

# SCOPE & SEQUENCE Nursery Baby Beginnings®

Two-year course for children ages 0–36 months  
Give babies a foundation of God’s love!



Month	Theme	Scripture	This month, each child will:
<b>September</b>	I See God’s Love at Church (Jesus Came to Church)	Luke 2:22-38 Psalm 122:1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>feel secure and comfortable at church as you demonstrate God’s love to the child.</li> <li>begin to associate God and Jesus with loving people and enjoyable activities.</li> </ul>
<b>October</b>	Jesus Loves Children (Jesus Loved the Little Children)	Mark 10:13-16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>develop an awareness of the name of Jesus and associate Him with being loved.</li> <li>enjoy the activities provided.</li> </ul>
<b>November</b>	God Gives Me Food (Jesus Gave Food to His Friends)	John 21:9-13 Genesis 1:29	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>develop an awareness that God made food.</li> <li>enjoy eating food with teachers and other children.</li> </ul>
<b>December</b>	Jesus Was a Baby (Jesus Was Born)	Luke 2:4-7 Luke 1:31	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>show interest in activities, conversation and songs about baby Jesus</li> <li>receive personal attention and love as teachers seek to show Jesus’ love in ways a child understands.</li> </ul>
<b>January</b>	God Helps Me to Grow (Jesus Grew)	Luke 2:52 Malachi 2:10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>associate new accomplishments with God and Jesus.</li> <li>enjoy the success of new accomplishments.</li> </ul>
<b>February</b>	My Family Loves Me (Timothy Learned About God’s Love)	2 Timothy 1:5; 3:15 Psalm 68:6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>begin to associate God and Jesus with loving people at home and at church.</li> <li>respond to demonstrations of affection.</li> </ul>
<b>March</b>	Jesus Loves Me (Jesus Loved Zacchaeus)	Luke 19:1-6 Revelation 1:5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>enjoy activities in which teachers talk lovingly of Jesus.</li> <li>frequently hear the words “Jesus loves us.”</li> </ul>
<b>April</b>	God Makes Growing Things (God Made the World)	Genesis 1:11-31 Genesis 1:1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>associate God with items of His creation.</li> <li>enjoy exploring items that God has made.</li> </ul>
<b>May</b>	People at Church Help Me (Jesus Helped His Friends)	John 13:2-5 1 Corinthians 12:28	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>develop an awareness of Jesus.</li> <li>associate Jesus with being loved and helped.</li> </ul>
<b>June</b>	God Cares for Me (Jesus Told About God’s Care)	Matthew 6:28-32 1 Peter 5:7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>associate God with the loving care experienced at church.</li> <li>show interest in conversation and songs about God’s care.</li> </ul>
<b>July</b>	God Made Me (God Made Everything)	Psalm 95:3-7 Job 33:4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>enjoy success in using the body God made for him or her.</li> <li>begin to develop an awareness that God made his or her body.</li> </ul>
<b>August</b>	God Gives Me Friends (David and Jonathan Were Friends)	1 Samuel 18:1-4 John 15:12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>enjoy happy encounters with other children at church.</li> <li>associate God with happy experiences at church.</li> </ul>

Nursery Baby Beginnings® is a full 2-year course in a box. Two teacher guides come in the kit; 1 for 0–18 months and 1 for 18–36 months. Each year shares the same scope and sequence, but activities are age-appropriate for the 2 distinct groups of children. For a full explanation of this program and free samples, visit [GospelLight.com](http://GospelLight.com) today.

# Gospel Light Cycle

Gospel Light curriculum is non-dated; identified only by a letter code for the year. The following chart illustrates the recommended yearly rotation for Gospel Light curriculum.



## Sunday School Year Beginning

Age Level	Fall 2023	Fall 2024	Fall 2025	Fall 2026
Preschool	Year A	Year B	Year A	Year B
Pre-K/Kind	Year A	Year B	Year A	Year B
Elementary 1-2	Year A	Year B	Year C	Year D
Elementary 3-4	Year A	Year B	Year C	Year D
Preteen	Year A	Year B	Year A	Year B
Elementary Large Group	Year A	Year B	Year A	Year B

# SCOPE & SEQUENCE Preschool, Pre-K & Kindergarten

Two-year scope and sequence for children ages 2-5  
Play with your preschoolers—with a higher purpose!



