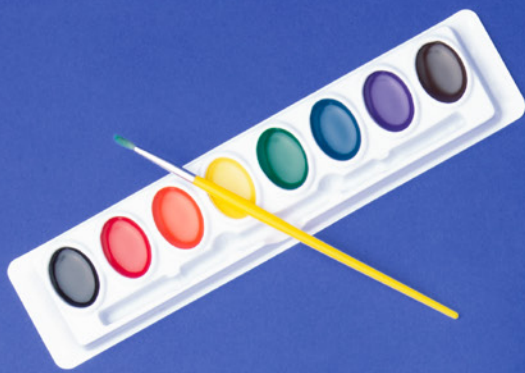


Awana®

Ages 3-5

CURRICULUM OVERVIEW



Awana Clubs
Cubbies

Lesson Titles and Sequence

What is Cubbies?

Awana Cubbies® celebrates the spiritual potential of preschoolers by helping them develop respect for God, His Son, and His Word. Lessons (called Bear Hugs) include memory verses, Bible lessons, and activities that teach basic core truths about God, Jesus, and salvation. Multiple options allow leaders to choose what works best for their group. Creative learning activities encourage parent-child interaction at home.



AppleSeed (120 pages)

Uses Bible stories to encourage preschoolers to learn the Core Truths that God Is Creator, God's Word Is Truth, God Keeps His Promises, God Is Mighty, God Is in Charge, and God Sent the Savior.



HoneyComb (120 pages)

Uses Bible stories to encourage preschoolers to learn the Core Truths that God Is Our Creator, God Is the One True God, Jesus Is the Good Shepherd, Jesus Loves All People, Jesus Came to Save Us, and Jesus Says to Tell the Good News.

EACH BOOK INCLUDES:

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Units

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Lessons

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Unit Reviews

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Memory Verses

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Each year of Cubbies begins with the *Apple Acres* booklet that clearly explains the salvation message and gospel truths.

AppleSeed



APPLESEED TRAIL

A Is for All

C Is for Christ

UNIT 1: CORE TRUTH: GOD IS CREATOR

Creation: Days One and Two

Creation: Days Three and Four

Creation: Days Five and Six

UNIT 2: CORE TRUTH: GOD'S WORD IS TRUTH

Adam and Eve Live in a Beautiful Garden

Adam and Eve Don't Listen to God's Truth

Adam and Eve Must Leave the Garden

UNIT 3: CORE TRUTH: GOD KEEPS HIS PROMISES

God Tells Noah to Build an Ark

God Keeps Noah and His Family Safe

God's Rainbow Shows His Promise

UNIT 4: CORE TRUTH: GOD IS MIGHTY

Abraham's Family Grows

God Sends the First Nine Plagues to Egypt

The 10th Plague and the Exodus

UNIT 5: CORE TRUTH: GOD IS IN CHARGE

The Israelites Disobey God's Commands

God Chooses David as King

Future King David Defeats Goliath

UNIT 6: CORE TRUTH: GOD SENT THE SAVIOR

Jesus Is Baptized and Says No to Satan

Jesus Calls His Disciples

Jesus and the Storm

SPECIAL DAY LESSONS

Thanksgiving: The Israelites Thank God (Feast of Tabernacles)

Christmas: Jesus Is the Promised Savior

Easter: Celebrate the Risen Savior!

Missions: The Holy Spirit Empowers Us to Be Witnesses

HoneyComb



APPLESEED TRAIL

A Is for All

C Is for Christ

UNIT 1: CORE TRUTH: GOD IS CREATOR

Our Magnificent Creator

God Created All People and You Too!

God Made Your Family!

UNIT 2: CORE TRUTH: GOD IS THE ONE TRUE GOD

The Israelites Worship God at the Temple

Elijah Reminds the Israelites to Worship Only God

Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego Worship Only God

UNIT 3: CORE TRUTH: JESUS IS THE GOOD SHEPHERD

The Good Shepherd Knows and Leads His Sheep

The Good Shepherd Looks for Lost Sheep

The Good Shepherd Is With Us in Scary Times

UNIT 4: CORE TRUTH: JESUS LOVES ALL PEOPLE

Jesus Loves the Paralyzed Man

Jesus Loves Two Daughters

Jesus Loves the Crowd of 5,000

UNIT 5: CORE TRUTH: JESUS CAME TO SAVE US

Jesus Loves Blind Bartimaeus

Jesus Loves Zacchaeus

Jesus Loves Mary of Bethany

UNIT 6: CORE TRUTH: JESUS SAYS TO TELL THE GOOD NEWS

Peter and the Disciples Tell the Good News

Philip Tells the Good News

Paul and Silas Tell the Good News

SPECIAL DAY LESSONS

Thanksgiving: One Thankful Leper

Christmas: God Sends a Savior

Valentine's Day: The Parable of the Good Samaritan

Easter: He is Risen!

Every unit ends with a review section.

What's Inside: Complete Handbook

Bible Lessons

Fun Bible lessons for parents to read and discuss with their child at home. Available in ESV, KJV, NKJV, and NIV 1984 versions.

Tips

Practical tips for parents nurturing their child's faith.

Visuals

Kids see the same Bible visuals in their book section and at club to reinforce the lesson.

Adaptability

Parents choose from short or long Bible memory verses to fit the learning ability of their child.

Audio

Free audio download of Cubbie Bear character stories and all of the memory verses!

Activities

Fun hands-on activities for parents and children reinforce lesson truths.



