

# SAFARI ADVENTURE



BIRTH-K

# Large Group

## Safari Adventure

### Series at a Glance for Kid-O-Deo

#### About this Series:

It's time for an adventure through the wild savannah! Join us on safari as we explore the way our world began. The best part about our adventure is, wherever we go, and whatever happens, God is with us!

#### Memory Verse:

Psalm 121:2 – My help comes from the Lord. He is the Maker of heaven and earth.

#### Weekly Overview:

Lesson:	Topic:	Big Idea:
Lesson 1: January 5/6	God made the world Genesis 1:1-19	Our world is a special gift from God.
Lesson 2: January 12/13	God made the animals Genesis 1:20-25	God made everything!
Lesson 3: January 19/20	God made people Genesis 1:26-31, Jeremiah 29:11	God made me!
Lesson 4: January 26/27	God knows me Psalm 139:1-4	God knows me.
Lesson 5: February 2/3	God listens Daniel 6	God listens when I talk to Him.
Lesson 6: February 9/10	God loves everyone Genesis 3, Romans 5:8	God loves me.

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### **Lesson 1: God made the world**

This safari is made possible because God gave us this world! Since this world is a gift, there are a lot of ways we should take good care of it. We'll learn what we can do to take care of God's amazing gift to us this week!

### **Lesson 2: God made the animals**

God didn't stop after making a beautiful world. He also created animals, fish, and birds to live in it! This week, we'll travel over oceans, through the clouds, and across the plains. Through it all, we'll learn how incredible it is that God made everything in our world.

### **Lesson 3: God made people**

Next on our safari, we'll look at something else God made that we know a lot about. It's people! God made every one of us for an important reason, including you!

### **Lesson 4: God knows me**

Have you ever wondered how something works? How does a car work? How about a giraffe's neck, or an elephant's trunk? This week, we'll discover that God understands how our world works, but more importantly, He knows everything about us, too!

### **Lesson 5: God listens**

We're taking a special safari tour to see a pride of lions! For Daniel, these lions were too close for comfort. We'll find out how God answered Daniel's prayer, and discover that we can talk to God just like Daniel did.

### **Lesson 6: God loves everyone**

Even though God made people, we don't always live the way God wants us to. Sometimes, all of us make wrong choices. When Adam and Eve did something they knew was wrong, we see that even when we aren't perfect, God will always love us.

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## Lesson Outline for Kid-O-Deo

### Lesson 6: God loves everyone

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)	
Bible Adventure (6:00)	
Memory Verse (3:00)	
Worship Song: The B-I-B-L-E (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



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## Introduction and Rules

2:00

Welcome to Kid-O-Deo! My name is \_\_\_\_\_, and I'm super excited to be here with all of you! We've got some music coming up, we'll play some games, and we'll hear an amazing story, but before we start, there are three things we should all practice together. They're our three 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 help us pay attention and keep us from distracting others, so we can all have fun.

## Worship

3:00

The first thing we get to do is sing and praise God! We sing about how amazing God is, because He really is the best! Let's stand up, and get ready to sing about how God is number one.



Song 1: My God is #1



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## Bible Adventure

5:00

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

We're on a safari adventure this week, where we're going to learn more about God, and how He made our whole world. On a safari, we might see and hear some amazing animals. In fact, to move on in our adventure, we'll have to figure out what animal we're hearing. Let's give it a try. What is this animal?



Tiger Noise

Can you guess? TIGER!

Let's see if you're right!



Tiger picture and noise.

It's a tiger! Let me hear your best tiger growl as we get ready to go on a Bible Adventure.



Bible Adventure Jingle

**Do This:** Show kids the Bible.

Kid-Os, the Bible is a book all about God. Since our world began, people have been learning about God, and when they saw God do something amazing, or learned something new about him, they wrote it and put it in this book! Today, we get to read a story about how God showed that He loves every person in the 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.



Picture 1: Adam and Eve

God made this whole world! He made the stars, plants, and animals, and He made it super good. Then, God made people, and shared this world with them!



Picture 2: Adam and Eve eat the fruit

There was a problem, though. People decided to disobey God. They did things they knew were wrong. This separated them from God, even though He loves them so much.



Picture 3: Jesus

From the beginning, God had a plan. God's Son, Jesus, came to earth, and told people how much God loves them. Jesus did something amazing to show everyone God's love.



Picture 4: The Cross

One day, people hurt Jesus, and put Him on a cross, until He died. He had never done anything wrong, but on that cross, He took the punishment for all the wrong things other people have done.



Picture 5: Jesus back to life



Three days after He died, though, Jesus came back to life! He showed everyone that He was God's Son, and that He had done all of that for us. He wants everyone, including you, to know that God loves you so very much!