	Fall	Winter	Spring	Summer
Year A	<b>I Can Learn About God's Love</b> Exodus	<b>I'm Glad Jesus Is Born</b> Matthew, Luke	<b>Jesus Dies and Lives Again</b> Matthew, Luke, John, Acts	<b>Loving My Family</b> Genesis
	<b>I Can Know God Loves Me</b> 1 Samuel	<b>Jesus Loves and Helps Me</b> Matthew, Mark, Luke, John	<b>Jesus' Friends Show Love</b> Acts	<b>Loving God</b> Daniel
	<b>I Can Show God's Love</b> 1 Samuel	<b>Jesus Teaches Me to Be Kind</b> Matthew, Luke, Mark	<b>God Helps Peter and Paul</b> Acts	<b>Loving Others</b> Ruth, Jonah, 2 Chronicles, Jeremiah, Nehemiah
Year B	<b>I Can Thank God</b> Genesis	<b>Good News: Jesus Is Born</b> Matthew, Luke	<b>Learning from Jesus</b> Matthew, Mark, Luke, John	<b>God Is with Me</b> Genesis
	<b>I Can Do Good Things</b> Genesis	<b>Good News: Jesus Is God's Son</b> Matthew, Mark, Luke, John	<b>Thanking God for Jesus</b> Matthew, Mark, Luke, John, Acts	<b>God Cares for Me</b> 1 & 2 Kings
	<b>I Can Make Good Choices</b> Genesis	<b>Good News: Jesus Loves Me</b> Matthew, Mark, Luke, John	<b>Helping Others Learn About Jesus</b> Acts	<b>God Helps Me</b> Joshua, Judges, 2 Kings, 2 Chronicles, Esther

While both age levels (Preschool for ages 2 & 3 and Pre-K & Kindergarten for ages 4 & 5) share the same 2-year scope and sequence, there are age-appropriate differences between the lesson and activities for these 2 distinct age groups. For a full explanation of these age levels and free samples, visit [GospelLight.com](http://GospelLight.com) today.

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## Elementary Grades 1 & 2, 3 & 4

Four-year scope and sequence for children in grades 1-4  
Every story in the Bible points to Jesus—each of these lessons does too.



