



Eighth Grade Bible Bible Course Outline

Course Objective:

Students will study the gospels, conduct an in-depth, personalized study of selected biblical passages, and participate in activities to help them apply the Scriptures to important issues faced by eighth grade students. The materials are designed to capture the students' interest and encourage them to think and become more Christ-like. The focus is on personal Bible study and the understanding of principles which can guide all of life's decisions.

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<p>Unit 01 - Before Time Began Quest Subject: Who is God, anyway? Quest Goal: The students will begin an overview of the life of Christ with a focus on His eternal existence and plan. They will answer the question, "Who is Christ?" Quest Verse: In the beginning was the Word and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the One and Only, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth. John 1:1, 14 Quest Truth: Jesus Christ is God's Son. As a member of the Trinity, He is both distinct from and unified with God the Father, and God the Holy Spirit, into One Triune God. Quest Topics: Asking Questions Jesus Was Jesus Is Jesus Must Be Personal</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 02 - The Old in the New Quest Subject: Why is this important? Quest Goal: The students will explore Christ in the Old Testament especially in the fulfillment of prophecy as the promised Messiah. They will answer the question: Who is the Messiah? Quest Verse: For God was pleased to have all his fullness dwell in him, and through him to reconcile to himself all things, whether things on earth or things in heaven, by making peace through his blood, shed on the cross. Colossians 1:19-20 Quest Truth: The Bible presents the plan of God to bring redemption to mankind--its need, its nation, its Person, its explanation and its end. Jesus Christ is the promised Messiah sent to Earth to complete God's plan. Quest Topics: God Has a Plan The Bible Presents God's Plan Jesus is the Messiah Jesus Fulfills Prophecy</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 03 - In the Fullness of Time Quest Subject: Do things "just happen"?</p> <p>Quest Goal: The students will relate the birth of Christ to the Old Testament through prophecy and His lineage.</p> <p>Quest Truth: The Bible is the Word of God, divinely inspired and without error. Its central message is salvation through Jesus Christ, God's promised Messiah.</p> <p>Quest Verse: But when the time had fully come, God sent His Son, born of a woman, born under law, to redeem those under law, that we might receive full rights as sons. Gal. 4:4-5</p> <p>Quest Topics: Matthew and Mark Speak Luke and John Speak Prophecy Points to Christ You Are No Accident</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 04 - A Child Is Born Quest Subject: Why Should God Care About Me? Quest Goal: The students will study and appreciate the facts surrounding the birth of Christ. Quest Verse: “But the angel said to them, ‘Do not be afraid. I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is Christ the Lord.’” Luke 2:10-11 Quest Truth: Jesus Christ was conceived of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. As God incarnate, in the flesh, He is both perfect God and perfect man. Quest Topics: People and Events Related to the Birth of Christ The Incarnation Being Special to God The Ministry of Angels</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 05 - A Model Child Quest Subject: How Can I Get Along With My Parents Quest Goal: Students will track the various events of Jesus’ boyhood and make personal application of principles learned. Quest Verse: “And the child grew and became strong; he was filled with wisdom, and the grace of God was upon him. And Jesus grew in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and men.” Luke 2:40, 52 Quest Truth: Jesus Christ developed as a normal youth, having laid aside His divine nature. Thus, He serves as an example of growing mentally, physically, socially, and spiritually. Quest Topics: Wise Men Seek Him Jesus in the Temple Getting Along with Parents Keeping Life in Balance</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 06 - A Voice in the Desert Quest Subject: Why am I always in so much trouble? Quest Goal: The students will appreciate the circumstances of John the Baptist’s birth, ministry and death as they consider suffering for righteousness. Quest Verse: This is he (John the Baptist) who was spoken of through the prophet Isaiah: "A voice of one calling in the desert, 'Prepare the way for the Lord, make straight paths for him.'" Matthew 3:3 Quest Truth: Those who follow God will experience persecution from those who do not know Him. Their responsibility is to live righteously, maintain joy and remain faithful. Quest Topics: The Family of John the Baptist The Ministry of John the Baptist John Baptizes Jesus John Loses His Head</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 07 - Calling Disciples Quest Subject: Can God use somebody like me? Quest Goal: The students will focus on the initial events of Jesus’ ministry: the temptation, the calling of disciples and the wedding in Cana. Quest Truth: Jesus called twelve disciples to assist in ministry and to bear witness of the Gospel to the world. Believers today are called to fulfill similar purposes. Quest Verse: “Come, follow me,” Jesus said, “and I will make you fishers of men.” Mark 1:17 Quest Topics: Jesus is Tempted Jesus Called Twelve Disciples Jesus Calls Disciples Today The First Miracle</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 08 - A Call to Worship Quest Subject: How can you know who's right? Quest Goal: The students will study John 3 and 4 where Jesus interacts with Nicodemus and the woman at the well. Quest Truth: Salvation is provided freely to all who repent from sin and accept Jesus Christ by faith. To be born again means spiritual birth through the indwelling Holy Spirit that places a believer into the family of God. Quest Verse: For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. For God did not send His Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through Him. John 3:16, 17 Quest Topics: Witness to Nicodemus Witness to the Woman at the Well Worshipping in Spirit and Truth The Art of Witnessing</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 09 - Directions of Ministry Quest Subject: How do I get started in ministry? Quest Goal: The students will learn the three-fold direction of Christ's ministry and consider their own choices of ministry. Quest Truth: Jesus ministered approximately three years through preaching, teaching and healing as He proclaimed and confirmed the Kingdom of God. Quest Verse: Jesus went throughout Galilee, teaching in their synagogues, preaching the good news of the kingdom, and healing every disease and sickness among the people. Matthew 4:23 Quest Topics: Overview of Jesus' Ministry Events of Luke 4 Directions of Ministry Challenges of Personal Ministry</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 10 - Jesus Performs Miracles Quest Subject: How can I find a friend I can really trust? Quest Goal: The students will consider miracles in general as they study Jesus' miracles and others reactions to them Quest Truth: Miracles are events that supersede the laws of nature, performed by divine power and for a divine purpose. Quest Verse: How shall we escape if we ignore such a great salvation? This salvation, which was first announced by the Lord, was confirmed to us by those who heard him. God also testified to it by signs, wonders and various miracles, and gifts of the Holy Spirit distributed according to His will. Hebrews 2:3-4 Quest Topics: The Marvel of Miracles Jesus Performs Miracles Jesus Suffers Rejection Building Trustworthy Friendships</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 11 - The Beginning of Conflicts Quest Subject: Why don't people do what they say? Quest Goal: The students will understand the increasing conflict Jesus faced, especially in relation to the Sabbath. Quest Truth: Jesus declared the Sabbath a day for doing what is needful and helpful. Early Christians established the first day of the week as a day of worship and rest. Quest Verse: Then he said to them, "The Sabbath was made for man, not man for the Sabbath. So the Son of Man is Lord even of the Sabbath." Mark 2:27-28</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 12 - Sermon on the Mount Quest Subject: How can I get along with people? Quest Goal: The students will become familiar with the teachings of Jesus commonly called "The Sermon on the Mount." Quest Truth: While Jesus fulfilled all the Old Testament law and prophecy, He taught that the Kingdom of God demanded a higher standard of righteousness as believers sought to live by the Spirit toward God and in love toward one another. Quest Verse: <i>Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or drink; or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more important than food, and the body more important than clothes? But seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. Matt. 6:25, 33</i> Quest Topics: Beatitudes and Similitudes Exceeding Expectations Getting Along with Others Making It Personal</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 13 - Practicing Prayer Quest Subject: What good is praying? Quest Goal: The students will practice prayer in accordance with the model of the Lord's Prayer Quest Truth: Believers are commanded to pray without ceasing, with thanksgiving, and in accordance with God's will. The Lord's Prayer serves as a pattern for entering God's presence and seeking help for our needs. Quest Verse: This then is how you should pray, "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 as we also have forgiven our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from the evil one. For yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen." Matthew 6:9-13 Quest Topics: The Pattern of Prayer God's Response to Prayer Principles of Prayer The Practice of Prayer</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 14 - Teaching in Parables Quest Subject: I know what's right, but what if I don't want to do it? Quest Goal: The students will identify the application of various parables Jesus taught. Quest Truth: Jesus taught in parables to illustrate the truths He presented, with the ultimate objective that believers would obey His words, not just hear them. Quest Verse: So was fulfilled what was spoken through the prophet: "I will open my mouth in parables, I will utter things hidden since the creation of the world." Matthew 13:35</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 15 - The Power of Faith Quest Subject: How can I have more faith? Quest