Christ Died for Us

Bible Reference: Romans 5:8
Listen. 🗣️ I'm going to say two C words from our story today. (Say the words **Cubbie** and **comb**, emphasizing the **C** sound in each word.) Both **Cubbie** and **comb** start with C. What sound does C make. 🗣️ (Make the C sound together.) Now let's look in the Bible to find the most important C word of all.
(Open your Bible to Romans 5:8.) The Bible is God's special book. God talks to us in the Bible. Listen and tell me when you hear the word that starts with C. Romans 5:8 says: 🗣️ You're right. 🗣️ The word **Christ** starts with C. (Let your child find the C in **Christ** in the verse on the opposite page.) Christ is another name for God's Son, Jesus. We sometimes call Him **Christ** or **Jesus Christ**.
God sent Jesus Christ to live on earth. (Point to the first picture below.) Jesus loved everyone. He loved children, like you, very much! (Hug your child to express Christ's love.)



(Point to the second picture.) Jesus showed His love in a BIG way when He died for us on the cross. 🗣️ Let's say the verse together: 🗣️ Jesus Christ never, ever sinned. But all of US have sinned. Something had to be done about our sin. God sent His Son, Jesus Christ, to die for our sin. Jesus chose to die for our sins because He loved us so much. (If your child can understand, explain the concept of punishment. The punishment for sin is death. Jesus died to take our punishment.)

(Point to the third picture.) Jesus did not stay dead. 🗣️ On the third day (hold up three fingers), Jesus Christ came alive again! Then He went back up to heaven to be with His Father, God.

Here's the best part! Anyone who trusts Christ as Savior can go to heaven someday and live there with Him forever! Let's say our verse again: 🗣️ (Explain that "trusting Christ as Savior" means you believe and accept Christ's death for your sin. Let your child ask questions, without pressuring for a response to the gospel.)

Parent Pause
Preschoolers can trust Christ as Savior. Often the ones that trust Him have heard consistent and frequent explanations of the gospel at home and church. However, young children are very eager to please adults, so adults must never pressure a child to make this important decision.



Memorize
All Cubbies learn the same version of this verse.

🔊 TRACK 7
Romans 5:8
... While we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

Memory Tip: With one hand, draw a cross or a C in the air as you say "Christ died for us."



Cubbie, trace the letter C. What is the Bible word that starts with C?

is for Christ.

Good for you! You finished Bear Hug 2.
Place your **Red Apple** sticker at the top of the page.



Review
Cubbies Motto
Jesus loves me.

Check box if your child is prepared to review.
Place Cubbie Bear sticker when completed at club.



Parents — Let your child use paints, crayons and (or) glitter glue to fill a paper with beautiful gold and rainbow colors. Explain that heaven will be a beautiful and perfect place. "He will never cry and we'll see Jesus all the time (Revelation 21). Bring the paper to Cubbies. If this activity or an alternate activity for Bear Hug 2 from the Resource Bundle is completed, sign here to receive credit.

Parent or Guardian signature _____ Date _____
Place Golden Apple sticker when completed.

To complete this section:
• Say Romans 5:8.
• Trace the letter C and say what the C stands for.

Parent or Guardian signature _____ Date _____

Leader signature _____
Bear Hug 2 completed.

Award Alert!

You will receive a HoneyComb Trail emblem and a Red Apple emblem to put on your vest. Parents, please attach the apple to the letter C on the vest. For award placement information, see page 4.

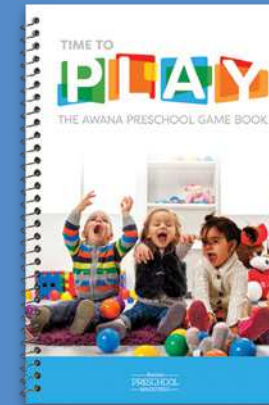
What's Inside: Leader Resources

Additional Cubbies Products



Teaching Plans

- Resource CD with reproducible craft patterns and activities.
- Lesson theme summary.
- Multiple craft, snack, song, and game ideas.
- Weekly devotional thoughts and ministry tips.
- Lesson activities help kids grow spiritually.
- Goals give leaders specific ways to pray for kids.



Game Book

This book has a variety of new and time-tested game ideas for Cubbies plus suggestions for related lessons!

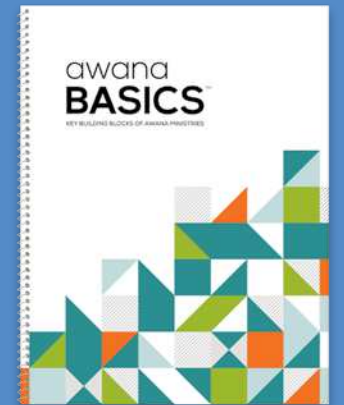
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Uniforms

The official Cubbies vest has an embroidered insignia and spaces to display kids' award emblems. Badge Magic® sheets are available to make adding awards easier.

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Leader Development Resources

Training materials equip you and your team to effectively lead your Cubbies program.

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Teaching Cards

- Three or more 17" x 11" cards per lesson.
- Colorful pictures hold kids' attention.
- Help visual learners understand and remember lessons.
- Printed on both sides so leaders have a visual aid too.
- Cards come in a plastic tote.



Gifts

Bring even more fun to Cubbies with additional items including handbook totes, character puppets for lessons, and a stuffed Cubbie Bear for kids!

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Why Choose Awana?

Awana fits your context. The same ministry sharing hope in over 120 countries can adapt to your setting, volunteer force, and budget. Our programs for ages 2-18 are proven. We reach more than four million children weekly! Awana also equips great leaders like you. Together, we're helping generations know, love and serve Jesus Christ.

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