

FOSSIL FINDERS





Group Time Guide

Supplies Needed: Tape

1. Introductions and Snack

Circle Up: Have everyone put their hands in the middle, on three yell “Kid-O-Deo!” and sit down. Encourage each Kid-O to say their name.

Do This: Give kids hand sanitizer, then hand each of them a snack.

2. Discussion Questions

- In our Bible Adventure, who did Joshua say he would follow, no matter what? (God)
- Why do you think God gives us rules to follow? (To keep us safe and help us make right choices).

Repeatable Phrases: “I can follow God!” and “God’s rules are good.”

3. Hands-On Option

Do This: Encourage kids to cross the room, but they can only walk on the tape! Ahead of time, tape lines, dots, and other shapes going across the floor. Make sure the lines and dots are close enough for kids to jump across them. Try to make the course wide enough for several kids to cross at once.

The Point: The rule of this game is that you have to stay on the tape. It’s a rule, and without rules, the game wouldn’t be very fun. Good rules, like God’s, make our lives so much better!

4. Big Idea, Memory Verse, Stickers, and Prayer

Do This: Practice the Big Idea and Memory Verse with the kids, as time allows. You could use different voices, or simply have them repeat after you. You could even have a Kid-O lead the verse, if you think they’re ready. Give each kid a sticker. Encourage them to talk about what they learned with their grown-ups.

Do This: Pray! “Dear God, we love you. Thank you for loving us. Help us to follow your rules. Amen