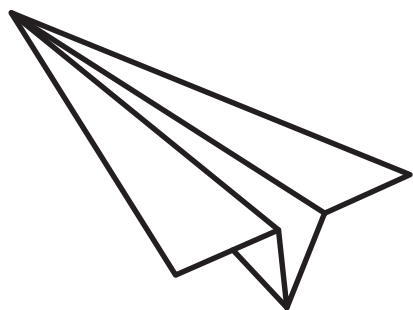


Take-It-Home Flyers

ELEMENTARY • Quarter 12





Group resources really work!

This Group resource incorporates our R.E.A.L. approach to ministry. It reinforces a growing friendship with Jesus, encourages long-term learning, and results in life transformation, because it's:

Relational

Person-to-person interaction enhances spiritual growth and builds Christian friendships.

Experiential

What we experience through action and discussion sticks with us up to 9 times longer than what we simply hear or read.

Applicable

The aim of ministry is to equip people to be both hearers and doers of God's Word.

Lifelong

Experiences transform the heart, moving faith beyond the walls of church and into everyday life for years to come.



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Take-It-Home Flyer Tips


Follow these steps to get Take-It Home Flyers off the ground effectively so they'll cruise on a direct flight home.

1. Follow your Simply Loved Leader Guide. The end of each elementary lesson is strategically written to incorporate these flyers.
2. Read the first page to your whole group of kids first. This is meant to be a quiet prayer time that intentionally connects kids to their friend Jesus.
3. Next, ask the "Talk About" question aloud, and give time for kids to discuss and pray in Connect Crews.
4. THEN, *and only then*, pass out Take-It-Home Flyers to kids. If you choose to forgo this strategic order, prepare to have papers whizzing by your head before you're ready for them.
5. Be sure to point out the challenge on the top of the folding instructions page. That'll *really* motivate kids to make sure this page gets home.
6. Be sure to give each helper a copy, too—not to fold for themselves, but so kids can reference the instructions once folding begins.

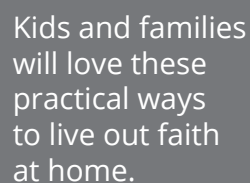
Prepare for takeoff!

Help your ministry to families really take off with these specially crafted Take-It-Home Flyers. After reading each Jesus-centered flyer and talking with their Crews, kids will follow the directions and fold these flyers into 3-D masterpieces!

Once home, they'll transport meaningful opportunities for Jesus-centered family fun.



Cool questions help family members tell stories about their own friendship with Jesus!



Kids and families will love these practical ways to live out faith at home.



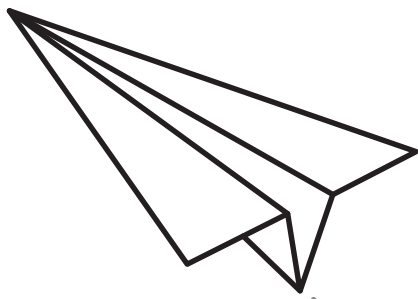
After kids make Bible discoveries at church, families can explore more about each lesson's Bible content at home.

David's Prayer of Trust

(Psalm 23)

"The Lord has heard my plea; the Lord will answer my prayer."

(Psalm 6:9)



God hears our prayers... and guides us.

Sheep aren't known for being especially smart. Or strong. Or able to defend themselves when something snarly with sharp teeth shows up.

Sheep need a shepherd. They need someone to guide them to food and water. Someone to keep them safe. Out in the wilderness, sheep without a shepherd are pretty much guaranteed to become lunchmeat.

Jesus pointed to himself as *our* shepherd. Why? Because Jesus is willing to guide us where we need to go. To care for us when times get hard. To put himself between us and death.

So take heart—your shepherd is there. He hears your prayers and is with you each step of *every single day*.

Talk-Starters

Who or what are you following? It may be a person, an idea, or something you spend a lot of time watching. What or who is influencing the path you're on?

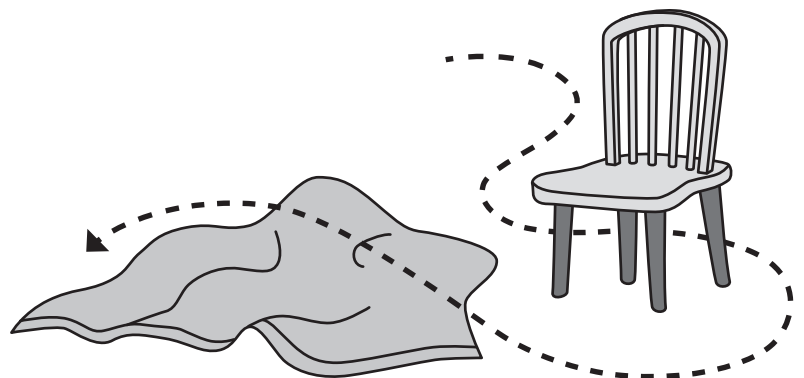
Try-This-@-Home

Gather up whoever is interested, and play a game: Follow the Leader! Rather than going first yourself, let someone else lead off.



