



Session Twenty-Five: BIBLE SKILL NIGHT

Today's Bible Skill:

- Review 1 Thessalonians 5:18
- Review Key Passages – Parable of The Good Samaritan and The Shepherd's Song
- Name Divisions of Old Testament
- Name Divisions of New Testament

Divide Group into 4 Teams – Each team will rotate through Bible Skills stations.

Bible Skill Station One: Bible Verse Activity: Cover Up – 1 Thessalonians 5:18 (Week 24)

Instructions:

Invite the kids to practice reading 1 Thessalonians 5:18 together. Use a sticky note to cover up 1-2 words of the verse. Read the verse again. Continue this until the entire verse is covered and the kids can say the verse from memory.

Variation: Start with most words covered and remove sticky notes when the kids can identify the covered words.

Bible Skill Station Two: Under Lock and Key - Key Passages (NEW)

Materials:

3 locks with 3 keys. (can use picture of lock and key)
3 key tags
Basket
Bible

Prepare:

Print title of key passage on lock
Print location of key passage on key tag
Place set of keys in one basket
Place set of locks on the table
Place Bible next to locks

Instructions:

Divide kids into groups. Select first kid to select a key tag from the basket. Look at the passage. State the passage aloud and say start. Kids are to look up the passage in their Bible. When they have found the correct passage, they are to run to grab the key and unlock the correct lock.

Player unlocking the lock gets to draw the next key tag. Continue until all three locks have been opened.

Once locks have been opened, close the Bible and each lock, and place keys in the basket.

Bible Skill Station Three: Toss the Beach Ball (Week 21)

Instructions:

Divide kids into groups of no more than 6-8 kids. Instruct kids to form a circle. (More than one circle can participate at the same time)

Explain that while the music is playing, they are to toss the beach ball to each other. When the music stops, the person holding the beach ball reads what is in the section. His right thumb is touching, and he leads the group in saying the books in that division. Keep playing as time allows.

Bible Skill Station Four: “Let’s Go Lego®” relay (Week 24)

Instructions:

Divide kids into even groups (4-6 per group)

Have groups form a circle and sit on the ground or gather around a table. Place a basket of “Lego®” type bricks in the center of each group. Instruct the kids that when they hear “Let’s Go Legos,” the team is to separate the Books of the Old Testament by division by building a tower for each division. The first team to correctly build all 5 towers with books in order wins. Check for accuracy by having the team call out the names of each division. Repeat the game as time allows.

IF TIME ALLOWS: Review previous memory verses.