Goal: The students will consider the principles of faith as they study miracles in which Jesus commends faith. Quest Truth: Faith is firm belief that results in action . Without it, we can't please God. With it, we receive justification, righteousness, grace for living and eternal salvation. Quest Verse: <i>Now faith is being sure of what we hope for and certain of what we do not see. And without faith it is impossible to please God, because anyone who comes to him must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who earnestly seek him. Hebrews 11:1, 6</i> Quest Topics: Personal Study of God's Word Developing Principles of Faith Applying Principles of Faith Biblical Steps of Faith</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 16 - The Kingdom of God Quest Subject: How should I respond to God's Word? Quest Goal: The students will analyze nine parables taught by Jesus as He explained the kingdom of God. Quest Truth: The kingdom of God is sown in the hearts of people through the Word of God. This Word must be received in faith then in turn produce spiritual fruit in believers. Quest Verse: For the kingdom of God is not a matter of eating and drinking, but of righteousness, peace and joy in the Holy Spirit, because anyone who serves Christ in this way is pleasing to God and approved by men. Romans 14:17-18 Quest Topics: Parable of the Sower Other Parables of the Kingdom Unfolding His Treasures Responding to God's Word</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 17 - The Character of Christ Quest Subject: How can I be stronger in the way I should live? Quest Goal: The students will learn principles for more strongly living their beliefs as they study five miracles performed by Christ. Quest Truth: Jesus Christ possessed impeccable character demonstrated through His power and compassion. Believers are ordained to be conformed to His character as they set their minds on things above and seek to live in accordance with His commandments. Quest Verse: Jesus did not let him, but said, "Go home to your family and tell them how much the Lord has done for you, and how he has had mercy on you." Mark 5:19 Quest Topics: Miraculous Response to Needs Strengthening Our Character In Teaching, I Am Taught</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 18 - An Unfinished Book Quest Subject: Why is it so important to review? Quest Goal: Students will review the early part of Christ's life in an effort to see the big picture Quest Verse: For my Father's will is that everyone who looks to the Son and believes in him shall have eternal life, and I will raise him up at the last day. John 6:40</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 19 - The Ministry Expands Quest Subject: Do I have to be like everybody else? Quest Goal: The students will consider the mission of the twelve disciples and the 70 other leaders as they provided witness of Jesus Christ. Quest Truth: All Christians are called to be disciples as they share the Gospel throughout the world, thus making new disciples who are responsible to witness to their own generation. Quest Verse: Then he said to them all: "If anyone would come after me, he must deny himself and take up his cross daily and follow me. For whoever wants to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for me will save it." Luke 9:23-24 Quest Topics: Overview of Christ's Early Ministry The Unfolding Plan of God The Ministry of the Disciples My Responsibility as a Disciple</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 20 - Meeting the Needs of Others Quest Subject--Are there errors in the Bible? Quest Goal--The students will determine that the Bible is without error as it reports Jesus' miracles and claims to be the Bread of Life Quest Truth--Jesus is the Bread of Life sent from Heaven to meet the needs of those the Father has called and to give them eternal life Quest Verse: Then Jesus declared, "I am the bread of life. He who comes to me will never go hungry, and he who believes in me will never be thirsty." John 6:35 Quest Topics: Feeding the 5000 The Truth of Scripture Jesus, the Bread of Life Compassion for the Multitudes</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 21 - The Son of God Quest Subject: What's really important in life? Quest Goal: The students will consider the Great Confession, the Great Question, and the Great Witness concerning Christ. Quest Truth: Jesus was declared to be the Son of God through the testimony of the Father, His own testimony and the testimony of others. As God's Son, He is able to save and keep those who come in faith to Him. Quest Verse: Simon Peter answered, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God." Matt. 16:16 Quest Subjects: The Great Confession The Transfiguration The Great Question</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 22 - Jesus the Christ Quest Subject: Is there just one way to do right? Quest Goal: The students will consider Jesus' claims to be the promised Messiah, the Son of God. Quest Truth: Jesus came from His Father in heaven as the Christ. Those who receive Him, receive life. Those who reject Him, receive death. As God's Son, He is the only way to salvation. Quest Verse: To the Jews who had believed in him, Jesus said, "If you hold to my teaching, you are really my disciples. Then you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free." John 8:31-32 Quest Topics: