

ROAD TRIP



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Road Trip

Series at a Glance for Kid-O-Deo

About this Series:

This summer, we're traveling the world! We'll learn about God from people called prophets. The prophets were leaders who knew God well and shared His messages with others a long time ago. Join us on our road trip as we discover lots of great things about God!

Key Verse:

Habakkuk 3:18 - I will still be glad because of what the Lord has done. God my Savior fills me with joy.

Weekly Overview:

Lesson:	Topic:	Big Idea:
Lesson 1: June 1/2	On the Road Elijah, 1 Kings 17:1-6	God cares for me.
Lesson 2: June 8/9	Misguided Elisha, 2 Kings 6:8-23	God is powerful.
Lesson 3: June 15/16	Good Times Ahead Joel	I can follow God.
Lesson 4: June 22/23	Special Delivery Jonah	God is forgiving.
Lesson 5: June 29/30	Strange Sights Amos	I can follow God no matter how I feel.
Lesson 6: July 6/7	Wrong Turn Hosea	I can forgive others.
Lesson 7: July 13/14	Culture Shock Micah	I can make the wise choice.
Lesson 8: July 20/21	Group Photo Obadiah	I can care about others.
Lesson 9: July 27/28	Breakdown Nahum	God is with me when I feel sad.

Lesson 10: August 3/4	Repairs Needed Zephaniah/Huldah	I can choose to follow God.
Lesson 11: August 10/11	Bumpy Roads Habakkuk	God has a plan.
Lesson 12: August 17/18	Landmark Haggai	I can put God first.
Lesson 13: August 24/25	Interpreter Needed Zechariah	I can always trust God.
Lesson 14: Aug. 31/Sep. 1	A Great View Malachi	I can be faithful to God.

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Lesson 1: On the Road

It's time to get this road trip started! Every journey is filled with ups and downs, and Elijah's was no different. This week, we'll see how God cared for Elijah, even when everything seemed lost.

Lesson 2: Misguided

We know that God is powerful! This week, we'll learn about how the prophet Elisha saw God's power long ago. God is still at work in powerful ways all around us today!

Lesson 3: Good Times Ahead

Who does God love? He doesn't just love one group of people, or people who do all the right things. God loves every person on earth, and He wants everyone to follow Him! That was a big part of the prophet Joel's message, which we'll hear about this week.

Lesson 4: Special Delivery

Long ago, the prophet Jonah saw how forgiveness can change lives. This week, we'll learn more about God's forgiveness toward Jonah and the people of Nineveh. We all need to be forgiven for the things we do that we know are wrong because none of us are perfect.

Lesson 5: Strange Sights

People didn't want to listen to Amos. Life seemed good and they had what they needed, so what was the big deal? Amos, however, could see that people were making unwise choices. This week, we'll find out why following God is important, no matter great life is!

Lesson 6: Wrong Turn

God asked Hosea to forgive someone who had done something really hurtful to him. Hosea shows us how important it is to forgive others, just like God forgives us.

Lesson 7: Culture Shock

The prophet Micah had a big choice to make. People all around him were making wrong choices. He could do what they were doing and fit in, or he could do what God says is right and stand out. This week, we'll see how we can make the wise choice of following God.

Lesson 8: Group Photo

The land of Israel was attacked, and Israel's neighbors did nothing to help. In fact, they made things a whole lot worse. Obadiah was given a message from God to share with people about how God wants us to care for others.

Lesson 9: Breakdown

Nahum lived in a time when a lot of people were feeling sad and wondering if God was really there for them. This week, we'll find out where God is when we feel hurt and see how we can keep following him through tough times in life.

Lesson 10: Repairs Needed

Have you ever forgotten something important? In the days of Zephaniah and Huldah, God's people had forgotten how to follow God! We'll learn how they were reminded that following God is super important, and we'll hear how we can choose to follow God today.

Lesson 11: Bumpy Roads

Sometimes it's hard to trust God. This week, we'll hear about a time when things were not going how people had planned. The prophet, Habakkuk, had a lot of questions for God, but he still chose to trust God's plan. We can trust God's plan too!

Lesson 12: Landmark

What's most important to you? The people in Haggai's day said God was important, but they didn't act like it. They were putting other things first, even though God is supposed to be first in our lives. This week, we'll learn how to put God first.

Lesson 13: Interpreter Needed

Choosing to trust God can be hard to do. Zechariah learned that we can trust God, even when we don't know what will happen or understand what's going on around us. We can always trust that God loves us and wants what's best for us!

Lesson 14: A Great View

What's ahead? It might be a new school year, a new home, new friends, or just new challenges. Whatever it is, God wants you to faithfully follow Him! This week, we'll meet the prophet Malachi. He'll remind us that wherever we are, we can be faithful to God.

