

**Joyful Heart Character**  
**First Semester Scope and Sequence for 4's**  
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Lesson	Math	Science / Social Studies Theme	Reading			Bible / Character Trait Study				Shared Reading Predictable Storybook
			Letter Focus	Sight Word Focus	Word Family Focus	Character Trait	Bible Stories/ Characters	Story Book	Activity/ Craft	
1	Review Colors, Shapes, Numeral Recognition 0-9	School		we, will <i>At School</i>		Introduction to Godly Character Traits				
2				like <i>We Like School</i>		Introduction to Godly Character Traits				
3	Spatial Relationships	Five Senses	Aa	I, see <i>I See</i>		Attentive	Samuel (1 Samuel 3) Mary	Listen, Buddy	I Am Attentive book Bunny Listening Ears	Brown Bear
4			Mm	can <i>I Can Move</i>	-am	Obedient	Noah Saul (opposite)	Five Little Monkeys	Shape Noah's Ark Monkey puppet + fingerplay	I See Shapes
5			Pp	this, is <i>Who Is This?</i>	-ap	Content	Anna Ruth Israelites in the desert (opposite)	Cinderella	Cinderella's feather duster	Each Peach, Pear, Plum
6	Review		Ss	the <i>Leaves Fall Down</i>	-am, -ap	Forgiving	Joseph Father of the Prodigal Son	Sleeping Beauty	Colorful paper shapes on Joseph's coat Leaf crayon resist	I See Colors
7	Classification	Nighttime	Tt	my <i>Bedtime</i>	-at	Honest	Ananias and Sapphira Acts 4: 32- Acts 5:11 (opposite)	The Boy Who Cried Wolf	Nighttime picture ( white crayon on black paper)	Goodnight Moon
8			Nn	me <i>Backyard Camping</i>	-an	Patient	Job Isaac (Genesis 26:15-22)	Let's Be Patient Play With Me	Lace beads or play a game where you must wait and take turns and practice patience.	The Napping House
9			Ll	not, at <i>Animals at Night</i>	-at, -an	Loving	God sending Jesus - Christ's birth	Jamaica's Find	Nocturnal Animal craft	Goodnight, Animals
10	Review	Fall	Ff	here <i>Fall is Here</i>	-am, -ap, -at, -an	Orderly	Seven Days of Creation	Five Little Monkeys With Nothing To Do	Fall tree	We're Going on a Leaf Hunt
11			Ii	go, in <i>The Fall Basket</i>	-in	Respectful	David towards Saul	Froggy Books	Fall leaves	Fall Leaves
12	Patterning	Helping	Review	go <i>Trick or Treat</i>	-it	Courageous	Shadrach, Meshach, & Abendego Esther	There's an Alligator Under My Bed	Jack-o-Lantern	The Little Old Lady Who Wasn't Afraid of Anything
13			Hh	and <i>Foods I Like</i>	-in, -it	Servant Hearted	Widow towards Elijah Rebekah tending camels (Genesis 24)	The True Princess	Make a placemat with the proper locations for a plate, napkin, fork, glass, etc.	Little Red Hen
14			Gg	am <i>I am Helping</i>	-am, -ap,-at, -an, -in, -it	Responsible	Wise and Foolish Builders Parable of the Talents	It Wasn't My Fault	Chore chart	Goldilocks and The Three Bears
15	Review		Cc	he,she <i>People Who Help</i>	-ip	Compassionate	Good Samaritan Jesus	Lion and the Mouse	Helping hands	Helping Mom and Dad (CTP)
16			Review	on <i>Thanksgiving Dinner</i>	-ig	Thankful	Luke 17 10 Lepers	This First Thanksgiving Day: A Counting Story, Thanksgiving at Our House, Thanksgiving, What Makes It Special?, Coat of Many Colors	Turkey feather thanks	The Night Before Thanksgiving
17	1 to 1 Correspondence	Transportation	Rr	to <i>Places We Go</i>	-ip, -ig	Self controlled	Jacob with Laban David with Shimeai	Hattie and the Fox	Make a stop sign	Silly Sally
18			Oo	you <i>You Can Go</i>	-am, -ap, -at, -an -in, -it -ip, -ig	Teachable	2 Samuel 12:1-13	The Three Little Pigs	Edible Houses	Wheels on the Bus
19	Review	Christmas	Dd	do <i>In Winter</i>	Review	Generous	Good Samaritan Dorcas	A Shiny Red Apple, Rainbow Fish, or The Little Mouse, the Red Ripe Strawberry, and the Big Hungry Bear, Katy No Pocket, Ask Mr. Bear	Make a doll cut out and glue scraps of fabric on for reminding how Dorcas provided clothes. Dontate food and clothing to a food pantry or shelter.	May I Bring a Friend?
20			Review	Review	it <i>What Is it?</i>	Review	Humble	Jesus	The Emperor's New Clothes	Nativity Gift Booklet

