



BIBLE QUIZ

PARENT GUIDE

WHAT IS BIBLE QUIZ?

It is a discipleship program designed to help kids and students develop a love for God's Word, grow in their understanding of Scripture, and learn how biblical truth applies to everyday life. Through study, teamwork and friendly competition, they are encouraged to know God's Word and build a foundation of truth that will last a lifetime. To find out more about the Bible Quiz program, visit discoverchurch.org/biblequiz or jbq.ag.org

WHY BIBLE QUIZ?

Bible Quiz helps kids and students know God's Word, understand what they believe, and learn to apply biblical truth in everyday life. Success is not ultimately measured by trophies or match results, but by students internalizing Scripture and developing a love for God's Word that continues long after their years of competition are over.

Bible Quiz intentionally combines spiritual growth and healthy competition. Competition makes learning fun, builds teamwork, and motivates students to study and improve, while Scripture remains the purpose and foundation of everything we do. Maintaining that balance helps students grow as quizzers without losing sight of the greater goal: a lifelong foundation in God's Word.

QUIZ LEVELS

Bible Quiz is divided into three programs based on age and experience. Each has its own material, rules, schedule and level of competition, allowing students to grow into the program as they get older.

GRADES K-2



GRADES 3-6



GRADES 6-12



BIBLE FACT-PAK



The Bible Fact-Pak is a packet of 576 questions covering people, places, events and lessons from the Bible. Developed in the 1970s by the Assemblies of God Sunday School department, the Fact-Pak covers a tremendous amount of core biblical doctrine and provides a great foundation of the truths we find in God's Word. Every question asked during a JBQ Basics or JBQ match comes from the Bible Fact-Pak. The Bible Fact-Pak questions and answers are based on the NLT Bible translation.

SCRIPTURE PORTION

This is the primary study material for TBQ, and follows a structured nine-year New Testament cycle, with different books assigned each season. While JBQ uses questions and answers from the Bible Fact-Pak, TBQ uses the Scripture text itself. The Scripture Portion contains the complete text along with study tools designed to help quizzers memorize, understand and master the material.

EXPECTATIONS

Students

Quizzers are expected to study assigned material throughout the week and come to practices prepared. Regular study at home is essential for both individual growth and success of the team.

Parents

Bible Quiz works best as a family ministry, with quizzers, parents and family members working together. Parent involvement is an important part of a quizzer's success and spiritual growth through encouragement, accountability and support at home.

Studying

A general study goal is approximately 30 minutes per day, 5-6 days per week, though the time needed will vary by program and quizzer. Study should include a balance of independent work and help from a parent or family member. Families should be realistic about the time commitment they are able to make.

Volunteering

Meets are not possible without volunteers. Each quizzer will need one adult or teen to help during quiz meets. Families with multiple quizzers will need one volunteer for each. Assignments and instructions will be communicated before each meet.

TEAM PRACTICES

Sundays // 9:30 AM

Practices are designed to support the spiritual and competitive sides of Bible Quiz through study, discussion and team quizzing. Team practice is not the primary time students learn or memorize the material; that should take place at home. Consistent attendance is recommended to grow with their team, build skills and stay prepared.

JBQ BASICS

This is an introductory program that helps younger kids learn Bible facts, Scripture and doctrine in a simple, low-pressure competitive environment. Kids study a smaller portion of the Bible Fact-Pak, while learning the fundamentals that prepare them for JBQ.

Official Guidelines

JBQ Basics guidelines are the official rulebook for the program. While it does not attempt to cover every quizzing situation, it does provide uniform rules for quizzing. Scan the QR Code to review the guidelines.



Schedule

JBQ Basics has a shorter season consisting of two league meets, typically in November and December. Quizzers study the 10-point Bible Fact-Pak questions, covering half of them each year on a rotating basis. Meets are less intense than traditional JBQ competition, with no buzzers, except in overtime. Schedule, locations and questions will be provided before the season.

Awards

JBQ Basics concludes with an awards ceremony immediately following the second league meet. Quizzers are recognized for their participation and accomplishments throughout the season, including individual and team awards.

JUNIOR BIBLE QUIZ

JBQ helps kids build a broad knowledge of the Bible from Genesis to Revelation using the 576-question Bible Fact-Pak. Quizzers compete using buzzers in fast-paced team matches while continuing to grow in their understanding of Scripture.

