



# Curriculum Framework

A **SOUND SCOOLE** Curriculum

## Bible Theme: God Before Time

**Week #1**  
**Welcome to PrimeTime!**  
Getting involved in *PrimeTime*  
**Recruitment party**  
*No Bible story*

**Week #2**  
**Off to a Great Start!**  
Feeling welcome at PrimeTime  
*Jesus welcomes little children*  
Matthew 19:13–15

**Week #3**  
**Who Is God?**  
The greatness and goodness of God  
*The creation story*  
Genesis 1:1–25

**Week #4**  
**Who Is Jesus?**  
Jesus—divine and human  
*Jesus walks on water*  
Mark 6:45–51

## Bible Theme: Creation of Human Beings

**Week #5**  
**God Created People**  
God created each child  
*The creation of human beings*  
Genesis 1–2

**Week #6 †**  
**Created to Be God's Friend**  
God wants a relationship with each child  
*Jesus befriends Zacchaeus*  
Luke 19:1–9

**Week #7**  
**Choose Friends Wisely**  
What to look for in a good friend  
*The definition of love*  
1 Corinthians 13:4–8

**Week #8**  
**Be a Friend to Others**  
Children were created to do good to others  
**Hands—on service project**  
*No Bible story*

## Bible Theme: Sin Entered the World

**Week #9**  
**People Sinned**  
Everyone has sinned  
*The fall of Adam and Eve*  
Genesis 3

**Week #10**  
**The Great Rescue**  
Jesus died to rescue children from sin  
*The crucifixion of Jesus*  
Luke 22–23

**Week #11 †**  
**Ready to Be Rescued**  
Children can ask Jesus to rescue them from sin  
*The lost sheep*  
Luke 15:3–7

## Bible Theme: First Leaders of the Faith

**Week #12**  
**Abraham and Sarah's Faith**  
Faith and obedience to God  
*God's promise to Abraham and Sarah*  
Genesis 12:1–8; 18:1–15; 21:1–7

**Week #13**  
**Faith to Follow Jesus**  
What it means to follow Jesus  
*Jesus calls His disciples*  
Matthew 4:18–22

**Week #14**  
**Faith in the Hard Times**  
God is with His people in tough times  
*The life of Joseph*  
Genesis 37, 39–41

## Bible Theme: The Exodus from Egypt

**Week #15**  
**Moses and the Law**  
The Ten Commandments  
*God gives the Ten Commandments*  
Exodus 19–20; 31:18

**Week #16 †**  
**The Helpful Holy Spirit**  
The Holy Spirit helps in making choices  
*Philip and the Ethiopian*  
Acts 8:26–40

**Week #17**  
**Making Good Choices**  
How to make positive choices  
*The prodigal son*  
Luke 15:11–24

**Week #18**  
**It's Your Choice!**  
Choosing a service project to do as a group  
**Service project chosen by children**  
*No Bible story*

## Bible Theme: Kings and Queens

**Week #19**  
**Battling Giants**  
Dealing with bullies  
*David and Goliath*  
1 Samuel 17:1–24, 32–50

**Week #20**  
**Jesus Calms a Storm**  
What children can do when being hurt by someone  
*Jesus calms the storm*  
Luke 8:22–25

**Week #21**  
**Dealing With Conflict**  
Positive ways to resolve conflict  
*Abigail the peacemaker*  
1 Samuel 25:1–25, 27, 32–35

## YEAR 1

# The Big Story



† = Salvation invitation

## Bible Theme: Prophets

**Week #22 †**  
**Jonah and the Big Fish**  
Pleasing God vs. pleasing people  
*Jonah and the fish*  
Jonah 1–3

**Week #23**  
**Jesus Says "No"**  
Even Jesus said "no"  
*Jesus refuses to take revenge*  
Luke 9:51–56

**Week #24**  
**Dealing With Peer Pressure**  
Handling peer pressure in a healthy way  
*Daniel in the lions' den*  
Daniel 6

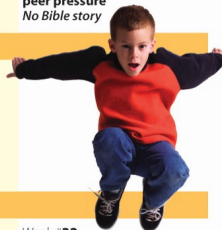
**Week #25**  
**Teaching Peers About Pressure**  
Teaching others about peer pressure  
**Children teach others about peer pressure**  
*No Bible story*

## Bible Theme: Jesus' Life on Earth

**Week #26**  
**Jesus Meets People's Needs**  
Jesus can meet every child's needs  
*Jesus feeds 5,000*  
John 6:5–13

**Week #27**  
**Jesus Experienced Loss**  
Dealing with loss of a loved one  
*Jesus' friend Lazarus dies*  
John 11:1–36

**Week #28**  
**Tell Others About Jesus!**  
Sharing the good news of Jesus  
*Jesus appears to Mary Magdalene*  
John 20:11–18



## Bible Theme: The Church

**Week #29**  
**What Is a Church?**  
What a church is  
*The early church*  
Acts 2:42–47

**Week #30 †**  
**Jesus Still Changes Lives**  
Jesus is still changing lives in churches  
*Saul's conversion on the Damascus road*  
Acts 9:1–20

**Week #31**  
**Why Go to Church?**  
Why people go to church  
*Jesus preaches in the synagogue*  
Luke 4:16–22

**Week #32**  
**Making a Church Visit**  
Visiting a church service together  
**Children attend church or meet with a pastor**  
*No Bible story*

## Bible Theme: Jesus Is Coming Back

**Week #33**  
**Heaven, the Ultimate Party!**  
What heaven is like  
*The new heaven*  
Revelation 21–22

**Week #34 †**  
**Jesus Is Coming Back!**  
Jesus will someday come back to Earth  
*Christ's coming again*  
1 Thessalonians 4:16–18

**Week #35**  
**Feel Good About Your Future!**  
Feeling positive about the future  
*Gideon the Great!*  
Judges 6:1–23, 33–40; 7:1–22

**Week #36**  
**PrimeTime Celebration**  
Recognition for participation in *PrimeTime*  
**End-of-year party**  
*No Bible story*

## Holidays and Special Days

**Thanksgiving Week**  
**Let's Be Thankful!**  
What to be thankful for—and Who to thank  
**Thanksgiving party**  
*No Bible story*

**Christmas Week**  
**Have a "Mary" Christmas!**  
The meaning of Christmas  
**Christmas party**  
*Mary's obedience and Jesus' birth*  
Luke 1:26–38; 2:1–7

**Valentine's Week**  
**Love Others**  
Ways to show love to others  
**Valentine's party**  
*No Bible story*

**Easter Week †**  
**Jesus Rose Again!**  
Jesus rose from the dead and is alive today  
**Easter celebration**  
*Jesus' resurrection*  
Luke 24:1–46

