



Preschool Lesson



Lesson 1: Do You Have A Plan For Me?



Whatchagaddaknow:

“God Has A Wonderful Plan For Me!”



Power Verse:

“For I know the plans I have for you,” says the Lord. They are plans for good and not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope.”

- **Jeremiah 29:11**

Before the Lesson

- * Collect the items for the activities you plan to use, referring to the Classroom Supplies and Lesson Manual Supplies listed in the chart.
- * Pray for your students and for God’s direction in teaching the class.

This Lesson at a Glance

Activity	Classroom Supplies	Lesson Manual Supplies
Bible Story – This week, the kids will learn from the story of Moses being born and God’s plan for his life from the start (Exodus 2:1-10).		Bible Story Pictures (pg. 5-9)
Hands-On-Learning – The kids will learn that God has a plan for their lives!	Sunglasses	
Craft Option #1 – Bible Story Coloring Page	Crayons or markers	Bible Story Coloring Page Print Piece (pg. 10)
Craft Option #2 - Baby Moses Craft	Crayons or markers, scissors, glue	Baby Moses Craft Print Piece (pg. 11)
Craft Option #3 – God Has A Plan For Me Coloring Page	Crayons or markers	God Has A Plan For Me Coloring Page Print Piece (pg. 12)



Bible Story

Supplies Needed: Bible Story Pictures (provided on pg. 5-9)

Teacher Instruction: Before class begins, print the Bible Story Pictures. Have the children gathered around so they can see the pictures.

Say- Moses was born in a very terrible time. His people were slaves in the country of Egypt, and the ruler of Egypt, Pharaoh, was not a nice man.

Say- Pharaoh was worried that they were beginning to have too many Hebrews in the land of Egypt, so he made a rule! (*show pic*) “I want all Hebrew baby boys KILLED!” Oh no! How awful!

Say- He told his soldiers to kill every Hebrew baby boy that was born. There was a baby boy named Moses who was born to a Hebrew woman. Say “Moses” with me. (Say “Moses” along with the kids)

Say- His mother did not want him to die, so she decided to hide baby Moses. That worked for a while, but soon he was too big to hide. (*show pic*) So, Moses’ mom made a small basket and placed the baby in it. She put the basket in the Nile River, hoping it would keep the baby safe.

Say- Moses’ older sister hid, watching to see what would happen to him. The basket floated down the Nile River and into the place where Pharaoh’s daughter, the princess of Egypt, was washing in the river. (*show pic*)

Say- Pharaoh’s daughter saw the basket, opened it up, and discovered the baby inside. She decided she wanted to keep the baby as her own son. (*show pic*)

Say- Suddenly, Moses’ sister ran up and told Pharaoh’s daughter, “My mom will take care of the baby for you!” Pharaoh’s daughter thought this was a great idea. So, she gave baby Moses to the little girl and allowed her to take the baby.

Say- Soon, (*show pic*) baby Moses was back in his mother’s arms. He was now safe!

Say- After a few years, his mother took Moses to Pharaoh’s palace to live. WOW! God had a plan for baby Moses from the very beginning of his life!

Say- God has a plan for your life, too!

Pray



Hands-On Learning

Supplies Needed: Sunglasses

Teacher Instruction: Before class begins, gather classroom materials. Have the children gathered around so they can see any illustration materials.

Say- Have you ever asked, “What am I going to do today?” Maybe you wonder, “Where will I go?” or “What will I be when I grow up?”

Say- Guess what? God already knows! God has a wonderful plan for your life—every day, every year, forever!

Say- God’s plan means He knows what’s best for you, and He’s getting everything ready, even before you see it!

Ask- Have you ever made a plan? Like planning to play with a friend, or what to wear? Was it fun to get everything ready?

-Allow time for response-

Say- Sometimes, grown-ups make plans too. They pack your lunch, drive you places, and help you learn. They make plans because they love you.

Ask- Guess who else has a plan for you?

-Allow time for response-

Say- God has a plan for you! He loves you even more than anyone else!

Say- Even when you don’t know what will happen, God knows. Even if something feels scary or confusing, God is with you and has a good plan.

Say- God also protects you! Remember baby Moses? Even though he was in danger, God kept Moses safe.

Say- It’s a lot like these sunglasses. When I put on the sunglasses, my eyes are protected from the sun. (*Put on the glasses*)

Say- You don’t have to worry because your BIG, STRONG God is always protecting you!

Say- God had a plan for Moses from the very beginning. When he was a tiny baby, God had a plan. God has a plan for YOU! Before you were ever born, God had a plan for your life.

Say- God has plans to protect and place you right where He wants you! How amazing!

Say- Say this with me: God has a wonderful plan for me! (*Say the phrase aloud with the kids*)



Craft #1: Bible Story Coloring Page

Supplies Needed: Bible Story Coloring Page Print Piece (provided on pg. 10); Crayons or markers

Teacher Instruction: Before class begins, print the Bible Story Coloring Page Print Piece. Make sure you have enough for each kid to have one. Gather the classroom materials as well. Have the kids sit in an area that is appropriate for coloring.

How To Do Craft - Kids can color freely as they choose.



