

# GROW AT HOME

VineKids Weekly



People love camping, and for good reason! You can take in nature, practice special skills, or just take time to relax in a new environment. And when it comes to camping, no one loved it as much as John the Baptist. In this 4-week series, VineKids will hear about John the Baptist's special role in preparing the way for Jesus and his ministry. John's story will help VineKids to say their camp motto, "I believe God gives me purpose. I believe God can speak to me. I believe God is powerful. I believe God's words are true."

To get ready for this teaching series, spend a few minutes each week **studying** the passages of Scripture we'll be teaching, **praying** about what God wants to do in and through us in the next few weeks, and **growing** by putting God's words into practice in your own life.

## WEEK 1 I believe God gives me purpose.

Mark 1:1–8; Ephesians 1:3–14



### THIS WEEK

This week, kids learn about how **John the Baptist's purpose** was to get people ready for Jesus.

- **BIG IDEA:** I believe God gives me purpose.
- **BIBLE:** Mark 1:1–8; Ephesians 1:3–14



### REMEMBER THIS

This month, your VineKid(s) are memorizing the Bible verse **John 6:69 (NIV)**, in case you want to work on them



### ASK THIS

- What did John the Baptist preach about?  
Do you think God gives everyone the same purpose?
- Do you think God gives everyone the same purpose?

## WEEK 2 I believe God can speak to me.

Luke 3:2–3, 21–22; Psalm 29:3–9



### THIS WEEK

This week, kids learn about how **John baptized Jesus** and how God spoke to Jesus.

- **BIG IDEA:** I believe God can speak to me.
- **BIBLE:** Luke 3:2–3, 21–22; Psalm 29:3–9



### REMEMBER THIS

This month, your VineKid(s) are memorizing the Bible verse **John 6:69 (NIV)**, in case you want to work on them



### ASK THIS

- What did the voice of God say to Jesus after he was baptized?
- What are some ways we can hear God's voice today?

## WEEK 3 I believe God is powerful.

Matthew 4:1–11; Psalm 36:5–10



### THIS WEEK

This week, kids learn about how **Jesus is tempted** in the wilderness and used God's words to defend against the tempter.

- **BIG IDEA:** I believe God is powerful.
- **BIBLE:** Matthew 4:1–11; Psalm 36:5–10



### REMEMBER THIS

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### ASK THIS

- What did the devil use to tempt Jesus first? What did Jesus say?
- What are some temptations kids like you might face today? How can you trust God's power to overcome them?

## WEEK 4 I believe God's words are true.

Luke 4:14–30; Psalm 19:7–14



### THIS WEEK

This week, kids learn about how **Jesus was rejected** as God's Son in his own hometown.

- **BIG IDEA:** I believe God's words are true.
- **BIBLE:** Luke 4:14–30; Psalm 19:7–14



### REMEMBER THIS

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### ASK THIS

- What did the passage that Jesus read at the synagogue say?
- What can you do to learn more of God's words?





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TO BELIEVE AND  
TO KNOW THAT

YOU ARE THE

HOLY ONE  
OF GOD.

JOHN 6:69 (NIV)



**BIG IDEA:** I believe God gives me purpose.  
**BIBLE:** John Prepares the Way: Mark 1:1-8



**BIG IDEA:** I believe God can speak to me.

**BIBLE: The Baptism of Jesus:** Luke 3:2-3, 21-22





**BIG IDEA:** I believe God is powerful.

**BIBLE: Jesus in the Wilderness:** Matthew 4:1–11



**BIG IDEA:** I believe God's words are true.

**BIBLE:** Jesus Rejected at Nazareth: Luke 4:14-30