

Forest Friends

Series at a Glance for Kid-O-Deo

About this Series

Join us on a trip through our Kid-O-Deo forest! We'll meet all the animals, have fun, and make lots of new friends, while learning how we can be good friends and family members.

Memory Verse

Proverbs 17:17 - A friend loves at all times.

Weekly Overview

Lesson:	Topic:	Big Idea:
Lesson 1: September 7/8	Being a Friend Jesus Chooses Disciples—Luke 6:12-16	I can be a friend.
Lesson 2: September 14/15	Being Kind The Good Samaritan—Luke 10:25-37	I can be kind.
Lesson 3: September 21/22	Telling the Truth Zacchaeus—Luke 19:1-10	I can tell the truth.
Lesson 4: September 28/29	Listening Mary and Martha—Luke 10:38-42	I can listen.
Lesson 5: October 5/6	Helping Ruth and Naomi—Ruth	I can help others.
Lesson 6: October 12/13	Sharing Fish and Loaves—John 6	I can share.
Lesson 7: October 19/20	Forgiving Jesus forgives Peter—John 21	I can forgive.
Lesson 8: October 26/27	Believing Gospel Story—John 18-21	I can be friends with Jesus.

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Lesson 1: Being a Friend

How do you find a great friend? This week, we'll hear about how Jesus met some of His closest friends and learn why making good friends starts with being a good friend.

Lesson 2: Being Kind

What does a good friend do? On our walk through the forest this week, we'll hear a story Jesus told about how kindness is an important part of being a good friend.

Lesson 3: Telling the Truth

When Zacchaeus met Jesus, his life was completely changed. One of the biggest differences was that Zacchaeus began telling the truth. This week, we'll see how honesty can make a huge difference in our lives, too!

Lesson 4: Listening

What are some things you listen to? This week, we'll see how listening can help us be a good friend and family member and hear the story of someone who was so busy, they almost forgot to listen to Jesus.

Lesson 5: Helping

Everyone needs help sometimes, even grown-ups! This week, we'll hear how Ruth helped her grown-up in a really tough time and think of ways we can help others today.

Lesson 6: Sharing

Sharing with others makes a difference! Just ask a young boy who shared his lunch with Jesus and ended up sharing it with thousands of people! We'll find out what happened this week.

Lesson 7: Forgiving

When we have friends, we'll sometimes need to forgive. This week, we'll hear about a time when Jesus had to forgive one of his friends and see how we can follow His example and forgive others.

Lesson 8: Believing

Jesus shows us how to be good friends, family members, and neighbors, but most of all, He shows us that God loves us! Every one of us can choose to be Jesus' friend and follower today.