

## APPLE ACRES (ESV) ENTRANCE BOOKLET Bear Hug A

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#### This Week's Memory Verse

1 John 4:10 ... God ... loved us and sent His Son ...

The Big Apple: God loves us very much! He sent His Son to be our Savior..

Bible Reference: Matthew 13:3-9, 18-23; 1 John 4:7-10



## APPLE ACRES (ESV) ENTRANCE BOOKLET Bear Hug B

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#### This Week's Memorization

Cubbies Motto: Jesus Loves Me

### Review Verse None

Tonight your Cubbie will earn a Green Apple Patch for completing Bear Hugs A and B.

The Big Apple: Jesus loves the children, and Jesus loves you.

Bible Reference: Mark 10:13-16; Matthew 18:1-14



### Appleseed Handbook (ESV) Trail Bear Hug 1

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#### This Week's Memory Verse

A is for All - Romans 3:23 ... All have sinned ...

#### Review Verse:

1 John 4:10

... God ... loved us and sent His Son ...

The Big Apple: We are all sinners who need a Savior.

Bible Reference: Romans 3:23



# Appleseed Handbook (ESV) Trail Bear Hug 2

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#### This Week's Memory Verse

C is for Christ - Romans 5:8

... While we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

#### Review

Cubbies Motto: Jesus Loves Me

Tonight your Cubbie will earn a Red Apple Patch and Apple Seed Trail Patch for completing Bear Hugs 1 and 2.

The Big Apple: Christ took the punishment for our sin when He died for us. We must each trust Him as Savior..

Bible Reference: Romans 5:8



Appleseed Handbook (ESV)
Unit 1: God is Creator

Bear Hug 3

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#### This Week's Memory Verse

Genesis 1:1

In the beginning

God created the heavens and the earth.

#### Review Verse

A is for All - Romans 3:23

... All have sinned ...

THE SHORT VERSION OF THE VERSE IS IN BOLD

The Big Apple: God is the Creator of everything.

On Day One, He created light and gave us day and night. On Day Two, He created the sky.

Bible Reference: Genesis 1:1-8



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Unit 1: God is Creator

Bear Hug 4

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#### This Week's Memory Verse

Psalm 33:9

For He spoke, and it came to be;

He commanded, and it stood firm.

#### Review Verse

C is for Christ - Romans 5:8 ... While we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

THE SHORT VERSION OF THE VERSE IS IN BOLD

The Big Apple: On Day Three, God created the seas, dry land and all the plants and trees.

On Day Four, He created the sun, moon and stars.

Bible Reference: Genesis 1:9-19



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Unit 1: God is Creator
Bear Hug 5

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#### This Week's Memory Verse

Genesis 1:31

...God saw everything that He had made, and behold it was very good ...

#### Review Verse

Psalm 33:9

For He spoke, and it came to be: He commanded, and it stood firm.

THE SHORT VERSION OF THE VERSE IS IN BOLD

The Big Apple: On Day Five, God made water and sky animals. On Day Six, He made land animals. Everything He made was very good

Bible Reference: Genesis 1:20-25



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Unit 1: God is Creator
Bear Hug 6

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#### This Week's Memory Verse

Genesis 1:1

In the beginning,

God created the heavens and the earth.

### Recite the Core Truth God is Creator

THE SHORT VERSION OF THE VERSE IS IN BOLD

Tonight your Cubbie will earn a Green Apple Patch for completing Bear Hugs 3 through 6.

The Big Apple: God is Creator. He created the whole world for us to enjoy.

On Day Six, He made his most special creation — people. On Day Seven, God rested.

Bible Reference: Genesis 1:26-31



### Appleseed Handbook (ESV) Unit 2: God's Word is Truth Bear Hug 7

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#### This Week's Memory Verse

John 17:17

... Your word is truth.

#### Review Verse

Genesis 1:31

...God saw everything that He had made, and behold it was very good ...

THE SHORT VERSION OF THE VERSE IS IN BOLD

The Big Apple: God placed Adam and Eve in a beautiful garden. God gave them His love, responsibilities and everything they needed. God also told them the truth: if they ate from the Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil, they would die..