Explore More @ Home

Here are some passages to ponder as you consider following Jesus: Proverbs 16:9 and Isaiah 58:11.



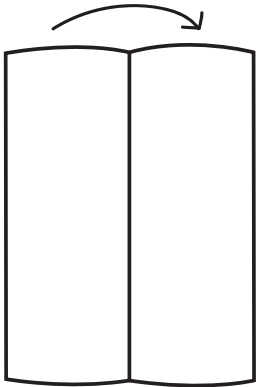
Make this page fly home!

Fold a flyer. When you get home

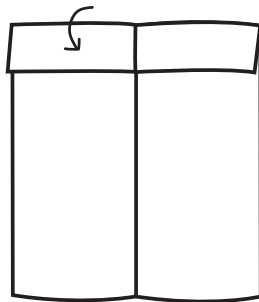
...decide where you'll keep it (like on a shelf or in a drawer) and shepherd it there! Carefully launch it, pick it up, and launch it again until it reaches that safe spot.

Here's how:

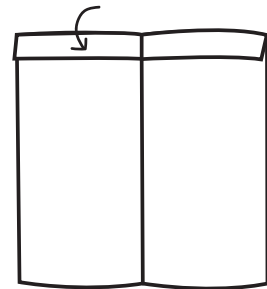
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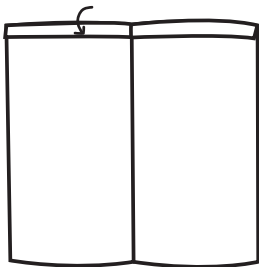
- 2** Unfold, then fold the top of the paper down about 2 inches.



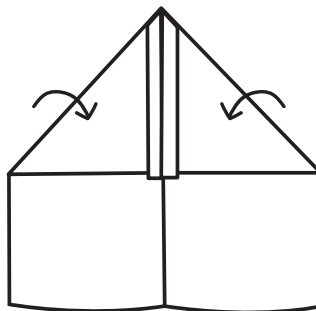
- 3** Fold the top edge down again to meet the bottom of the previous fold.



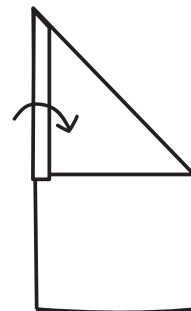
- 4** Fold the folded edge one more time to meet the bottom of the previous fold.



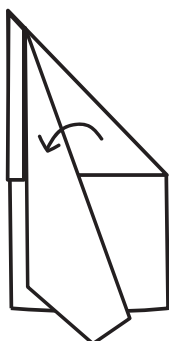
- 5** Fold the top corners down and away from you.



- 6** Fold the plane in half toward you.



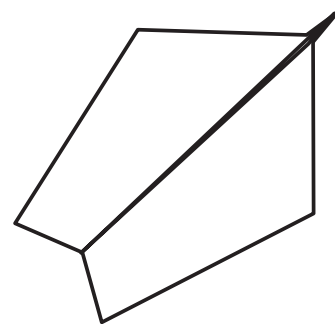
- 7** With the point at the top, fold the wings down on each side.



- 8** Fold up the edges of the wings.



- 9** Take aim, and let it fly!



You're simply loved...

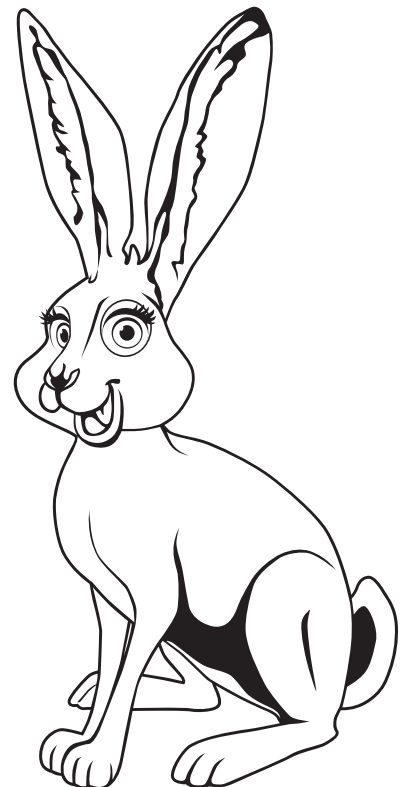
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