



Open with Play Time

Welcome each Kid-O into the room as they arrive. Help them find a toy or game to encourage engagement during play time.

__:20 Music & Worship: Pick a song

Have Kid-Os use scarves, ribbons, or instruments as you lead them in singing. Encourage the Kid-Os to use their hands, feet, and voices as they worship God!

__:25 Group Time

Follow the Group Time Guide on the next page.

__:35 Coloring

Hand out the Bible story coloring sheets and coloring utensils. Encourage the Kid-Os to color a picture to take home!

End with Play Time

Allow the Kid-Os to play or color until they are picked up. Before each Kid-O leaves match their name tag to the grown-up's security tag.



Group Time Guide

Supplies Needed: None

1. Circle Up

Circle Up: Have all Kid-Os sit in one section of the room for story time.

2. Bible Story: Jonah and the Big Fish

Do This: Read through the Bible Story at least one time. If Kid-Os are engaged, feel free to read it a second time.

3. Hands-On Option: Act It Out

Say This: Jonah needed to learn an important lesson in our Bible story. We should always do what God says is right. Let's all act out Jonah's story together!

Do This: Act out the Bible story! Have the kids do these actions with you.

First: God talked to Jonah. Can you put your hands by your ears and listen?

Second: Jonah ran away! Can you pretend to run really fast?

Third: Jonah got on a boat, and a storm came up! Can you make sounds like a loud storm? Boom! Crash! Whoosh!

Fourth: A big fish swallowed Jonah! Clap your hands together and say "Gulp!"

Fifth: Jonah prayed. Can you get down on your knees?

Sixth: The fish spat Jonah out, and he went to Nineveh! Let's all cheer! Hooray!

The Point: God loves everyone in the world!

4. Prayer

Do This: Pray! "Dear God, we love you. Thank you for loving us. Help us to share your love with others. Amen. "