



HOW TO STUDY YOUR BIBLE

- Lesson 4 -

Ice breaker: What is one simple truth that the Lord has been revealing to you, while studying your Bible?

Follow up: **What is an area that the Lord currently pushing you to grow in? (confidence, discipline, etc.)**

Follow the same order as last week:

1. Read through the scripture
2. Observe - what sticks out to you? What do you notice in this passage?
3. Interpret - what was the authors purpose in this passage? What point do you think he is trying to get across to his audience? Why do you think this was written? What does this say about faith and relationship with God?
 - a. Leader tip: This is a good time to remind them it's okay if they don't have the exact answer; the goal is to get them to think deeply about the truths of the passage. They can ask you or they can use a bible resource.
4. Apply - how does this change the way that you live? How does this change the way you view God? How does this change the way you treat others? How do you want to apply these words to your life in the coming week?
5. Connect - how does this passage connect to Jesus and the story of the gospel? How did Jesus reflect this passage in His own life?

Next Steps:

- As you encourage your students to continue to know and understand God's word, challenge them to spend time in prayer reflecting on what the Lord is currently teaching them
- Keep pushing them towards the purpose for why they are studying their Bible, to understand our creator and to deepen our relationship with Him as we continue to walk in light for what He has done on the cross.