

CHARACTER TRAIT: CONSISTENCY

FINISH LINE: We can consistently follow God no matter what

SCRIPTURE: Daniel 6

ACTIVITY 1: MEMORY VERSE GAME

SUPPLIES: Sidewalk chalk

DIRECTIONS: Write out the entire verse outside on the driveway or sidewalk using chalk. Instead of writing out every single word, feel free to turn some of the words into pictures. Then have others try to read the verse and figure out what words the pictures stand for.

OPTIONAL: Turn your verse into a hopscotch game. Practice saying the words to the verse as you hop from one word or picture to the next.

MEMORY VERSE: "You have charged us to keep your commandments carefully. Oh, that my actions would consistently reflect your decrees! Then I will not be ashamed when I compare my life with your commands."
Psalm 119:4-6

ACTIVITY 2: LESSON REVIEW

SUPPLIES: Bible

DIRECTIONS: For this activity, you get to play "Telephone" with Bible verses.

- 1) Have the first person look up a verse and whisper it to the next person. They can repeat it ONCE.
- 2) That person will turn and whisper the verse to the next person and so on down the line. (If you only have two people playing, have the listener try to repeat the verse after hearing it only once).
- 3) Have the last person say what they think the verse was. Was it correct?

Ask if it was hard to remember the verse. Talk about how when we rely on ourselves to be consistent, we won't be able to do it. However, God's Word always remains the same and we can keep going back to it for Truth.

Play the game again but have a Bible available this time. The person listening can ask for the Bible and look at it to help them remember what it says before passing the verse along to the next person.

DISCUSS: After playing the second time, ask them if it was easier to get the verse correct. Did looking at the Bible help? Why? Did the verses in the Bible ever change? If you did not look at the verse in the Bible, were you more likely to get the verse wrong? Do you think it matters if we keep going back to the Bible in our daily lives to remember what God says is true? Why?

VERSE SUGGESTIONS: Psalm 119:89-90, Proverbs 30:5, Isaiah 40:8, 2 Timothy 3:16, James 1:22, 1 Peter 1:25