip chart

c. doing a puppet show

g. Bible story book

d. other: _____

Write one sentence about what you liked best about teaching the Bible story:



7th – 12th GRADE LESSON PLAN
(USE ONE PER LESSON TAUGHT)

Participant's Name: _____

1. Age/Grade level for whom the lesson is intended: _____

2. Write one sentence about the goal of your Bible class lesson: _____

3. Lesson Content:

- What Bible Story/Lesson will you teach? _____

- Scripture Reference: _____

- What teaching materials will you use? _____

- Length of planned lesson: _____

4. I will get my students' attention by (circle one or fill in other below):

a. picture

e. story

b. song

f. toy

c. game

g. modern day puppet story

d. other: _____

5. I will check my student's understanding by:

a

. discussion

c. re-enactment

b. a game

d. letting them re-tell the story

e. other: _____



Participant's Name: _____

6. In order to help the students apply the lesson to their lives, I will use –

a. a workbook activity

d. a song

b. a drama

e. a prayer

c. other: _____

7. Write one sentence about what you liked best or what you learned from your teaching experience: _____

8. What might you have done before or during the class to make the experience even better for you and/or the students? _____



ADULT VERIFICATION FORM/COVER SHEET

Participant Name: _____

Participant's Grade Level: _____ Number of Lessons Taught: _____

Congregation: _____

Congregation Address: _____

Congregation Phone Number: _____

Church Coordinator: _____

Church Coordinator's Email Address: _____

I verify that my participant _____ taught
_____ number of Bible story/stories or class/classes in accordance with the LTC
manual guidelines.

Signature of Adult Verifier

Printed Name of Adult Verifier