	Fall	Winter	Spring	Summer
Year A	<p><b>The World Begins</b></p> <p><i>Bible Passages</i> Genesis</p> <p><i>Bible Stories</i> Creation, Noah, Abraham, Isaac, Joseph</p>	<p><b>The Messiah Arrives</b></p> <p><i>Bible Passages</i> Isaiah, Matthew, Luke</p> <p><i>Bible Stories</i> Jesus' birth, boyhood, and teachings (Includes 4 Christmas lessons)</p>	<p><b>The Savior Lives</b></p> <p><i>Bible Passages</i> Matthew, Mark, Acts</p> <p><i>Bible Stories</i> Jesus' life, His teachings, His death and resurrection (Includes 4 Easter lessons)</p>	<p><b>Showing Your Faith</b></p> <p><i>Bible Passages</i> Acts, 1 &amp; 2 Kings, Daniel, Nehemiah, Esther</p> <p><i>Bible Stories</i> Heroes of the faith</p>
Year B	<p><b>God's Deliverance</b></p> <p><i>Bible Passages</i> Exodus, Numbers</p> <p><i>Bible Stories</i> Moses and the Israelites</p>	<p><b>God's Leaders</b></p> <p><i>Bible Passages</i> Joshua, Judges, Ruth</p> <p><i>Bible Stories</i> Joshua, Deborah, Gideon, Samson, Ruth (Includes 4 Christmas lessons)</p>	<p><b>Jesus' Power</b></p> <p><i>Bible Passages</i> Luke</p> <p><i>Bible Stories</i> Jesus' life, His teachings, His death and resurrection (Includes 4 Easter lessons)</p>	<p><b>God's Care in Tough Times</b></p> <p><i>Bible Passages</i> Genesis, John, Acts</p> <p><i>Bible Stories</i> Living what you believe</p>
Year C	<p><b>Who's in Charge?</b></p> <p><i>Bible Passages</i> 1 &amp; 2 Samuel, 1 Kings</p> <p><i>Bible Stories</i> Samuel, David, Solomon</p>	<p><b>Will You Obey?</b></p> <p><i>Bible Passages</i> 1 &amp; 2 Kings</p> <p><i>Bible Stories</i> Elijah, Elisha (Includes 3 Christmas lessons)</p>	<p><b>Who Do You Love?</b></p> <p><i>Bible Passages</i> Luke</p> <p><i>Bible Stories</i> Jesus' life, His teachings, His death and resurrection (Includes 4 Easter lessons)</p>	<p><b>God's Total Provision as Our Shepherd</b></p> <p><i>Bible Passages</i> Genesis, Mark, Luke, Matthew, John</p> <p><i>Bible Stories</i> God provides</p>
Year D	<p><b>The Word Is Preached</b></p> <p><i>Bible Passages</i> 2 Kings, Jonah, 2 Chronicles, Jeremiah, Daniel, Esther, Nehemiah</p> <p><i>Bible Stories</i> Joash, Jonah, Jeremiah, Daniel, Esther, Nehemiah</p>	<p><b>The Word Comes to Life</b></p> <p><i>Bible Passages</i> John</p> <p><i>Bible Stories</i> Jesus' teachings, miracles, His death and resurrection (Includes 3 Christmas lessons)</p>	<p><b>The Word Spreads</b></p> <p><i>Bible Passages</i> Acts, Philemon</p> <p><i>Bible Stories</i> Paul and the early church (Includes 3 Easter lessons)</p>	<p><b>God Gives Wisdom</b></p> <p><i>Bible Passages</i> James, Matthew, Luke, Judges, 1 &amp; 2 Samuel, 1 Kings</p> <p><i>Bible Stories</i> What it means to be a Christian</p>

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## The Edge Preteen Curriculum

Two-year scope and sequence for children in grades 5 & 6  
 Help preteens live like Jesus—even in the face of peer pressure.



	Fall	Winter	Spring	Summer
Year A	<b>Friends and Enemies</b> 1 & 2 Samuel, Acts, 2 Kings	<b>God's Plan</b> Genesis, Romans, Leviticus, Luke, Hebrews	<b>Who Jesus Is</b> John	<b>God's Family</b> Acts
	<b>Security</b> 1 Kings, Job, Esther	<b>Family</b> Genesis	<b>Fear</b> Exodus, Numbers, Joshua, Acts	<b>Who God Is</b> Genesis, Exodus, 1 Samuel, 1 Kings, 2 Chronicles, Jeremiah
	<b>Priorities</b> Proverbs, Ecclesiastes, Luke, Matthew, Joshua, Genesis	<b>Salt and Light</b> Ruth, 2 Kings, Daniel, Nehemiah	<b>Justice</b> Mark, Luke	<b>Attitudes</b> Luke, John, Mark, Philemon
Year B	<b>Popularity and Success</b> 1 Samuel, 1 Kings	<b>The Gift</b> Isaiah, Mark, Luke, John, Micah, Matthew	<b>Hope</b> Psalms, Matthew, Isaiah, Mark, Luke, John, Acts	<b>Love</b> 1 John, Mark, John, Matthew
	<b>Rules</b> Exodus, Matthew, Mark, Luke	<b>Integrity</b> 2 Kings, 1 Samuel, Acts, Mark	<b>Abilities</b> Exodus, Judges, Matthew	<b>My Future</b> 1 & 2 Samuel, Genesis, 1 Kings
	<b>Communication</b> James, 1 Samuel, Psalms, Matthew, Mark, Luke	<b>Failure</b> Judges, 2 Samuel, Luke, John	<b>Prayer</b> Mark, Luke, Psalms, Nehemiah, Judges, 1 Samuel	<b>Sharing My Faith</b> Acts

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