Bible Reference: Genesis 2:4-25



## Appleseed Handbook (ESV) Unit 2: God's Word is Truth Bear Hug 8

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#### This Week's Memory Verse

Psalm 51:4

Against You [God] ... have I sinned and done what is evil in Your sight ...

#### Review Verse

Cubbies Motto: Jesus Loves Me

THE SHORT VERSION OF THE VERSE IS IN BOLD

The Big Apple: Adam and Eve sinned. They chose not to listen to God's truth, and they disobeyed Him. We have sinned too.

Bible Reference: Genesis 2:16-17, 3:1-8



### Appleseed Handbook (ESV) Unit 2: God's Word is Truth

Bear Hug 9

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#### This Week's Memory Verse

John 3:36

Whoever believes in the Son has eternal life ...

#### Review Verse

Psalm 51:4

Against You [God] ... have I sinned and done what is evil in Your sight ...

THE SHORT VERSION OF THE VERSE IS IN BOLD

The Big Apple: Adam and Eve had to leave the garden because of their sin. Adam and Eve, and all sinners after them, will die, just as God said. But God still loves sinners. His Son, Jesus Christ, came to give us eternal life..

Bible Reference: Genesis 3:8-24



## Appleseed Handbook (ESV) Unit 2: God's Word is Truth Bear Hug 10

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#### This Week's Memory Verse

John 17:17 ... Your word is truth.

### Recite the Core Truth God's Word is Truth

THE SHORT VERSION OF THE VERSE IS IN BOLD

The Big Apple: God's Word is truth. We must listen to, obey and treasure God's truth in the Bible. Here is a BIG truth from the Bible: When we trust Christ as Savior, we have eternal life!

Tonight your Cubbie will earn a Red Apple Patch for completing Bear Hugs 7 through 10.



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#### This Week's Memory Verse

Lamentations 3:23 ... Great is Your faithfulness.

#### Review Verse

1 John 4:10

... God ... loved us and sent His Son ...

THE SHORT VERSION OF THE VERSE IS IN BOLD

The Big Apple: God planned to send a flood to punish people for their sin, but God promised to keep Noah and his family safe from that punishment. God always keeps His promises. God is faithful!

Bible Reference: Genesis 6:5-22



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#### This Week's Memory Verse

Psalm 4:8

In peace I will both lie down and sleep; for You alone, O LORD, make me dwell in safety.

#### Review Verse

John 3:36

Whoever believes in the Son has everlasting life ...

THE SHORT VERSION OF THE VERSE IS IN BOLD

he Big Apple: During the flood, the ark floated on the waters. The people and animals inside could rest peacefully.

God had kept them safe, just as He promised.

Bible Reference: Genesis 7



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#### This Week's Memory Verse

Genesis 9:13

I [God] have set My bow in the cloud, and it shall be a sign of the covenant between Me and the earth.

#### Review Verse

Psalm 4:8

In peace I will both lie down and sleep; for You alone, O LORD, make me dwell in safety.

THE SHORT VERSION OF THE VERSE IS IN BOLD

The Big Apple: God dried up the water from the flood. He made a new promise to never send another worldwide flood.

The rainbow is the sign of God's promise, and God will never forget His promise!

Bible Reference: Genesis 8, 9:8-17



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#### This Week's Memory Verse

Lamentations 3:23

... Great is Your faithfulness.

### Recite the Core Truth God keeps His promises

THE SHORT VERSION OF THE VERSE IS IN BOLD

The Big Apple: God kept His promise to save Noah from the punishment for sin. God also kept His promise to send Christ to save US from the punishment for sin. God keeps all His promises to us in Scripture. He is faithful!

Tonight your Cubbie will earn a Green Apple Patch for completing Bear Hugs 11 through 14.



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#### This Week's Memory Verse

Psalm 147:5

Great is our Lord and abundant in power ...

#### Review Verse

Genesis 9:13

I [God] have set My bow in the cloud, and it shall be a sign of the covenant between Me and the earth.

THE SHORT VERSION OF THE VERSE IS IN BOLD

The Big Apple: God is mighty. He kept His promise to make Abraham's children (descendants) as numerous as the stars.