Official Guidelines

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Schedule

The JBQ season includes four league meets held between November and March. Quizzers study the entire Bible Fact-Pak and compete using buzzers during matches. After league competition concludes, teams have the opportunity to continue into postseason events, including District Finals, Regionals and Nationals. Exact meet dates, locations and other schedule details will be provided before the season.

JBQ AWARDS

Bible Master Program

This national-level program allows individuals of any age (adults too!) to learn and test on questions in the Bible Fact-Pak. It is a non-competitive element where you are tested individually to earn different Bible Master seals.

Quotation Club

This is a non-competitive, district-level program that encourages quizzers to memorize all 95 Bible Fact-Pak quotation questions. Quizzers recite quotations throughout the season to a coach or volunteer who tracks their progress. Those who complete all 95 receive a Quotation Club trophy at District Finals. This is a one-time achievement.

Royal Rangers Blue Merit

Boys involved in Royal Rangers can earn a blue merit by participating in JBQ. There are certain requirements they must fulfill. Scan the QR code for the official requirements.



Girls Ministries Bible Quiz Merit

Girls involved in Girls Ministries can earn a Bible Quiz merit by participating in JBQ. There are certain requirements they must fulfill. Scan the QR code for the official requirements.



TEEN BIBLE QUIZ

TBQ challenges middle and high school students to memorize and master selected books of the New Testament. Students compete using their knowledge of the Scripture text while developing deeper study habits, teamwork and biblical understanding.

Official Guidelines

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Schedule

The season includes four league meets held between October and March. Optional tournaments are also offered throughout the year for teams that want additional opportunities to compete. After league competition concludes, teams may continue into postseason events, including District Finals, Regionals and Nationals. Exact meet dates, locations and other schedule details will be provided before the season.

TBQ AWARDS

National Memorization Award (NMA)

The NMA recognizes TBQ quizzers who memorize and accurately recite designated Scripture from the season's material one chapter at a time.

Master Memorization Award (MMA)

The MMA is the highest memorization award in TBQ and requires quizzers to accurately recite the entire season's Scripture material consecutively in one sitting within the established time and accuracy requirements.

Discipleship Award

This recognizes quizzers who go beyond memorization by studying, applying and living out the season's Scripture. Requirements include Bible study and discussion, service and ministry activities, and other discipleship-focused assignments throughout the season.

Scholarships

Bible Quiz offers a variety of scholarship opportunities for TBQ quizzers. Each year, more than \$20,000 in scholarships are awarded, with additional scholarships available from participating colleges and universities that recognize quizzers for their dedication, achievement, and memorization of Scripture.

LEAGUE

We compete in the Wisconsin/Northern Michigan District (WNMD), which is divided into multiple leagues. Throughout the season, teams participate in league meets against other churches in our area.

Individual and team results are tracked, with opportunities to earn medals, trophies and other recognition. Official schedules, meet information and statistics are shared throughout the season.

TOURNAMENTS

TBQ teams may also have opportunities to participate in optional tournaments throughout the season. These events provide additional competition outside of regular league meets and postseason events.

POSTSEASON

After league meets conclude, JBQ and TBQ teams may have the opportunity to advance to postseason events. JBQ Basics does not participate in the postseason.

District Finals

District Finals are held shortly after the final league meet and bring teams together from the district. Eligible quizzers are encouraged to participate, and strong performance at District Finals can provide an opportunity to advance to Regionals.

Regionals

Top qualifying teams from District Finals advance to Regionals. The number of teams that qualify may vary. Competition typically takes place over two days.

Nationals

Top teams from Regionals qualify for Nationals. The national event represents the highest level of competition for the program, where a national champion is crowned. JBQ Nationals typically includes 80 teams, while TBQ Nationals typically includes 40 teams.

Commitment

Qualifying for postseason events is an exciting opportunity for quizzers to compete at a higher level, strengthen relationships with their teammates, and connect with quizzers from across the country. Families should understand the additional commitment involved. Regionals and Nationals may require out-of-state travel, additional registration and travel expenses, time away from home or work, and potentially more frequent team practices as the team prepares for the event.



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