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Lesson Outline for Kid-O-Deo

Lesson 8: Group Photo

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: Super Wonderful (3:00) Bible Adventure (6:00) Memory Verse (3:00) Worship Song: Hosanna Rock (3:00) Try it Out (5:00) Big Idea Video (2:00) Kid-O-Whampus (2:00)	
Prayer (2:00)	10:00-43:00
Transition Time (2:00) Group Time (15:00)	43:00-60:00



Video Cue



Slide Cue



Audio Cue



Tech Notes

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



(Auto advance) Kid-O-Deo Slide

Introduction and Rules

2:00

Welcome everyone! My name is _____, and I'm super excited to be here with all of you! This summer, we are in a series called "Road Trip." During our time together, we'll get to sing a couple fun songs, hear an awesome story, and learn about how we can care about others. Before we do any of that, there are three important things for you to remember. They're our Kid-O-Deo rules!

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

Everyone put on your listening ears, and on the count of three, let's practice listening!

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

Do a little clap and place your hands in your lap!

Rule #3: Stay in your spot!

Let's take our special glue sticks and put some glue on our spot to help us stay in the right place!

Wonderful! Those rules are really great because they can help us all learn and have lots of fun while we're here.

Worship

3:00

Let's get our fun started with a song. This song is about how God is super wonderful! God loves each one of us, and He loves to hear us sing to Him too!



Song 1: Super Wonderful



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Bible Adventure

5:00

It's so great singing with you, Kid-Os! You can sit down.

Earlier I mentioned that we're in a series called "Road Trip." You could take a road trip by getting in the car and going to your grandma's house, going someplace you've never been, or going on a vacation around the country. We're going on a road trip together here in Kid-O-Deo each week this summer. Today, we're going on a trip to the dog park!

We'll start our trip by going on a Bible Adventure. Before we go, we need to buckle our seat belts!



Seat belt clicking sound



Bible Adventure Jingle

Do This: Show kids the Bible.

The Bible is a very special book that helps us learn more about God, God's people, and how to live the best way. Even though it was written a long time ago, we can still learn all sorts of things from the Bible today! There is a true story in the Bible about a prophet named Obadiah (ō-bə-'dī-ə). Can you say "Obadiah"? OBADIAH. A prophet's job is to get messages from God and share them with others.

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.



Picture 1: People stealing

A long time ago, some of God's people lived in the land of Judah. Things were not going well in Judah though. Armies from bigger countries were coming in through Judah's gates and stealing from the people who lived there. There was a country called Edom nearby. The people in Edom were supposed to care for their neighbors in Judah, but they didn't do anything to help. They actually stole from people in Judah too and did other terrible things to them.



Picture 2: People leaving their homes with others laughing

Things became so bad for the people in Judah, that they had to leave their homes. But instead of helping those living in Judah, the people in Edom just laughed at them. Does laughing at people when something bad happens to them sound like a nice thing to do? NO. God was upset about this because He wants people to care for each other.



Picture 3: Obadiah talking to the people in Edom

There was a prophet named Obadiah. Can you say "Obadiah"? OBADIAH. God gave Obadiah a message to share with the people in Edom. God's message said that He saw what the people in Edom were doing to those in Judah. God told Edom that He wanted them to care for their neighbors, and that He wasn't happy about the mean things they had done. Caring for other people is super important!



Picture 4: People going back to their homes

God's message wasn't just about how He was upset with Edom though. It was also about some of the great things that would happen to the people from Judah who followed God and cared about others. One of those things was that people would get to go back to their homes one day. God would make Judah a great place to live

again! God had more awesome plans for His people that would happen many years later. The best plan of all was God sending His Son, Jesus, to earth!



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Great listening, Kid-Os! God wanted the people of Edom to care about others, and He wants us to care about others too. We'll learn more about caring for others soon. Right now, let's see how we're doing on our road trip to the dog park!



Rocky and friends in the car, making progress to their destination (five second clip)



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Awesome! We can continue on our road trip by practicing our memory verse and then singing another song. Let's rev our engines to get moving again! Vroom, vroom!



Engine revving sound

Memory Verse

3:00



Memory Verse Jingle



(Auto-advance) – Memory Verse: Habakkuk 3:18 - I will still be glad because of what the Lord has done. God my Savior fills me with joy.

Do This: Read the verse from the screen.

We have been learning the first part of this verse for a while now, but maybe you noticed that there is a second part. It's the part that says, "God my Savior fills me with joy." Following God and doing the things He wants us to do, like caring for others, can make us feel joyful and happy! Let's practice our whole verse together.

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) Habakkuk 3:18 (Hands point to your smiling face) I will still be glad (hands out with palms up) because of

what (fingers point up) the Lord has done. (Right hand pointer finger up) God my Savior (both hands up with palms facing out and shaking like “jazz hands”) fills me with joy.