They became a great nation, called the Israelites.

Bible Reference: Genesis 15, 21:1-7; Exodus 1:1-7



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#### This Week's Memory Verse

Psalm 124:8

Our help is in the name of the LORD,

Who made heaven and earth.

#### Review

Psalm 147:5

Great is our Lord and abundant in power ...

THE SHORT VERSION OF THE VERSE IS IN BOLD

The Big Apple: God is mighty. He helped the Israelites by sending nine powerful plagues to Pharaoh and the Egyptians. God is mighty to help us too; we can ask Him for help.

Bible Reference: Exodus 1-10



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#### This Week's Memory Verse

Exodus 15:2

The LORD is my strength and my song,

And He has become my salvation ...

#### Review Verse

Psalm 124:8

Our help is in the name of the LORD, Who made heaven and earth.

THE SHORT VERSION OF THE VERSE IS IN BOLD

The Big Apple: God is mighty. He saved the Israelites from slavery to Pharaoh and He brought them out of the land of Egypt. God is mighty to save us from sin through His Son, Jesus Christ.

Bible Reference: Exodus 11-12



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#### This Week's Memory Verse

Psalm 147:5

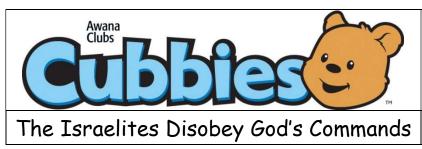
Great is our Lord and abundant in power ...

### Recite the Core Truth God is mighty

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The Big Apple: God is mighty. He showed His power to Abraham's family, the Israelites. Our strength is small, but God is mightier than we can imagine!

Tonight your Cubbie will earn a Green Apple Patch for completing Bear Hugs 15 through 18.



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#### This Week's Memory Verse

Psalm 47:7

For God is the King of all the earth;

sing praises with a psalm!

#### Review Verse

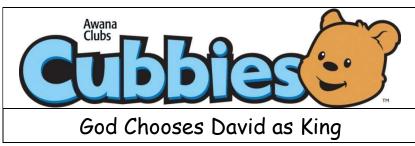
John 17:17

... Your word is truth.

THE SHORT VERSION OF THE VERSE IS IN BOLD

The Big Apple: God is in charge. As King of the Israelites, He gave them 10 commands to love God and others, but they disobeyed His commands. All of us have sinned by disobeying God's commands.

Bible Reference: Exodus 20; Joshua 24; 1 Samuel 8:1-8



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#### This Week's Memory Verse

Mark 12:30

...Love the Lord your God with all your heart,

And with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength.

#### Review Verse:

Exodus 15:2

The LORD is my strength and my song,

And He has become my salvation ...

The Big Apple: God is in charge. God chose David to be king of the Israelites because David would love and obey Him. When we trust Jesus Christ as Savior, the Holy Spirit helps us to love and obey God more and more.

Bible Reference: 1 Samuel 16



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#### This Week's Memory Verse

Psalm 56:11

In God I trust; I shall not be afraid.

What can man do to me?

#### Review Verse

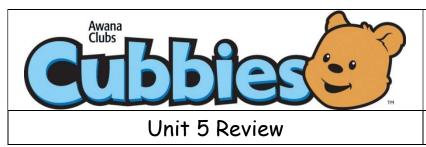
Mark 12:30

...Love the Lord your God with all your heart,
And with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength

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The Big Apple: The Israelites forgot God's promise to help them fight their enemies if they obeyed and trusted Him. David remembered God's promise and defeated Goliath. When we are scared, we should trust God and remember His promises from Scripture.

Bible Reference: 1 Samuel 17



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#### This Week's Memory Verse

Psalm 47:7

For God is the King of all the earth;

sing praises with a psalm!

### Recite the Core Truth God is in Charge

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The Big Apple: God is in charge. He sent His Son, the Lord Jesus Christ, as the perfect King for Israel. When we trust the Lord Jesus as Savior, the Holy Spirit helps us to love and obey God more and more.

Tonight your Cubbie will earn a Green Apple Patch for completing Bear Hugs 19 through 22.



