



**Grace Baptist Church
Canton, Ohio
Bible Quiz**



Bible Quiz Objectives

1. To proclaim God's wonderful grace and salvation through the Bible Quiz questions. Parents and friends may then see their need of becoming a Christian and be challenged to accept Christ as Savior.
2. To give clubbers a greater love for and a working knowledge of the Bible.
3. To promote and encourage our clubbers in Bible memorization and review of their handbooks.
4. To provide a friendly, competitive atmosphere in which Awana clubbers can display their Bible knowledge and gain a sense of accomplishment.
5. To build quiz leader-participant relationship.

Bible Quiz Content

Questions will be from the current year books in the Awana catalog

There will be 10 questions for Multiple Choice/Paddle Quiz.

There will be 10 questions for Written Test.

Material covered will be:

Grace in Action, Evidence of Grace, Agents of Grace and Discovery of Grace Books:

Start Zone

Units 1 & 2

Start Here: All Content

Explore: All Content, Including Questions and Answers

Memorize: Verses & References Definitions

Will NOT Include

Silver or Gold Sections

Super Agent Cartoons

Mission Update: Pray

Quiz Team – each team is made up of one, two or three quizzers

Depending on the number of teams in each book, we may split up and quiz 3rd & 4th graders together and 5th & 6th grades together. This will be determined 2 weeks before the quiz following all registrations.

2 person teams score will consist of adding the two together

3 person teams score will consist of the two highest scores in Paddle & Written Quizzes

A church may enter as many quiz teams as they desire.

Clubbers: must quiz in their current book (no minimum number of sections passed required)

Registration

Churches may register by mail

Registrations ***MUST BE RECEIVED AND PAID FOR TWO WEEKS PRIOR*** to the Bible Quiz in which the teams are participating.

No additional teams will be accepted after the Saturday one-week prior to the Quiz.

Teams may be deleted prior to and on the day of the Bible Quiz; **no refunds** will be given for deleted teams.

Fee per team is \$15.

Dress code

Team members should match in what they wear to the Bible Quiz.

Teams may wear their club uniforms, a special Bible Quiz T-shirt, or church shirt.

NO teams may wear “Christian” T-shirt designs.

NO teams may wear any “worldly” shirt designs.

Nice jeans are acceptable, but cannot have any holes or patches.

Girls may wear a dress or skirt; please make sure it covers the knee. Since they will be seated on a platform, attempts to avoid any embarrassing situations are made.

Arrival Time/Check In:

Arriving “**on time**” means: no later than **30** minutes prior to the Quiz Meet.

There will be one table for **Coaches** to check in their team(s). Coaches **must** check in even if the Roster Sheets are not complete.

There will also be one table for **Workers** to check in. Each individual worker must check in themselves. ***Churches are to provide one worker per every 2 teams registered.*** It is the Coach’s responsibility to replace any workers unable to attend the day of the meet.

Coaches are NOT to be listed as workers (coaches cannot be workers)!

Workers are usually score keepers, but may be used as readers, for quizzers who have trouble reading.

Roster Sheets

Have Roster Sheet completed before registering on the day of the quiz.

Roster sheets **MUST** be turned in **no later than 20 minutes before** the meet begins.

NO CHANGES CAN BE MADE TO ROSTERS AFTER THIS TIME!!!!!!!

When completing the Roster sheets, please keep the following in mind:

Print legibly – The Bible Quiz Team will be reading the names of the clubbers from these sheets.

These are your masters- **MAKE COPIES** prior to coming to the Bible Quiz Meet. None will be supplied at the Bible Quiz.

Clearly mark on the Roster Sheet which team is A, B, or C for multiple teams.

Cut off any unused rosters.

If a quizzer is combined from another church, please mark this plainly on your Roster Sheet.

Notify the Team Registration Table as soon as possible if you have any deletions of teams.

Scoring Sheets

Masters are provided via email once you are registered.

Making your own copies to keep track of your team's scores is permissible (and suggested).

10 points per correct answer will be awarded (no deductions for wrong answers).

Written Test

One label will be given to each quizzer to be placed on the written test.

The label has on it: Church name, Book number, Team letter, and Seat number.

Be sure to double check these for any errors when you check in.

The written test has a time limit of 10 minutes.

Be sure to encourage all quizzers to take their time, read each question carefully, check over their answers before completing. Remind them that there are questions on the front and back of test.

Bible Quiz Format

The following will be performed by the Bible Quiz Meet Director:

Call to order (all books, Bibles, and notes are to be put away).

ALL cellular phones and pagers are to be turned off or put on vibrate.

NO video or audio taping of the Bible Quiz will be allowed.

Photos are permitted to be taken during the "Sample Question" only.

