

# Large Group

# Cinematic

### Series at a Glance for Elevate

#### **About this Series:**

Lights... Camera... Action! A movie set is filled with people in all kinds of roles. Some are backstage, some are in the spotlight. Some are directing, some are on a set for the first time. It's all those relationships that make the movie succeed or fail. In this series, we'll learn how we can have great relationships with others whether we are center-stage or behind the scenes.

#### **Key Verse**:

Ephesians 4:2- Don't be proud at all. Be completely gentle. Be patient. Put up with one another in love.

### Weekly Overview:

Lesson:	Title:	Big Idea:
Lesson 1: * September 11/12	Take 1 Luke 15:11-32	We were made to follow Jesus.
Lesson 2: September 18/19	The Cast Luke 6:12-16	Every person is designed by God.
Lesson 3: September 25/26	Conflict Luke 9:51-56	I can respond with kindness when I am hurting.
Lesson 4: October 2/3	Role Reversal Luke 10:25-37	I can raise other people up.
Lesson 5: October 9/10	New Script Eph. 4:29, James 3:1-12	I can use my words for good.
Lesson 6: October 16/17	Backstage 1 Samuel 20	I can make a difference by serving.
Lesson 7: October 23/24	Spotlight 2 Kings 5:1-19	I can choose to be humble.
Lesson 8: * October 30/31	Premiere Gospel Message	I can choose to follow Jesus.

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### Lesson 1: September 11/12

One of the most famous stories of all time is a tale Jesus told about two siblings. This week, we'll hear that story and see that we were all made to follow Jesus together.

#### Lesson 2: September 18/19

How many different people are part of our lives? Some of them we see every day, some of them we might only see once, but every person has something in common- all of them were designed by God.

#### Lesson 3: September 25/26

Every one of us feels hurt sometimes. An unkind word, a friend who lies to us, or a bully who is mean to us, can all make us feel really hurt. This week, we'll talk about how we can respond when we feel hurt and see what Jesus himself did when people were unkind to Him.

#### Lesson 4: October 2/3

Sometimes, we might find that we have hurt others. Something we said or did may have been unkind or hurtful. When that happens, what can we do? There's a story Jesus told that shows us an amazing way to share love with others, especially others who have been hurt before.

#### Lesson 5: October 9/10

Every day, our words change the lives of our friends, our siblings, our parents, and anyone else we meet. This week, we'll see how our powerful words can make the world a better place.

#### Lesson 6: October 16/17

In every show or movie, someone is in the spotlight, center stage, but hundreds of people are backstage, doing hundreds of different jobs. This week, we'll see how we can make a difference, even when we're not in the spotlight.

#### Lesson 7: October 23/24

From the star of the show to the person making snacks, being humble is a choice every person can make. This week we'll see how a man named Naaman learned just that.

#### Lesson 8: October 30/31

Get ready for a party! This week, we'll have an exciting event, so don't miss it!

# Cinematic Lesson Outline for Elevate

### **Lesson 8: Premiere**

Lesson Segment	Total Running Time
Opening Song and Welcome (1:00)	
Team Time (10:00)	
Media Part 1 (5:00)	0:00 - 16:00
Group Time (8:00)	
Media Part 2 (7:00)	
Decision Prayer Time (3:00)	16:00 - 34:00
Decision Time/ Worship (9:00)	
Wrap-Up (1:00)	
Ending Glow Party (15:00)	34:00 - 60:00



# Opening Song and Welcome

1:00



(Roll when directed) Elevate Opener

**Do This**: During the song, encourage kids to find a place to sit, and let them know it's time to get started.

Welcome everyone, let's get started! I'm so glad you're all here! Come on up and find a place to sit.



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My name is \_\_\_\_\_, and I'm so excited to be here with all of you!

Elevate is an awesome place where we get to have fun and learn about God. It's also a place where we show respect. We <u>respect the leaders</u> in here by listening and following their instructions. We <u>respect others</u> by being kind and keeping our hands to ourselves. And we <u>respect the room</u> by being safe, and not damaging anything. Showing respect like that helps us all have an awesome time.

Team Time 10:00



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Today is a special day... does anyone know why?

**Do This**: Listen for answers.

Yes! That's right! We're having a glow party! You all are looking good today!

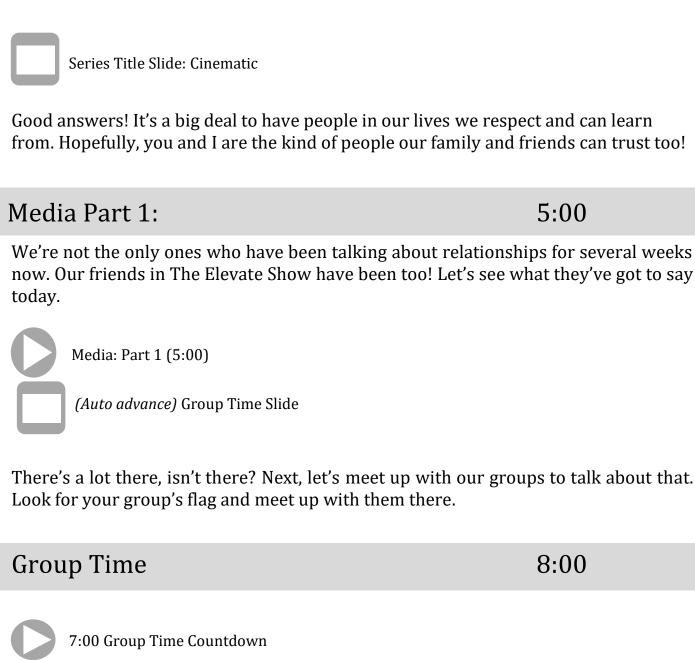
We're also finishing up a series called "Cinematic" today. For those of you who have been with us the past few weeks, you know the word "cinematic" means "like a movie,"