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#### This Week's Memory Verse

John 1:29

... "Behold, the Lamb of God, Who takes away the sin of the world!"

#### Review Verse

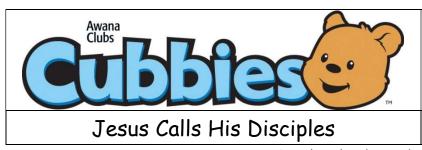
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The Big Apple: God used John the Baptist to help people turn away from sin and prepare to meet the Savior.

Jesus is God's Son, who never sinned. God sent the Savior to take away our sin.

Bible Reference: Luke 3; John 1: 29-34; Matthew 3:13-15



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#### This Week's Memory Verse

Mark 1:17

And Jesus said to them, "Follow Me, and I will make you become fishers of men."

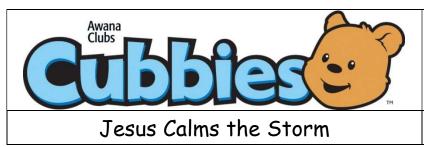
#### Review Verse

John 1:29

... "Behold, the Lamb of God, Who takes away the sin of the world!"

The Big Apple: Jesus is the Savior, the Son of God. He called the disciples to follow Him and become fishers of men (or people). We can be fishers of men too, who tell others about the Savior.

Bible Reference: Luke 5:1-11



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#### This Week's Memory Verse

Mark 4:41

... "Who then is this, That even the wind and the sea obey Him?"

#### Review Verse

Mark 1:17

And Jesus said to them, "Follow Me, and I will make you become fishers of men."

The Big Apple: When He calmed the stormy sea, Jesus showed He was God's Son, the Savior. We can trust Jesus in scary times.

Bible reference: Mark 4:35-41



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#### This Week's Memory Verse

John 1:29

... "Behold, the Lamb of God, Who takes away the sin of the world!"

### Recite the Core Truth God Sent the Savior

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The Big Apple: While Jesus lived on earth, He did many things to show He was God's Son, the Savior. Then He died on the cross for our sin, came alive again, went up to heaven and will return one day to take us to heaven with Him. Each day, we should follow (know and obey) the Savior more.

Tonight your Cubbie will earn a Green Apple Patch for completing Bear Hugs 23 through 26.

At Awards Night your Cubbie will receive a Honey Comb Ribbon for completing ALL Bear Hugs 1 through 26!



## Appleseed Handbook (ESV) Special Day 1 Thanksgiving

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#### This Week's Memory Verse

Psalm 118:29

Oh, Give thanks to the LORD,

for He is good...

THE SHORT VERSION OF THE VERSE IS IN BOLD

The Big Apple: God wanted the Israelites to be genuinely thankful for His goodness to them. We should remember to thank God each day for the material and spiritual blessings in our lives..

Bible Reference: Psalm 118; Leviticus 23:33-44; Deuteronomy 16:13-17



### Appleseed Handbook (ESV) Special Day 2 Christmas

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#### This Week's Memory Verse

Luke 2:11

For unto you is born this day.... A Savior,

Who is Christ the Lord.

THE SHORT VERSION OF THE VERSE IS IN BOLD

The Big Apple: God kept His promise to send His Son, the Savior. We have great joy because the Lord Jesus came to save us from our sins. He will be our King forever.

Bible Reference: Matthew 1:18-25; Luke 1:26-38; Luke 2:1-20



### Appleseed Handbook (ESV) Special Day 3 Easter

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#### This Week's Memory Verse

1 Corinthians 15:4
... He was raised on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures.

The Big Apple: Easter is the celebration of Jesus' death and coming alive again three days later. Because of this, we will one day live with Him forever if we trust Him as our Savior.

Bible Reference: 1 Corinthians 15:3-4



### Appleseed Handbook (ESV) Special Day 4 Missions

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#### This Week's Memory Verse

Acts 1:8

But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you will be My witnesses ...

The Big Apple: Jesus gave the disciples the power of the Holy Spirit so they could be witnesses for Him.

We have the Holy Spirit so we can be witnesses too!

Bible Reference: Acts 1-2