



HOW TO STUDY YOUR BIBLE

- Lesson 7 -

Ice breaker: What is a characteristic about God that is hard to grasp?
(loving, gracious, faithful, all knowing etc.)

Follow up: How have you seen scripture transform the way that you think?

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:

- We live in a society that is constantly busy moving from one thing to the next. In light of that set a timer for 10 minutes and have your students practice stillness and being quiet before the Lord. If we want to want to experience true intimacy with God, we must learn to quiet your thoughts and minds. (Psalm 62:1, Psalm 46:10, Exodus 14:14)
- After spending time in the presence of the Lord talk about what He revealed to you in those 10 minutes.