



LEADER'S GUIDE

PRESCHOOL & TODDLERS

BIG PICTURE:

HEAD

BIG IDEA:

KNOWITALL

BIG POINT:

I DON'T KNOW EVERYTHING, BUT I KNOW THE ONE WHO DOES

BIG WORD:

DON'T LIVE ANY LONGER THE WAY THIS WORLD LIVES. LET YOUR WAY OF THINKING BE COMPLETELY CHANGED. THEN YOU WILL BE ABLE TO TEST WHAT GOD WANTS FOR YOU. AND YOU WILL AGREE THAT WHAT HE WANTS IS RIGHT. HIS PLAN IS GOOD AND PLEASING AND PERFECT.

ROMANS 12:2 (NIRV)



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DOCUMENT PURPOSE

This document is the Leader's Guide for BIG Picture HEAD HEART HANDS - HEAD. It contains an outline to prepare an impacting small group time for you and your children.

The BIG 'Head Heart Hands' User Guide document contains all the service element information, including the large group segment of your service.

Make sure you read through and prayerfully study this material prior to your service to be fully prepared to minister to your children.



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Learning Outcomes

At the conclusion of this lesson children will:

- Learn the story of Peter preaching during the birth of the Church.
- Learn that God's word gives us wisdom for understanding.
- Understand that the more we know about God and His word, the more we realise there IS to know.

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KIDS DISCIPLESHIP GROUP (KDG)

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Use this KDG outline to prepare an impacting small group time for you and your children.

THE BIG QUESTION (TO DISCUSS IN YOUR KDG'S)

1. What's something you've learned to do?

Invite the children to share something they've learned to do e.g. tying shoelaces, riding a scooter, building a lego tower, to write the first letter of their name, their ABC's, naming all the days of the week. There is so much to know about the world and the people that God has made. Every day we learn new things and discover more about life.

2. If you and I don't know everything, is there someone who does? Is there really someone who knows EVERYTHING?

God knows everything about me, everything about you and everything about the entire universe! I don't know everything, but I know the one who does! It's pretty incredible that God created the universe, knows every star and planet and every corner of the earth and He knows everything about each one of us. God cares about even the smallest details of our lives because He loves us.

3. How can we grow to have wisdom?

We can find wisdom in God's word, the Bible. The Bible has wisdom for anything we will face in life. God's word helps us to know what is right and what is true. The Bible also says we can ask God to give us wisdom; James 1:5 (NIV) "If any of you lacks wisdom, you should ask God, who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to you."



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THE BIG ACTIVITY

Purpose: Make a headband to help the children remember that we don't know everything, but we know the one who does.

Directions: Before the lesson cut the strips of paper for each child from the template printed from the print material files.

Give each child their headband strip to decorate, colour in and add stickers to. Staple the two strips together and measure around each child's head and staple the two ends together at the right size.

Explanation: As we grow up we learn new things every day. We grow in knowledge and wisdom as we get to know God. We can ask God to give us wisdom and He will. We can look for God's wisdom in His word, the Bible. I don't know everything, but I know the one who does.

PLAYTIME LEARNING ACTIVITY

Growth chart

Print the growth chart pages from the print material files and attach them end to end with tape. Stick the growth chart on the wall using tape or blue tack. Measure each child's height and mark it on the chart with their name next to their height.

As you're measuring height, talk with the children about how we as we grow we begin to understand more about God and the world. The more we discover about God, the more we realise that there's so much to know. I don't know everything, but I know the one who does!

PRAYER

Dear God,

Thank you that you know everything and we can know you. Thank you that you know everything about the entire universe and you still know and care about every detail in our lives. We ask you to give us wisdom and help us to learn wisdom for our lives from your word.

In Jesus name, Amen

Supplies Needed:

Headband template printed from print material files, scissors, staplers, stickers, colouring pencils/ crayons.

Supplies Needed:

Growth chart pages printed from print material files, one chart per group. Markers, tape, blu tack.