The following will be explained by the Meet Director:

Brief explanation of quiz format, will vary based on participation:

Grace In Action 1 written test
Agents of Grace Book 1 paddle test

Ultimate challenge Book 1 written Test
Grace in Action paddle test

Agents of Grace dismissed for written
Ultimate Adventure Book 1 paddle test

(This will vary, depending on what books the registered churches are using)

We try to have the older Quizzers quiz first to demonstrate the process for first time participants.

After all four sets of questions are completed, the Meet Director will introduce the speaker for the Gospel Presentation.

Announcements will be given after the Gospel Presentation.

Team awards will be presented by members of the Bible Quiz Team.

Final scores & individual awards will be presented by the Bible Quiz Team following the Team awards.

Each participant receives a bible quiz patch

Summer camp Scholarships will be awarded. (Quizzers with Quizzing Champion awards are entered into a drawing for the summer camp scholarships. If we have more scholarships than Quizzing Champions we will then draw from the quizzers who received Highest Honors)

Multiple Choice Paddle Quizzing

Each clubber is given a set of paddles with which he/she will answer the multiple-choice questions with either an “a, b, or c” paddle. There will be 10 multiple choice questions relative to the Handbook the team is quizzing in.

Quiz commands

- ☐ “question”
- ☐ reading of the question (will be read only one time, unless the Quiz Master deems it necessary)
- ☐ five second pause (pause may vary at the discretion of the Quiz Master)
- ☐ “choose your answer”
- ☐ “paddles up” pause for applause, score keepers record information
- ☐ “paddles down”
- ☐ “the correct answer is ...”

There is to be NO talking by the quizzers or audience.



Appeals

Only coaches are allowed to appeal a question.

This must be done before the next question is started. Once the Quiz Master has started the next question, appeals will not be recognized.

The Coach should stand and say out loud **“QUESTION”** when appealing a question.

The Quiz Master and Judges will listen to the appeal and make the final decision.

The Quiz Master and Judges have the final decision and will not be overruled by the

Meet Director or Awana Missionary

Pitfalls

The following are pitfalls that quizzers often fall in to. As a coach, please prepare your quizzers for the following:

“Eyes” during Paddle Quiz segment (clubber could be disqualified for that question only for looking around when told to “choose your answer.”)...**Written Test** - one verbal warning to all...then one verbal warning to any individual still caught looking around. After that, the entire test is disqualified for that individual quizzers.

Slouching – quizzers will be reminded to sit up straight by the Quiz Master

Choosing the answer too soon – listen and follow the commands given by the Quiz Master

Putting the paddle down before the command is given - listen and follow the commands given by the Quiz Master.

Embarrassment of wrong answer – don’t dwell on incorrect answers.

Whispering from audience – try to prepare parents for the Bible Quiz procedures:

No talking while the questions are being read.

Remind mom & dad not to distract their child while quizzing.

Clubbers should not look for their parents during the quiz – they are there!

Wandering Eyes during Written Test – clubbers entire test could be disqualified after multiple warnings for looking at another’s test. This will be determined at the discretion of the Bible Quiz Team.

Special Instructions:

A) Coaches are responsible for all of their quizzers from the time of arrival to the time of departure.

B) If a team member from your church needs to leave the auditorium after the Quiz Meet begins the following procedure must then be enacted:

-A quizzers cannot leave the auditorium without an **adult** approved by their church/coach.

-The coach/adult must have a Bible Quiz Team member escort the coach/adult and the quizzers to the restroom.

-The coach/adult will check the restroom to see if anyone is in the restroom...

-Ask anyone in the restroom to leave while the quizzers is in the restroom...

-Coach/Adult **must** stay outside the restroom with the Bible Quiz Team escort...

-Both coach/adult and quizzers must wait for permission to re-enter to the auditorium from the Bible Quiz Team escort...

C) Please note that **no one** will be permitted to enter or exit from the auditorium during **devotions** and/or **during the reading of the questions!** If for some reason someone has to leave the auditorium, they will be asked to wait for re-entry until an appropriate time instructed by a Bible Quiz Team Member.

Tie Breaker

In the event of a tie, the Bible Quiz Team will use pre-determined, designated questions chosen by alternating between the written and paddle quiz questions to break the tie. The tie is broken when one team has an incorrect answer.

Awards

Only scores for the top four teams are given (coaches may come afterwards for their scores)
Awards presented are:

Participation awards:

A patch will be given to each clubber participating in the Bible Quiz:

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| Red | Grace in Action |
| Blue | Evidence of Grace |
| Green | Agents of Grace |
| Yellow | Discovery of Grace |

Team Awards -

A plaque and medallions for the first place teams

Ribbons will be awarded to second, third, and fourth places.

Individual Awards-

High Honor Ribbon – any combination of 18 or 19 questions correct
(Paddle & Written combined).

Quiz Champion Ribbon– all 20 questions correct (Paddle & Written combined).

Summer camp Scholarships (winners are randomly chosen from the Quizzing Champions or Highest Honors if there are not enough Quizzing Champions)

We have several Christian camps that love to support our quiz and have donated either partial or full week camp scholarships.