## The ABCs of God

## A Study for Children on the Greatness and Worth of God

The ABCs of God is a study for children on the greatness and worth of God. It uses the alphabet as a framework for learning the attributes of God and other terms that describe His character, at an age-appropriate level. (Note that attributes are purposely not taught in alphabetical order.) Through the use of a teaching aid called "The Blessing Box," students will discover a new attribute of God each week and will be challenged to consider how they should respond to an amazing God who is worthy of their greatest love, honor, trust, and obedience.





Lesson 1: Questions

Memory Verse: Isaiah 46:9b

The most important questions are: Who is God? What is God like? How should I act toward God? The Bible gives us the true answers to the most important questions.

Lesson 2: Incomprehensible

Memory Verse: Job 37:5

God is more than we can fully understand.

Lesson 3: YHWH (Yahweh)

Memory Verses: Isaiah 42:8a and Psalm 9:10a

Yahweh is God's personal name. God desires to make His name known.

Lesson 4: Eternal

Memory Verse: Psalm 90:2

God has no beginning or end.

Lesson 5: Creator

Memory Verse: Isaiah 44:24b

God made everything.

Lesson 6: **Glorious** 

Memory Verses: Psalm 19:1 and Psalm 72:19a

God shows His greatness and worth.

Lesson 7: Wise

Memory Verse: Psalm 104:24a

God causes everything to work out perfectly.

Lesson 8: **Almighty** 

Memory Verse: Jeremiah 32:17

God is all-powerful.

Lesson 9: Sovereign

Memory Verse: Psalm 115:3

God has the right and wisdom and and power to do all He pleases.

| The ABCs of God Scope & Sequence   | Target Grade: 1st   |
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| Lesson 10: Provider God meets the needs of His creation.                 | Memory Verse: Acts 17:25b   |
| Lesson 11: Self-Sufficient God does not need anything.                   | Memory Verse: Acts 17:25  |
| Lesson 12: Understanding God remembers that we are weak.                 | Memory Verses: Psalm 103:13-14                                    |
| Lesson 13: Attentive God constantly sees, hears, and acts in the wo      | Memory Verse: Psalm 34:15 orld.                                   |
| Lesson 14: Faithful God always does what He says He will do.             | Memory Verse: 1 Thessalonians 5:24                                |
| Lesson 15: Trinity God is three persons in one God: Father, Son,         | Memory Verses: Deuteronomy 6:4 and Matthew 28:19 and Holy Spirit. |
| Lesson 16: <b>Happy</b> God delights in being God.                       | Memory Verse: 1 Timothy 6:15b                                     |
| Lesson 17: <b>Love</b> God gives of Himself for the joy of others.       | Memory Verse: John 3:16   |
| Lesson 18: Omnipresent God is everywhere all the time.                   | Memory Verse: Jeremiah 23:24                                      |
| Lesson 19: Refuge God is a place of safety for His people.               | Memory Verses: Proverbs 18:10 and Psalm 46:1                      |
| Lesson 20: <b>Unchanging</b> God never changes.                          | Memory Verses: Malachi 3:6a; Hebrews 13:8                         |
| Lesson 21: Omniscient God knows everything.                              | Memory Verse: 1 John 3:20b  |
| Lesson 22: Good God is good in all He is and does.                       | Memory Verse: Psalm 145:9   |
| Lesson 23: <b>Jealous</b> God will not share His glory, or the honor and | Memory Verses: Isaiah 42:8 and Exodus 34:14 praise He deserves.   |
| Lesson 24: Righteous  Everything that God thinks, says, and does is      | Memory Verse: Psalm 119:137 right.                                |
| Lesson 25: Wrathful God is very angry at sin, and is right to punis      | Memory Verse: Romans 1:18a<br>h sinners.                          |
| Lesson 26: Patient God is slow to anger and slow to punish.              | Memory Verse: 2 Peter 3:9   |

THE ABCs OF GOD SCOPE & SEQUENCE TARGET GRADE: 1ST Lesson 27: Merciful Memory Verse: Psalm 145:8 God is kind to undeserving sinners. Lesson 28: Zealous Memory Verse: Isaiah 42:13 God acts with His whole heart. Memory Verse: 1 Timothy 1:15a Lesson 29: **Deliverer** God saves His sinful people from the punishment they deserve. Lesson 30: Victorious Memory Verse: 1 Chronicles 29:11a God always wins, even over Satan, sin, and death. Lesson 31: King Memory Verses: Psalm 47:7a, 8 God rules over everyone. Lesson 32: eXalted Memory Verse: Psalm 97:9 God ranks far above everything else. He is the Most High. Lesson 33: Holy Memory Verse: Isaiah 40:25 God is like nothing else. He is perfect and is separate from sin. Memory Verse: Philippians 3:8a Lesson 34: Worthy God is most valuable and deserves our greatest love, obedience, and worship. Lesson 35: Bountiful Memory Verse: Psalm 13:6 God is more than enough to satisfy all our desires. Memory Verses: Isaiah 40:28b and Psalm 121:3b Lesson 36: Never-Tiring God never gets tired and never sleeps. Memory Verses: Jeremiah 29:13 and Romans 10:13 Lesson 37: **Seeking God** Seeking God means experiencing a desperate need for God's forgiveness and calling out to Jesus to save you. Lesson 38: Loving God Memory Verse: Psalm 73:25

Loving God is knowing, feeling, and treating God as your greatest treasure.

Lesson 39: Trusting and Obeying God

Memory Verse: John 10:27

Trusting and obeying God means following and obeying God because you know Him to be trustworthy.

Lesson 40: **Enjoying God** 

Memory Verse: Psalm 16:11

Those who trust in Jesus can experience the great and lasting joy of being God's children and enjoying Him forever.

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