

**Year 5 Term 1**
**Number of weeks: 13**

Weeks	Attribute of God	Christian Education lessons	Related classroom research topics	Values
	<b>God is Love</b>			
1		Quarrels in a family – Joseph Gen 37: 1-35	<b>Communication</b>	forgiveness
2		God loves us and has a plan for us God's plan for Joseph		kindness
3		Reconciliation: Joseph & family		gentleness
4		Be a peacemaker Romans 12:17 Don't repay evil for evil. Romans 12:18-21 Don't take revenge.	<b>Biographies:</b> Martin Luther King; John Flynn; Louis Braille	respect
5		Breaking down barriers Col.1:20; Eph. 2:14 Christ's death on the cross broke the barrier.		friendliness
	<b>God is Provider</b>		<b>Rainforests; forestry</b>	
6		Stewardship of God's provision		stewardship
7		Quarreling over possessions: Abraham and Lot		security
8		Thanking God for our possessions		thankfulness
9		Making possessions a god		generosity
10		Sharing our possessions		
	<b>God is our Saviour</b>			
11		Easter 1	<b>Study of the continent of America</b> (John 3:16 For God so loved the world ...)	Cultural understanding
12		Easter 2		thankfulness
13		Easter 3	<b>Biography:</b> Jim Eliot, John Newton (USA) Lord of the volcano (Hawaii)	faith

## Year 5 Term 2

Number of weeks: 13

Weeks	Attribute of God:	Christian Education Lessons:	Related classroom research topics:	Values:
	<b>God is Pure &amp; Holy</b>	God's laws		
1		Jesus paid the price for our sin. Exodus 20 The Ten Commandments Romans 3:19-26 People could not be made right with God by following the law.	<b>Fitness &amp; food choices</b>	Care of self Self-control
2		Jesus broke down the barrier of sin		obedience
3		Feeling guilty when we do wrong		honesty
4		Confession	<b>Biography:</b> Eric Liddell	forgiveness
	<b>God is Creator</b>			
5		After their own kind Genesis 1:24-31	<b>Living things; animal classification</b>	thankfulness
6		The original creation: no sickness or suffering		Responsibility
7		The Bible is history		Care for the environment
8		History of the Old Testament		Care of plants
9		The nation of Israel	<b>Biography:</b> A Bible that traveled	Care of animals
	<b>God is Wise</b>			
10		Listening to God Boy Samuel; The Good Shepherd	<b>Community Insects</b>	Knowing & doing what is right
11		Wise choices: Solomon		Definition of wisdom
12		Wise/unwise actions: Tower of Babel		Planning ahead
13		Be prepared: Wise and foolish virgins	<b>Biography:</b> Peter Ambouofa	Respect for teachers and parents

### Year 5 Term 3

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Weeks	Attribute of God	Christian Education Lessons	Related classroom research topic	Values
	<b>God is a Servant</b>		<b>Work and occupations</b>	
1		Being a servant		Willingness to serve
2		Being faithful		flexibility
3		Serving with humility		thoughtfulness
4		Serving through giving	<b>Biography:</b> William Carey	care
	<b>God is Protector</b>		<b>The history of shelter</b>	Faith and trust
5		God is a strong tower: Joshua		
6		God protects His people: Esther		
7		Miracles of protection throughout the Bible	<b>Biography:</b> Brother Andrew, Irena Sendler	
	<b>God is Truth</b>		<b>Gravity &amp; pendulums</b>	
8		Facts about the Bible	Discovering truth through the scientific method	Respect for truth
9		The word of God in our hearts: The Sower	Conducting science experiments to find out the truth	Honesty
10		Telling the truth and living truthfully Ananias and Sapphira	<b>Biography:</b> Galileo Galilei; Mary Jones; Ignatius of Loyola	Fairness
	<b>God is Lord and King</b>		<b>Free choice</b>	
11		The world waited for His coming.		Faith
12		The birth of Jesus		Trust
13		God's love for the world: John 3:16		Wisdom

**Link between “God is Love” and classroom topics:**

Our God is a personal God who loves us and wants to communicate with us. We can communicate with Him through prayer. Good communication with others is important for good relationships.

**Link between “God is Provider” and classroom topics:**

The world’s rainforests provide homes for animals, plants for medicines and purify the air. Our forests are rapidly being destroyed and many animals and plants are becoming extinct as a result. As God’s stewards, we should be concerned about the destruction of the earth’s precious resources that God has provided.

**Link between “God is our Saviour” and classroom topics:**

*John 3:16 For God loved the world so much that He sent his only son so that whoever believes in Him will not die but have everlasting life.*

God wants the people of every country in the whole world to come to know Him, so that they can live forever with Him in heaven. People of every nation can come to know the true God by asking Jesus to forgive their sins and then to follow Him. Some people have never heard about Jesus so those who know about Him must tell others. How did Fijians come to know about Jesus?

**Link between “God is Pure and Holy” and classroom topics:**

We keep our lives pure before God by right living and treating our bodies with respect.

**Link between “God is Creator” and classroom topics:**

God created plants and animals according to their own kind. A ‘kind’ is a family of living things with similarities. Each ‘kind’ was able to produce many different varieties of that animal, e.g. all the dogs in the world came from one wolf kind. Living things of one kind do not change into animals of another kind. Humans do not belong to any animal kind. They are God’s special creation, made to be friends with God. Animals do not have this ability.

**Link between “God is Wise” and classroom topics:**

God expresses His wisdom through His creation. Community insects show wisdom in organizing their communities, working together with purpose. Ants show wisdom in storing up food and preparing for the future. (Proverbs 6:6)

**Link between “God is a Servant” and classroom topics:**

Work is an important way to serve others. We should always do our best work.

**Link between “God is Protector” and classroom topics:**

God is our shelter:

Psalm 91 Whoever dwells in the shelter of the Most High will rest in the shadow of the Almighty. I will say of the LORD, “He is my refuge and my fortress, my God, in whom I trust.”

**Link between “God is Truth” and classroom topics:**

God is consistent, true and unchanging, as are the laws that He established in His Creation.

**Link between “God is Lord and King” and classroom topic:**

Discuss with the children that God is in control of the whole universe. That is, our world, the sun and the stars. He tells the sun the time to set. He makes the tides because the moon is under His control, (Ps 104:19). Because God is looking after our world, He looks after the people that He made. He sent His son Jesus into the world so that every person in the whole world could have the opportunity of knowing the true God.