Healing of the Demon Possessed Boy Interactions with Jewish Leaders Doing Right the Wrong Way Pluralism vs. Tolerance</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 23 - A Heart for Others Quest Subject: Why should I have to forgive? Quest Goal: The students will sense the tender heart of Jesus as He interacts with children and teaches us about forgiveness. Quest Truth: Jesus demonstrated a heart for others, as He emphasized humility, the value of children, solving conflicts, forgiveness and servanthood. Our responsibility is to demonstrate the principles He taught in our relationships with others. Quest Verse: And He said: "I tell you the truth, unless you change and become like little children, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven." Matthew 18:3 Quest Topics: The Value of Children Resolving Conflicts Forgiveness Servanthood</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 24 - The Plan and Purpose of God</p> <p>Quest Subject: Why does God allow bad things to happen?</p> <p>Quest Goal: Students will consider the need to accept and love others regardless of their differences.</p> <p>Quest Truth: Within the creative plan of God there is the propensity to the many differences that occur within species. Our responsibility is to accept and love others regardless of abilities or disabilities.</p> <p>Quest Verse: If anyone is ashamed of me and my words, the Son of Man will be ashamed of him when he comes in his glory and in the glory of the Father and of the holy angels. Luke 9:26</p> <p>Quest Topics: The Man Born Blind Accepting Differences and Disabilities The Good Samaritan Mary and Martha</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 25 - Marks of True Religion Quest Subject: Why are some people such hypocrites? Quest Goal: Students will consider Jesus' teachings on making His truth foundational in life. Quest Truth: Real truth, based on Christ and His word, forms the foundation for right beliefs and actions. Quest Verse: There is nothing concealed that will not be disclosed, or hidden that will not be made known. Luke 12:2 Quest Topics: Facts on Satan The Sin of Hypocrisy Learning the Principles Refilling with God's Directives</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 26 - Lost and Found Quest Subject: I've messed up; how can I make it right? Quest Goal: The students will consider Jesus' parable of lost things as they understand the value of a lost sinner, steps to his repentance and restoration, and the joy of his return to God. Quest Truth: All mankind is lost, hopeless and helpless without God. Christ is the seeking Savior who willingly forgives sin and restores life to those who repent and turn to Him in faith. Quest Verse: In the same way, I tell you, there is rejoicing in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents. Luke 15:10 Quest Topics: Principles of Christian Life Jesus Teaches About Lost Things Understanding Repentance Making it Personal</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 27 - Hard Teachings and Harsh Warnings</p> <p>Quest Subject: What's wrong with being rich?</p> <p>Quest Goal: Students will summarize some of Jesus' teachings, especially those related to divorce and money.</p> <p>Quest Truth: God's principles are given for our happiness and benefit. Whether related to divorce, money, or other subjects, they teach us the importance of good stewardship as we follow Christ.</p> <p>Quest Verse: Whoever can be trusted with very little can also be trusted with much, and whoever is dishonest with very little will be dishonest with much. So if you have not been trustworthy in handling worldly wealth, who will trust you with true riches? Luke 16:10-11</p> <p>Quest Topics: General Teachings of Jesus Teachings on Divorce Teachings on Riches Applying Principles to Life</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 28 - The Good Shepherd Quest Subject: Is there really life after death? Quest Goal: Based on John 10 and 11, the students will personally apply principles of Christ's care and power. Quest Truth: Christ as the great I AM provides ultimate care, strength, and abundant life to those who follow Him. Quest Verse: I am the gate; whoever enters through me will be saved. He will come in and go out, and find pasture. The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy; I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full. John 10:9-10 Quest Topics: The Lord is My Shepherd Resurrection Power The Raising of Lazarus The I AM statements</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 29 - The Triumphal Entry Quest Subject: What's wrong with being well known or famous? Quest Goal: The students will begin their study of events during the final week of Jesus' life on earth. Quest Truth: Jesus clearly knew His destiny and purposefully made His way toward Jerusalem to fulfill God's plan in giving His life for the sins of the world. Quest Verse: Those who went ahead and those who followed shouted, "Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Blessed is the coming kingdom of our father David! Hosanna in the highest!" Mark 11:9-10 Quest Topics: Jesus' Journey to Jerusalem Mary Anoints Jesus Triumphal Entry Cursing a Fig Tree and Cleansing the Temple</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 30 - The Last Week Quest Subject: Why am I not good enough for Heaven? Quest Goal: The students will begin their