Super job practicing your Memory Verse, Kid-Os!

Worship

3:00

Now we are going to sing another song together. This song is called “Hosanna Rock.” Hosanna is a word we can say to praise God and show that we love Him!



Song 2: Hosanna Rock



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Try it Out

5:00

Awesome singing, friends! Since we practiced our memory verse and sang another song, we traveled further on our road trip. Let’s see how far we’ve gotten!



Rocky and friends in the car, making progress to their destination (five second clip)



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We’re almost to the dog park! We still have a little further to go though, so can you make a car honking sound so the dogs know we’re getting close?



Car honking sound

To help us keep moving on our road trip, we get to practice what we’ve been learning today as we “Try It Out!”



Try it Out Jingle

Kid-Os, a great thing to have on a road trip is a bag full of activities! Rocky packed a bag and put in our car before we left. Let's see what's inside.

Do This: Take the activity bag out of the car, remove the note, and then set the bag somewhere else on the stage—you will have the kids help you “find” the bag again soon.

It looks like Rocky left us a note!

Do This: Read the note. The content in the section below is the same as what's in the note.

Hi there, Kid-Os!

God cares for you and me all through and though
And He wants us to care for others too!
The things in this bag will help you to know
How to show you care, so now here we go!

Beep-beep!
Rocky

There are lots of ways to show that we care about others. In our Bible Adventure today, we saw an example of people who did not care about others.



Bible Adventure Picture: Obadiah talking to the people in Edom

Do you remember the name of the prophet we learned about today? OBADIAH! That's right! Obadiah saw that the people in Edom were not caring for their neighbors in Judah. He told them that God wants us to care about other people!

We can care about others by being kind to them. If you see another Kid-O who is feeling left out or lonely, you can ask them to play with you. You can care about your parents or other grown-ups by doing something nice for them like making them a snack. If someone falls down and get hurts, you can help them get a bandaid. You can also show that you care about someone by making them a card or picture. There are lots of ways to show that you care!



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There were a few more things in our activity bag, but now where did I put it?

Do This: Have Kid-Os help direct you to the activity bag. Feel free to make this silly and allow kids to be the experts!

Oh, there it is! Thanks so much for your help, Kid-Os.

Do This: Take out the Mystery Box.

It's a Mystery Box! Before we can open it up and see what's inside, we'll need to answer a question about what we've learned so far.

Do This: Read the question on the screen.



Does God want us to care about others just when we feel like it or all the time?

What do you think, Kid-Os? ALL THE TIME! That's right. This means we can open our Mystery Box.

Do This: Open the Mystery Box and reveal what's inside.



Mystery Box Verse: Each of you should also look out for the good of others.
Philippians 2:4

Kid-Os, what are these things? DOG BOWL! To help us find out why this is in our Mystery Box, let's read a verse from the Bible.

Do This: Read the verse on the screen to the Kid-Os.

This verse tells us to look out for the good of others—which means to care for other people! If you have a pet, like a dog, cat, or a fish, you or someone needs to take care of them. You might clean your cat's litter box or feed your dog his dog food in a bowl like the one that was in our Mystery Box. Doing those things show that you care. God wants us to care for our pets if we have them, but He really wants us to care for other people! We can care for others by showing them kindness and helping them get the things they need!

We've learned a lot about caring for others today. I wonder if this means that we've completed our Road Trip. Let's take a look at the screens to see!



Rocky and friends in the car, arriving at their destination (five second clip)



(Auto advance) Series Title Slide: Road Trip and dogs barking sound

Awesome job today, friends! We made it all the way to the dog park. Can you all bark like a dog? Woof! Woof!

We're not quite done with our time together, so let's see what else is in our activity bag.

Do This: Hold up Frank the Frog.

It's Frank the Frog! Frank has a question as we hop on over to our next activity.

Big Idea

2:00



Big Idea Jingle

Let's say, "Hi Ranger Ron" and stand up!

Know This: The Big Idea is, "I can care about others."



Big Idea Video



(Auto advance) Series Title Slide: Road Trip

Thanks, Ranger Ron!

Kid-O-Whampus

2:00

We've had so much fun on our Road Trip today. Let's celebrate making it to our destination by going Kid-O-Whampus!



Kid-O-Whampus: Silly Face

Prayer

2:00

That was a fun Kid-O-Whampus! You can all sit down.



(Auto-Advance) "Let's Pray"

God wants us to care about others, and He also wants us to remember that He cares about us too! God loves each one of you Kid-Os so very much. Right now, we're going to pray and talk to God together. We'll put our hands in our laps and close our eyes to help us focus on what we're saying to God. If you want to, you can repeat this prayer after me.

Dear God, we love you. Thank you for loving us. Help us to care about others. Amen.



Kid-O-Deo Slide

It's been awesome hanging out 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!