or like making a movie. A movie set is filled with people in all kinds of roles. Some are backstage, some are in the spotlight. Some are directing, some are on a set for the first time. It's all those relationships that make the movie succeed or fail. In this series, we've been learning how we can have great relationships with others whether we are center-stage or behind the scenes.

Let's get started with a game!

Game Title Slide: Exploding Snow Cones
This game is called Exploding Snow Cones! You'll be choosing a snow cone, but if your snow cone explodes, you're out!  Do This: Watch the screen game along with the kids. Encourage them to shout out thei choices.
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(Auto-Advance) Series Title Slide: Cinematic
That was fun! Thanks for playing, everyone. Let's get ready to answer our question o the day.
Question of the Day Video
(Auto Advance) QOTD Slide: Who is someone you can really trust?
Our question today is: Who is someone you can really trust? Turn to someone near you and tell them about it! Make sure to listen to their answer, too.

**Do This**: Allow kids to talk for about 30 seconds. **Know This**: You can share your answer briefly, too!





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**Do This**: Make sure each kid finds their group. Help group leaders if there is a need. Encourage kids as they work to discuss the question.

**Know This:** During this time, groups are expected to look in the Bible to see if they can solve the big question presented in the media. They'll spend time reading the Bible and discussing the problem. Help group leaders engage kids and facilitate discussion as much as possible.

Media Part 2 5:00

You can come back to the middle and find a spot to sit. I hope you had a great time talking with your group! Next up, we're going to check back in with The Elevate Show for what's happening next.



Media: Part 2 (5:00)



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If you want to make a decision to follow Jesus today, we would love to pray with you.

## **Decision Prayer Time**

3:00

You might have heard all of this before. If you have already decided to follow Jesus, that is amazing! You have the chance to live for God every day, doing the things He made you to do, and showing everyone His amazing love.

Maybe, though, you still have some questions. You're not totally sure about following Jesus. I want you to know: that's ok. No one can make this decision for you, not your parents, not me, not any of your friends. God knows you, loves you, and wants you to choose to follow Him on your own. If you have questions, any of the adults in here would love to talk with you about them. Your questions are so important to us, and to God.

If you've never made that choice, though, today could be your day to make that amazing decision to follow Jesus. This could be the day you choose to trust God with your whole life, the day He changes your life into something new, the day you get to know the one who made all of us and loves you enough to give His life for you. If that's you, you can talk to God with me in just a moment. I'll say a prayer, and you can repeat it after me.

You should know that the important thing isn't that you say the words just right, there's nothing magic about these words. What's important is that you really mean what

you're saying. You'll say sorry to God for the wrong things you've done, ask Him to forgive you, say that you believe that Jesus died and came back to life, and choose to follow Him with your whole life.

I'm going to have everyone close their eyes and bow their heads while we talk to God. If you're ready to choose to follow God for the first time, you can pray this prayer with me either out loud or in your head, God hears you either way.

### Let's all close our eyes.

**Do This**: Read the following prayer word-for-word, giving enough time after each line for kids to repeat after you, even if it is silent.

God, thank you for loving me.
I am sorry for doing things
That I know are wrong.
I believe that Jesus is your son.
I believe that he died on the cross,
Took my punishment,
And came back to life,
So that I can be forgiven.
Jesus, I ask you now
To be my leader,
Savior,
And friend forever.
I choose to follow you.
In Jesus' name, amen.

Congratulations!

If you just made that amazing decision, congratulations! I want to celebrate with you and give you this book.

**Do This**: Show kids the Following Jesus book.

This book can help you get started on your friendship with Jesus. So now, I'd like everyone to stand up!

**Do This**: Have everyone in the room stand up.

Ok, now if you just decided to follow Jesus for the first time, you can follow me to get this book, and we'll also celebrate this amazing decision you have made!

Do This: Have another leader come on stage and lead Worship slide	the rest of the kids in worship.
Decision Time / Worship	9:00
This is the part of our time together where we sing so love Him. This first song is about how amazing God's get ready to sing to God together!  Song #1: Good Good Father  (Auto-Advance) Worship Slide	S
Let's keep on singing and moving with another song	Ţ.
Song #2: All of Me	
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Singing with all of you is awesome. You can sit, and	let's take a moment to talk to God.
God, we love you. Thank you for loving us so much the Please help us remember that love and share it with	

Thanks for spending time with us today! But we're not done just yet! The Bible tells us that all of heaven throws a huge party to celebrate whenever someone makes a decision to follow Jesus, and we're throwing a party of our own this week! We're going

Wrap-Up

1:00

	with a special game for all of us to play. To lead u d Sharayah from The Elevate Show!	s through the game, we've got
	Dan and Sharayah Dance Video	
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Endir	ng Party Event	15:00
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