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21	Ordering	Winter	Bb	was <i>The Mitten</i>	-op	Prayerful	Daniel Jesus	How I Pray For My Friends	Praying Hands, Pretzel prayer necklace	The Mitten
22			Ee	for <i>The Snowman</i>	-ot	Modest	Ruth <i>Rebekah (when she met Isaac for the first time)</i>	Princess and the Kiss: A Story of God's Gift of Purity	Paper dolls and clothing	All I Need For A Snowman or Saddle and the Snowman
23			Jj	Said <i>What Can We Do In The Snow?</i>	-op, -ot	Joyful	Paul while in Prison (Acts 16)	Snow Dance	Make snow angels outside in the snow. Have an indoor sock ball fight. Make a joyful heart hat ( <i>from Crafts for Christian Values by Kathy Ross</i> ).	When It Starts to Snow
24		Spring	Ww	has <i>Spring</i>	-am, -ap, -at, -an -in, -it -ip, -ig -op, -ot	Patient	Elizabeth (Luke 1)	When Will It Be Spring? The Secret of the First One Up ( <i>A groundhog day story</i> )	Write and illustrate – “We will wait for ____.”	Rain
25			Kk	have <i>Tails</i>	-et	Kind	Boaz	Let's Be Kind The Big Green Pocketbook	Kindness kites, windsock	The Wind Blew
26	Review	Review	with <i>The Hearts</i>	-en	Loving	Jesus showing love to children (Mark 10:13-16)	Guess How Much I Love You, I'll Always Love You, The Fly Away Kite, My Happy Heart by Melody Carson, The Day it Rained Hearts, A Child's Song, One Zillion Valentines	Make a Jesus loves you Valentine card or a heart necklace.		
27	Numeration 1-5	Planting	Uu	they <i>Seeds</i>	-et, -en	Diligent	Jacob	The Carrot Seed	Plant carrot seeds in cups. Transplant in the spring.	The Enormous Watermelon
28			Vv	your <i>Your Garden</i>	-am, -ap, -at, -an -in, -it -ip, -ig -op, -ot -et, -en	Faithful	Ruth Jonathan	A Sprig of Parsley	Plant an indoor herb garden!	The Turnip
29		Oviparous Animals	Xx	does, may <i>Dinosaurs</i>	-ug,	Full of Faith	David vs. Goliath Abraham sacrificing Isaac Joshua and Caleb	What Really Happened to the Dinosaurs?	Make a shield of faith and/or a mustard seed necklace	Dinosaur, Dinosaur
30			Review	there, were <i>Counting Shamrocks</i>	-ub	Content	Review Anna, Ruth Review Israelites in the desert (opposite)	Tim O'Toole and the Wee Folk	Make a rainbow with a pot of gold at the end. Add yellow coins. Write one thing you are thankful for on each coin. Sprinkle each coin with gold glitter.	
31			Qq	of <i>What Hatches?</i>	-ug, -ub	Attentive	Review Samuel	God, I Need to Talk to You About Paying Attention	Listen and Do – Give one oral direction for your child to pay attention to and follow through with the instructions. Give two and do, three, etc. building up to five verbal instructions.	The Chick and the Duckling
32	Yy	some <i>Bugs</i>	-am, -ap, -at, -an -in, -it -ip, -ig -op, -ot -et, -en -ug, -ub	Peacemaker	Abigail	The Great Alphabet Fight and How Peace Was Made	Work together to make a banner for Proverbs 15:1. Include both words and pictures.	The Very Hungry Caterpillar		
33	Review	Habitats	Zz	where, are <i>Where Are We?</i>	Review	Orderly	God instructing Moses to build the Tabernacle	Jillian Jiggs	Sort pictures and/or real objects according to where they belong. ( <i>Examples: toys, hair accessories, animals by where they live, clothes by seasons, hot vs. cold items, vehicles by number of wheels, etc.</i> )	Is Your Mama A Llama
34			Review	what, that	Review	Servant Hearted	Jesus	The Selfish Crocodile	Think of one or two ways you	I Went Walking

				<i>At the Farm</i>					could do something that may be difficult for someone else ( <i>friend, family member, neighbor</i> ). Do these for the person and leave a heart shaped note behind with Galatians 5:13.	
35	Review		Review Easter	come, from <i>Where Does It Come From?</i>	Review	Obedient	Jesus Dying on the Cross	Why Is There a Cross?	Make a cross craft	I Can't Get My Turtle to Move
36		Summer	Review	could <i>What Could I Do?</i>	Review	Discerning	Solomon Daniel (especially when 1st taken and how he spoke to the guards, etc.)	Henny Penny		
37			Review	would <i>Summer</i>	Review	Self Controlled				Chicka Chicka Boom Boom
38			Review of Godly Character Traits							