examination of the events of Tuesday during the Passion Week. Quest Truth: Christ demonstrated the danger of individuals rejecting His plan of redemption, which results in eternal punishment in hell. Quest Verse: Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, and into an inheritance that can never perish, spoil or fade--kept in heaven for you. I Peter 1:3-4 Quest Topics: Three Parables Three Questions Warnings to Pharisees Heaven and Hell</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 31 - The Last Supper Quest Subject: Why do I always get stuck with the worst jobs? Quest Goal: The students will consider the teachings on the Second Coming of Christ and understand the significance of the events of the Last Supper. Quest Truth: As Jesus concluded His earthly ministry, He instituted the Lord's Supper as a remembrance of His body and blood sacrificed for us. Quest Verse: Now that I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also should wash one another's feet. I have set you an example that you should do as I have done for you. John 13:13-14 Quest Topics: The Second Coming Signs of the Times The Last Supper Washing the Feet of Others</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 32 - The Garden of Prayer Quest Subject: How can I know God's plan for my life? Quest Goal: The students will continue their study of the events during Jesus' final week, particularly His teaching on the Holy Spirit, the high priestly prayer, the Garden of Gethsemane experience and His arrest. Quest Truth: Jesus promised that the Father would send the Holy Spirit to indwell believers, providing guidance, comfort and conviction. Quest Verse: My prayer is not for them alone. I pray also for those who will believe in me through their message, that all of them may be one, Father, just as you are in me and I am in you. May they also be in us so that the world may believe that you have sent me." John 17:20-21 Quest Topics: Learning to Abide Coming of the Holy Spirit Praying for Believers Determining God's Will</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 33 - The Crucifixion Quest Subject: How can I start over? Quest Goal: The students will research the events associated with Jesus' trials, crucifixion and burial. Quest Truth: Jesus Christ died once for all as a sacrifice for sins so that through His blood we can have forgiveness and peace with God. Quest Verse: For what I received I passed on to you as of first importance: that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures. I Corinthians 15:3-4 Quest Topics: The Trials The Crucifixion The Burial Starting Over</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 34 - The Resurrection Quest Subject: What proves that Christianity is true? Quest Goal: The students will research the various events of the resurrection and appearances of Jesus. Quest Truth: Jesus Christ arose from the tomb on the third day after His crucifixion. His resurrection proves His supreme power over death and His ability to provide new life to believers. Quest Verse: The angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid, for I know that you are looking for Jesus, who was crucified. He is not here; he has risen just as he said. Come and see that place where he lay." Matthew 28:5-6 Quest Topics: The Resurrection The Five Appearances on Sunday The Five Other Appearances Resurrection Power for Life</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 35 - Jesus Christ, Now and Forever</p> <p>Quest Subject: What is Jesus Christ doing right now and what are His plans for the future?</p> <p>Quest Goal: The students will consider the current work of Christ in building His Church and His future work of establishing an eternal Kingdom of Heaven.</p> <p>Quest Truth: Jesus Christ continues His work in the world today as He builds His Church. While sitting at the right hand of God in heaven, He prays for and enables the life and witness of believers. One day He will return to earth then establish an eternal kingdom in Heaven.</p> <p>Quest Verse: Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy set before him endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God. Hebrews 12:2</p> <p>Quest Topics: The Great Commission Building His Church Christ's Future Work Who Is Christ</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes

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<p>Unit 36 - A Finished Book Quest Subject: If these things are true, what difference should it make in my life? Quest Goal: The students will review and demonstrate their knowledge of the life of Christ. Quest Truth: Knowledge alone of Christ is insufficient. Christianity requires response. A true believer will desire to both know and do the will of God. Quest Verse: But these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in His name. John 20:31 Quest Topics: A Final Application Review Evaluation</p>	<p>45 min/day 5 days/wk 2 semesters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biblical definitions • Drama presentation • Finding scriptural reasons for beliefs • Map work • Research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Holy Bible (NIV) • LifeQuest Textbook—An in-depth look at the life of Christ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written and oral student quizzes • Monitoring of student answers during discussion times • Written and oral Bible memory quizzes