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I Am Uniquely Made
Preschool Leader Guide



the place for kids to take their first steps with Jesus. 

WIN

God called Samuel by name and gave him a message (1 Samuel 3). Kids learn God made them uniquely and knows them personally. Just like Samuel, their names matter to God and He calls them for a purpose.

BIBLE- God called Samuel- 1 Samuel 3

TOOLS

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ASK Leader



Leader Devos



Like It Counts

SOCIAL TIME

The first 10-15 minutes as kid's arrive are some of our most important times to meet needs and show kids they are valued. This is why we provide strategic activities for you help engage with every kid as they arrive.

- This month you have P:uzzles and Building Sets
- You will also find 2 Social activities each week. ***Use one now and one at the end to redirect attention.*

Games and Music (10 minutes)

What You Need: Social Game Instruction Page including Roku Games, Construction paper (assorted colors) (several); Painter's tape (1 per group), , Bark Color Pages (several) crayons

What You Do:

- Play worship songs and other songs available on Roku during the Social Game or while kids are playing.
- Using the supplies and game instruction page, choose one game to play with the kids today.
- As you are playing, use this as a time to call each kid by name and learn their names well.

Say: That was a fun game to get us ready to watch our Bible video. Let's sit and listen to our story today."

Bible Story - Say This!

Thanks, Super Crew! In today's Bible story, we learned about a boy named Samuel. God called Samuel's name several times, but he thought it was the priest, Eli, calling his name. Eli helped Samuel understand that God was actually calling his name. Samuel's name was special to God, just like your name is special to God.

This reminds me of our Super Clue! Our Super Clue today is a pencil. What is our Super Clue? (A pencil!) That's right! Our Super Clue is a pencil. We can use a pencil to write our name, and all of our names are special. My name is special to God. Let's say that together. Ready? "My name is special to God." Way to go!

Let's talk and listen to God. This is called prayer. Ready? Let's pray in 3-2-1.

God, thank You for making all of us special from head to toe. Thank You for our names and how special our names are to You. Help us listen to You like Samuel did. Thank You for helping us learn more about You. Amen.

Can you say the Big Deal with me?

Head to Toe! *(Point to head with both hands. Point down with both hands.)*

God Made Me Special! *(Bring fists to hips and strike a superhero pose.)*

Bible Story Video (10 minutes)**Listen- Game (20 minutes)**

Preschoolers will pretend to be asleep and listen for the leader to say their names.

Big Goal: Remember the Bible story.

Supplies: None

What To Do: After a fun day of playing with my friends, I like to sleep. In our Bible story today, Samuel was asleep, and God called his name to wake him up. When God called Samuel's name, Samuel said, "Speak, for Your servant is listening." Let's play a game where we have to listen for our name to be called just like Samuel. Let's spread out in our room. Once you have a spot, lie down on the floor and put your hands together on the side of your head to pretend like you are sleeping. If you are wearing an outfit that makes it hard to lay on the floor, you can carefully sit and pretend to sleep. I am going to call out a friend's name. When you hear your name, stand up and say, "Speak, I'm listening!" Then everyone will wake up and say, "You listened like Samuel." The friend that stood up will sit back down, and everyone will pretend to be asleep again and listen for the next name to be called.

Keep It Going: Allow the preschooler whose name was called to call out another preschooler's name to wake up and say, "Speak, I'm listening!" This will give preschoolers the opportunity to be leaders and learn their friends' names.

Leader Tip: Preschoolers might forget what they are supposed to say. Be ready to remind them what to say next.

Loud And Clear: That was such a fun game! You did a great job listening for your name and then encouraging friends for listening just like Samuel did in our Bible story. God called Samuel's name while he was sleeping, but he thought Eli was calling his name. Sometimes listening can be hard, but God gives us friends that can help us. Eli helped Samuel know God was calling his name. When you leave today, tell a friend or family member that God knows your name, and God knows their name too..

Say:

- Who remembers what our Super Clue is today? *(a pencil)*
- What does a pencil help us remember? *(You can use a pencil to write your name. When you see a pencil, you can remember that your name is special to God.)*
- What was your favorite part about Large Group today?
- **My name is special to God.** Who did God call by name in our Bible story today? *(Samuel)*
- What did you learn about God today?
- Do you remember today's Big Deal? Let's say it together. I'll say it first, and you say it after me. *(Use the motions below as you say the Big Deal.)* Here we go. Head to Toe! *(Head to Toe!)* God Made Me Special! *(God Made Me Special!)*

Keep It Going: Invite a preschooler to lead the group in saying the Big Deal after you. Continue allowing a different preschooler to lead until everyone who wants a turn has had a turn.

Big Deal Motions:

Head to Toe! *(Point to head with both hands. Point down with both hands.)*

God Made Me Special! *(Bring fists to hips and strike a superhero pose.)*

Wow! What a fun time we have had together learning about how our names are special to God! In our Bible story, God called Samuel by name. God knew Samuel's name, and God knows your names too. I loved spending time with you today

Prepare kids to talk with their family about what they learned today.

- Pass out coloring pages for kids to take home.
- As family members arrive to pick up their kid, greet them and tell them one thing you noticed about their kid that day or something you talked to each kid about remembering this week.
- If there is time to chat with the family, ask how you can pray for them this week.
- Say bye to the kids and call them by name.