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Great job listening, Kid-Os! It's amazing that Jesus did that for you and me. It shows us that God loves us a ton. Our memory verse can help us learn more about God, but before we can learn it, we have to guess: what animal do you think makes this sound?



Bear Noise

Can you guess? BEAR!

Let's find out what it is!



Bear picture and noise.

Great job! Let's hear you growl like a bear as we get ready to learn our memory verse!

## Memory Verse

3:00



Memory Verse Jingle



*(Auto-advance)* – Memory Verse: Psalm 121:2- My help comes from the Lord. He is the maker of heaven and earth.

This memory verse is awesome, because it reminds us how great God is.

**Do This:** Read the verse from the screen.

God made this whole world, and cares so much about you! That's what Jesus came to tell us about and show us.

Let's practice saying that verse together!



**Do This:** Practice the verse with the Kid-Os 2-3 times. Begin with your “quiet voices,” then do it in your normal voices, and finish with your super-duper loud voices!

**Know This:** The verse with actions goes like this: (Open your Bibles) Psalm 121:2. My help comes (run in place) from the Lord (point up). He is the maker (squeeze hands together) of heaven (reach up) and earth (touch the ground).

Great job practicing your Memory Verse, Kid-Os! Let’s stay on our feet and get ready to sing and worship God again!

## Worship

3:00

One of the ways we learn about God is through the Bible! That’s what this song is about, let’s stand and sing together!



Song 2: The B-I-B-L-E



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## Try it Out

5:00

I love worshipping God with all of you, Kid-Os! You can go ahead and sit down, but tell me, what animal do you hear?



Owl Noise

Can you guess? OWL!

Let’s see if you’re right!



Owl picture and noise.

It was an owl! Give me your best owl hoots as we head into the “Try it Out” part of our adventure!



Try it Out Jingle



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This is a time where we get to try out what we've learned today. Let's find out what is in our box this week.

**Do This:** Reach into the box, and take out a stack of pictures. Show the first one to the kids.

These are pictures of people! There are some questions on the back of these pictures. I'll read them! Give me a thumbs-up if you think the answer is yes, and a thumbs-down if you think the answer is no.



Boy picture

Sam got in trouble with his grown-ups, for doing something he knew was wrong. Can he talk to God about that?

Thumbs up if you think the answer is yes, and thumbs down for no. The answer is, yes! Sam can totally talk to God about that. God will always listen to you, because He loves you. Sam could tell God he's sorry, and ask for help making wise choices, and he could just tell God how he's feeling.



Girl picture

Riley heard that God loves her in Kid-O-Deo, and she wants to tell others that He loves them, too! She wonders, could she tell her grown-ups that God loves them?

Give me a thumbs-up for yes, and a thumbs-down for no. YES! God loves Riley's grown-ups, and yours too. There's more to Riley's question, though.

Could she tell her friends that God loves them?

Give me a thumbs-up for yes, and a thumbs-down for no. YES! God loves every one of Riley's friends! There's one more part to her question.

Could Riley tell anyone on earth that God loves them?

Show me your answer! The answer is, YES! She could tell everyone that God loves them, because it's true. He loves every person on earth. There's one more picture in here of someone God loves.

**Do This:** Show kids the mirror.



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Ok, this isn't a picture, but it is a mirror! If you looked into this, it would show your face. Kid-Os, you're so important to God. You are someone God loves. That's what Jesus came to show us, and it's something I hope you'll never forget. God knows you, and loves you so much.

We're about to learn a Big Idea about that with Ranger Ron, but first we've got another animal sound to hear. Can you guess which animal makes this sound?



Frog Noise

Can you guess? FROG!

Let's see what it is!



Frog picture and noise.

It's a frog! Can you ribbit as we get ready to learn the Big Idea?

## Big Idea

2:00



Big Idea Jingle

Let's say "Hi Ranger Ron!"

**Know This:** The Big Idea is, "God loves me."



Big Idea Video



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Thanks Ranger Ron. God loves you, and me. That's the best news ever. We've got one more animal to hear, can you guess what it is?



Bird Noise

Can you guess? BIRD!

Let's see if you're right!



Bird picture and noise.

Great job! I wonder if Tweet has a Kid-O-Whampus for us?

## Kid-O-Whampus

2:00

Stand up, and get ready to dance around for Kid-O-Whampus!



Kid-O-Whampus: Stop and Go Dance



*(Auto-Advance)* "Let's Pray."

## Prayer

2:00

That was so fun! You can sit down, and we're going to talk to God. God loves when you talk to him, because he knows you and cares about you. God will always listen when you talk to him, no matter what time it is, or where you are, because you are so special to Him. 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. Thank you for sending Jesus. Amen.



## Kid-O-Deo Slide

I have loved spending time 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. See you later!