

Quest for a King

Series at a Glance for Kid-O-Deo

About this Series:

Join us on an incredible quest! We'll explore far-off lands, stories from long ago, and take on exciting challenges, as we search for the greatest king of all. Our quest will take us back to the beginning of our world, all the way up to today.

Key Verse:

Isaiah 9:2- The people who are now living in darkness will see a great light.

Weekly Overview:

Lesson:	Topic:	Big Idea:
Lesson 1: November 2/3	The Beginning Creation: Genesis 1	God made the world.
Lesson 2: November 9/10	Lost The Fall: Genesis 3	God loves me no matter what.
Lesson 3: November 16/17	Far from Home Abraham: Genesis 12:1-8	I can always trust God.
Lesson 4: November 23/24	The Plan David: 2 Samuel 7	I can follow God's plan.
Lesson 5: Nov. 30/Dec. 1	Looking Forward Isaiah 9:6-7	Jesus gives us hope.
Lesson 6: December 7/8	The Invitation The Shepherds: Luke 2	Jesus gives us joy.
Lesson 7: December 14/15	The King Wise Men: Matthew 2	Jesus shows us love.
Lesson 8: December 21-24	Christmas Party Luke 2	Jesus loves me.

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Lesson 1: The Beginning

God's story begins a long time ago, with the very beginning of our world. God designed everything, from the stars to the tiniest animals, and he trusts us to take care of this world.

Lesson 2: Lost

God made us for an amazing reason. Sadly, people started to disobey God, and not listen to him. When they did, our world wasn't what God wanted it to be anymore. This week, we'll learn about the way God made us to live, and how we can do that today.

Lesson 3: Far from Home

Abraham chose to follow God, whether he was at home or a long way away. We can make that choice, too! We'll find out how, this week.

Lesson 4: The Plan

Did you know that God has an amazing plan for you? It's true! God's plan involves every person in the world, because He made them and loves them. This week, we'll see how someone named David learned about God's plan and find out how we are part of it.

Lesson 5: Looking Forward

God was telling people about his plan hundreds of years before it happened! This week, we'll meet someone named Isaiah, and find out how Jesus gives hope to everyone on earth.

Lesson 6: The Invitation

For a group of shepherds, the night Jesus was born changed everything. They learned about Jesus and wanted to share the joy God gave them with everyone!

Lesson 7: The King

At Christmas, we are hearing the most important story of all time. Jesus was born and changed our world forever. This week, we'll hear about some people who came to visit Jesus and learn how he shows us God's love in an amazing way.

Lesson 8: Christmas Party

It's time for a celebration! Join us this week to celebrate the day God came to live with us and show how much he loves us.

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Lesson Outline for Kid-O-Deo

Lesson 1: The Beginning

Lesson Segment	Total Running Time
Kid-O Playtime (10:00)	00:00-10:00
Transition Time (2:00)	
Opening Song (3:00)	
Introduction and Rules (2:00)	
Worship Song: My God is #1 (3:00)	
Big Idea (2:00)	
Bible Adventure (6:00)	
Memory Verse (3:00)	
Worship Song: Super Wonderful (3:00)	
Try it Out (5:00)	
Kid-O-Whampus (2:00)	
Prayer (2:00)	10:00-43:00
Transition Time (2:00)	
Group Time (15:00)	43:00-60:00



Transition Time

2:00

Do This: 10 minutes after the start of the Adult Service, walk into every Pre-K Room and introduce yourself. Tell kiddos to follow the directions of their room leaders, clean up, line up, and that you will see them in a little bit in the large group room.

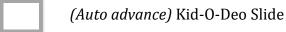
Know This: You are these Kid-Os' experience of church! Your tone, attitude, and actions are forming the way these kids think about God, church, and even people in general. You have the opportunity through what you do and say to create an environment where they feel welcome, included, and valuable!

