

kid zone LEADERS' guide

THIS Week...

This week we are talking about babies and how they grow and how each of us are special to God

TODAY'S BIBLE VERSES: Psalm 139:14, Psalm 3:3, John 3:16

BUZZ WORDS: Baby, little, special

BEFORE today's lesson:

- Make sure you have all the materials you need for the 'Welcome Zone' and 'Fun Zone' activities.
- Gather together all the required ingredients for 'Grub Zone'.
- Have enough *Kidzone* magazines for every child!
- Print off the 'Beyond the Zone' card.

💡 When preparing your program, consider each of the 'zones' and how they will best work in your context.
You may like to mix up the order in which you do the 'zones'. You will, however, need to remember the 'Welcome Zone' needs to start the session, the 'Zone In' section needs to follow the 'God Zone', and the 'Beyond the Zone' happens at home.



WELCOME ZONE^{kz}

(8 mins)

Let the kids know that today we are all babies again!

- 🎮 PLAY** – Would you rather? on page 4
- 🗣️ ASK** the children about things they liked to do when they were little and things they like to do now.



GRUB ZONE^{kz}

(10 mins)

- 🍰 MAKE** Cheffy's Jelly Bean Dummies on page 10.
- 🗣️ ASK** the children to think of baby names from A-Z.
eg. R-Ruby, O-Oliver, C-Craig, K-Kathleen, D-Danielle, A-Adele, L-Lenard, E-Evan.



FUN ZONE^{kz}

(10 mins)

- 🎨 CREATE** pictures with finger paint page 11.
If time is limited have it premade for them to paint with. Remember to have aprons or old clothes to protect the children from the colour and mess.



ZONE IN^{kz}

(10 mins)

- 📖 READ** the message in the purple box on page 11.
- 📖 READ** the story on pages 8 and 9.
- 🎮 DO** the activity on page 5.
- 🗣️ NAME** the baby animals. Call out the animal name for the pictures on page 5 and see how many of the baby names they know.
Rabbit – kit, swan – cygnet, emu – chick, frog – tadpole, deer – fawn, butterfly – caterpillar (chrysalis), pigeon – squab, sheep – lamb, kangaroo – joey, crocodile – hatchling.
- 🗣️ TALK** about how being different is good and makes us all special.



GODZONE^{kid}

(5 mins)

READ the message on **page 14**.

DO the spot the difference puzzle on **page 14**.

ASK the children how many stories about babies they can remember from the Bible.
(Jesus, Moses, Isaac etc)

PRAY: Thank God that we are all different and special in our own way, if appropriate mention the children by name and why they are special.

GIVE OUT the 'Beyond the Zone' cards and read through the activities.

GET READY FOR NEXT WEEK ...

To make the recipes and crafts next week you will need the following:



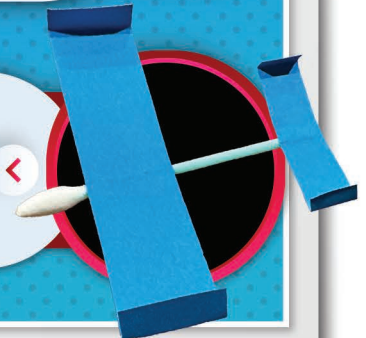
CHEFFY'S BUTTERFLY BISCUITS

- Icing sugar
- Marie biscuits
- Milk Arrowroot biscuits
- Cadbury Fingers biscuits
- Smarties
- Musk sticks



OLIVER'S COTTON BUO GLIDERS

- Cotton buds
- Coloured paper
- Scissors
- Glue
- Sticky tape



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next Week...



We'd love to see some photos of your kids' church members enjoying the activities to include in the Kidzone magazine!

Email a picture of your group to kidzone@salvationarmy.org.au

*Please get permission from parents before sending photos and include a copy of signed parental consent for Kidzone to print image.



Kidzone TAKES FLIGHT



BEYOND^{the}ZONE^{kz}

Have a go at some of these:

Colour in page 13 and enter the colouring competition!

Do the puzzles on pages 3 and 16.

Cut out and collect your collector card from page 15.

Share your *Kidzone* with a friend.

Tell your family and friends how special they are.

Read pages 6 and 7 and write CK a letter.



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