Craft #2: Baby Moses Craft

Supplies Needed: Baby Moses Craft Print Piece (provided on pg. 11); Crayons or Markers; Scissors; Glue

Teacher Instruction: Before class begins, print the Baby Moses Craft Print Pieces. Make sure you have enough craft pages for each kid to have one. Gather the classroom materials as well. Have the kids sit in an area that is appropriate for crafting.

How To Do Craft - Allow the kids to decorate the craft page using crayons or markers. Use scissors to cut along the dotted line to remove the bottom portion of the page. Cut out the baby Moses figure in the basket and glue it to the Nile River on the top portion of the page. As you help the kids with the craft, talk about God's plan for our lives!



Craft #3: God Has A Plan For Me Coloring Page

Supplies Needed: God Has A Plan For Me Coloring Page Print Piece (provided on pg. 12); Crayons or markers

Teacher Instruction: Before class begins, print the God Has A Plan For Me Coloring Page Print Pieces. Make sure you have enough for each kid to have one. Gather the classroom materials as well. Have the kids sit in an area that is appropriate for coloring.

How To Do Craft - Kids can color freely as they choose.





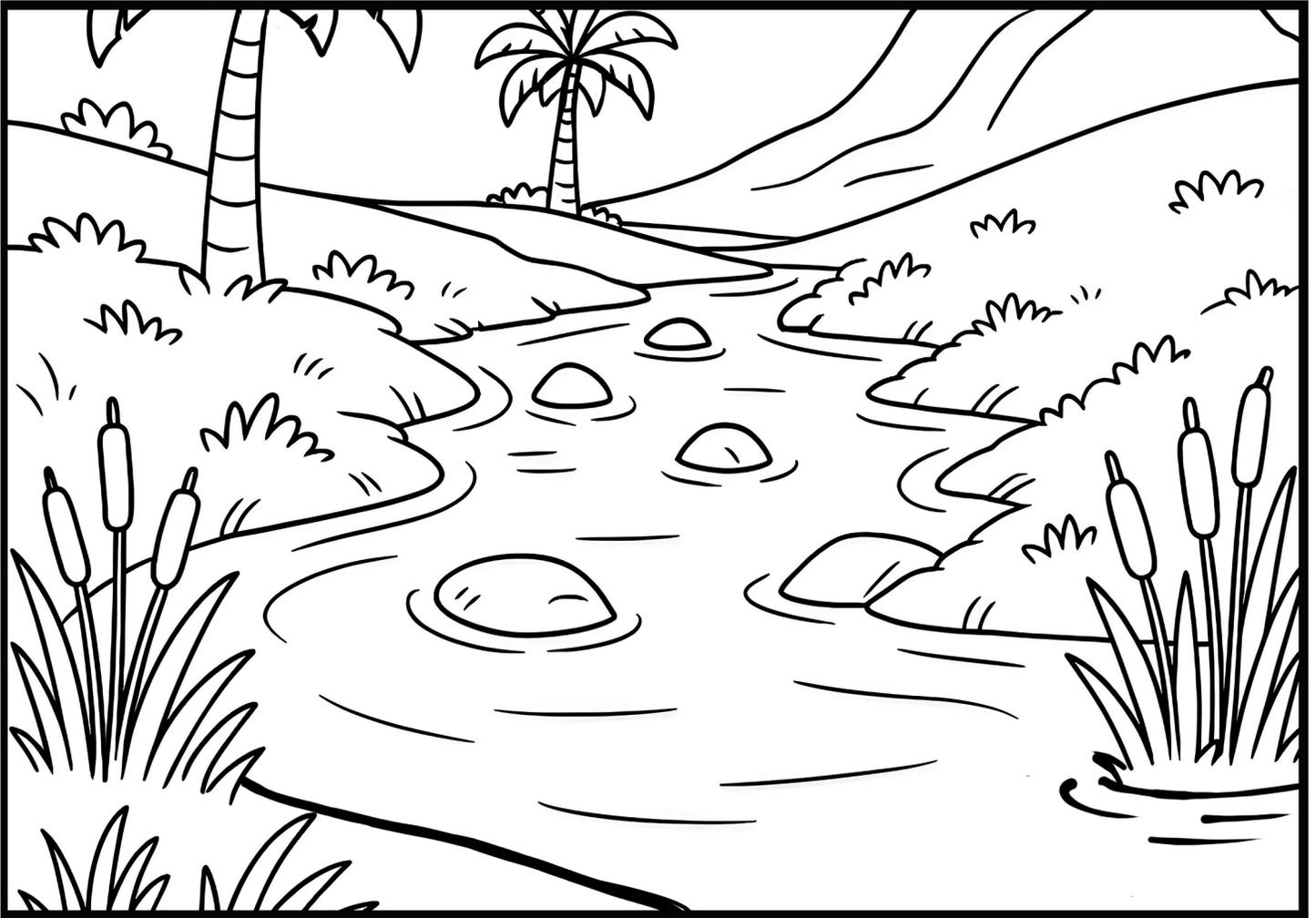








GOD HAD A PLAN FOR MOSES FROM THE VERY START!



GOD HAD A PLAN FOR BABY MOSES!





GOD HAS A WONDERFUL PLAN FOR ME!