Opening Song

3:00



(Roll when directed) Kid-O-Deo Theme Song Video



Introduction and Rules

2:00

Welcome everyone! My name is _____, and I'm super excited to see each and every one of you! I am so glad that you're all here. During our time together, we'll get to sing a couple fun songs, learn a memory verse, and hear an awesome story. Before we do any of that, there are three important things for you to remember.

Know This: This is a great opportunity to set the tone and expectations for your time together. Kids like to know what's expected of them too—it helps them feel safe and secure. You can make this section informative, helpful, and fun all at the same time!

Rule #1: When I'm talking you are listening!

Let's put on our listening ears and turn them way up! We'll also turn our voices way down, so that we can all listen super well.

Rule #2: Keep your hands and feet to yourself!

We want this to be a great place for all you leaders and Kid-Os, which means no poking, kicking, or bugging your neighbor. A good way to remember this rule is to: do a little clap and place your hands in your lap!

Rule #3: Stay in your spot!

You have a spot of your very own here in Kid-O-Deo, and it's right where you are sitting! It's important for us to stay in our spots, so that everyone can pay attention and have fun!

Great job listening to our rules. The rules are really great because they can help us learn and have lots of fun while we're here.

Worship

Let's get started by singing together! This song is about how amazing our God is. He's number one! Everyone stand up, and let's use our hands, feet, and voices to praise God together!



Song 1: My God is #1



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Big Idea 2:00

I love singing with you, Kid-Os! You can sit down. We're starting a new series here in Kid-O-Deo called "Quest for a King." We're learning the story of our whole world, from the very beginning, and we'll get to know God, who made it all!

We call the thing we're talking about today our "Big Idea." Our Big Idea is super important for all of us to remember, so let's practice saying it together.



Big Idea Jingle



(Auto advance) Big Idea Slide: God made the world.

3:00

The Big Idea is, "God made the world." Can you repeat that after me? The Big Idea. THE BIG IDEA. God made the world! GOD MADE THE WORLD. Alright, now let's say it all together!

Do This: Show Kid-Os the actions and have them practice the Big Idea with you three times. Use a different voice each time. **Voice ideas for this week: Jumping frog, squawking chicken, and whooshing wind.**

Know This: These are the Big Idea actions: (Make a rainbow motion with your hands) The Big Idea. (Point up) God (place your fist in your open palm) made (spread your arms wide, with your palms up) the world.

Awesome job practicing our Big Idea! You can all sit down.

Today, listen very closely for our Big Idea Bell! Whenever you hear this sound it means we need to say our Big Idea.



Big Idea Bell

You can say it and still do the actions while sitting in your spot. Let's practice!



Big Idea Bell

Let's say the Big Idea together. THE BIG IDEA. GOD MADE THE WORLD! You've got it!



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Bible Adventure

5:00

I'm so excited to learn more about how God made our world together. Next we get to learn about God by going on a Bible Adventure.



Bible Adventure Jingle

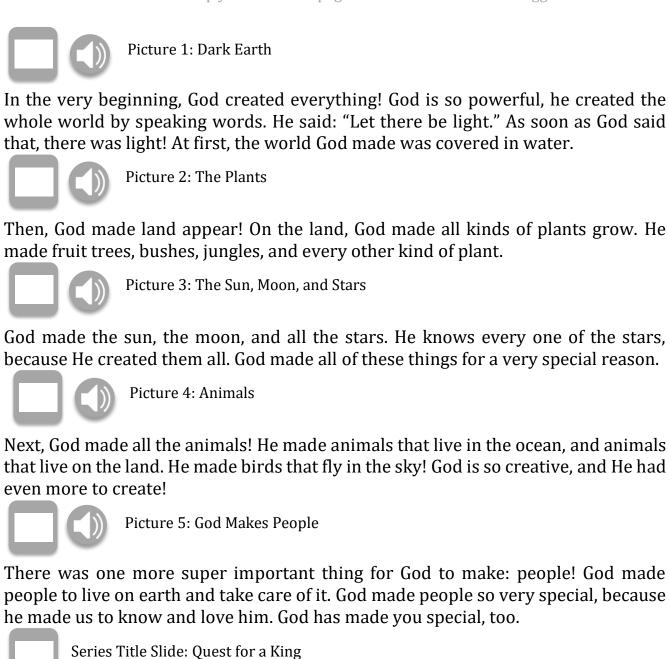
Do This: Show kids the Bible.

The Bible is the greatest book ever. It's full of words from God, and there are lots of true stories about people who loved God in the Bible too! Today we get to hear a story that tells us some important things about the beginning of our world.

Do This: Get the Bible storybook out and sit down in the chair.

This story you are going to hear comes from the Bible, but we use this storybook because the pictures help us imagine what it might have looked like back when the Bible was written. The pictures you see in here are the same as the ones on the screen. Let's get started!

Do This: Have kids help you "turn" the pages on the screen with an exaggerated arm wave.



Great listening, Kid-Os! It's amazing that God made absolutely everything! Our God is super amazing. That means God knows you and loves you, too!



Oh, that's our Big Idea Bell! Let's say our Big Idea together. THE BIG IDEA. GOD MADE THE WORLD.

Great job Kid-Os! Next we get to learn a memory verse that can help us on our quest.

Memory Verse

3:00



Memory Verse Jingle



(Auto-advance) Memory Verse: Isaiah 9:2- The people who are now living in darkness will see a great light.

Our Memory Verses here in Kid-O-Deo come from the Bible.

Do This: Read the verse from the screen.

We just heard a story about how God made everything in our world, even light. This verse is about what happens when we follow God's Son Jesus. He leads us and helps us find the right way to live, like a light in the darkness.

Do This: Practice the verse with the Kid-Os three times. You can start in your quiet/whisper voice and then get a little louder each time you practice.

Know This: The verse with actions goes like this: (Open your Bibles) Isaiah 9:2- (Hold your hands over your eyes) The people who are now living in darkness (hold your arms up in a Y position) will see a great light.

Super job practicing your Memory Verse, Kid-Os!

Worship

3:00

Everyone stay standing because we are going to sing another song together. Let's sing about our super wonderful God!



Song 2: Super Wonderful



Try it Out 5:00

Awesome singing, everyone! You can sit down.



Big Idea Bell

Did you hear that? It's our Big Idea Bell again! Let's say our Big Idea together. THE BIG IDEA. GOD MADE THE WORLD.

Great job, everyone. Now it's time try out what we've been learning today.



Try it Out Jingle

We are going to check in with a friend now named Rachel. She's going to help us try out what we've learned about God today.



Try It Out Media



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See you later, Rachel! God made everything so special, and he wants us to take care of it! We can all do our part to keep the world clean, take care of the things God made, and most of all, share God's love with other people.



Big Idea Bell

That's our Big Idea Bell! We need to say our Big Idea together one more time. Ready? THE BIG IDEA. GOD MADE THE WORLD. Nice job, Kid-Os!

We've almost finished our quest for today, but there's one more fun thing to do, called Kid-O-Whampus!



Kid-O-Whampus: Pretzel Kid-Os

Prayer	2:00
(Auto-Advance) "Take-Homes"	
That was a super fun Kid-O-Whampus! You can all sit on This: Show kids the Family Connection Card and the	
We have some awesome things that you are going to g You'll get this card that talks about what we learn each You'll also get a Memory Verse Card. This card helps y Verse at home so when you come back next time, you a prize!	n week here in Kid-O-Deo. ou practice the Memory
"Let's Pray"	
Now it's time for us to talk to God together. When we to You can talk to God anytime and anywhere, because God listen to you. Let's put our hands in our laps and close what we're saying to God. If you want to, you can repe	od loves you, and He'll always e our eyes to help us focus on
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It's been awesome being here with you, Kid-Os. Now it's time for you to go back to your rooms where you will get into groups with your leader and other Kid-Os, have a snack, and do a fun activity. Have a great group time!