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**I Am Valued
Preschool Leader Guide**

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



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People are the only ones in God's creation made in His image. Kids can know that they are not an accident—God made them on purpose and uniquely in His image. We are special because God values us and made us special and unique.

BIBLE- God Made People- Genesis 1:26- 2:25

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 Bean Bag Toss Game 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, Bark Color Pg (1 per kid) crayons, Painter's tape (1 per group), toy vehicles (Several per group)

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!

That was amazing! Thank you, Super Crew! God made our wonderful world, and He made people too! God made you on purpose and with a purpose because you are special and important to Him. Our wheels remind us that things have a purpose, and God has a purpose for you!

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

God, thank You for making people. Help us remember that You made us on purpose, for a purpose. Amen.

Can you say the Big Deal with me?

Wild and Wonderful! *(Hold up both hands like animal claws, then make a rainbow in front of you with both hands.)*

God Values Me! *(Bring both hands to chest, right over left.)*

Bible Story Video (10 minutes)**Hop to It Activity (20 minutes)**

Preschoolers name something God made and act out what it is.

Supplies: No supplies needed

Game Instructions:

1. Lead preschoolers to sit in a circle.
2. Say a child's name and then, "Hop to it!"
3. Guide the child to hop up and name something God made. Encourage the child to pretend to be the object she names. *(For example, if a child says, "God made lions," she will pretend to be a lion.)*
4. Repeat the activity, giving each preschooler a turn.

What To Do: Let's sit in a circle and play a game called "Hop to It!" Can you say that with me? "Hop to It" Awesome! I will say one of your names and then, "Hop to it." When I say your name and hop to it, I want you to hop up and name something God made. You can say something such as, "God made lions," "God made giraffes," or "God made flowers." Then you will play out the thing you said. For example, you could roar like a lion, walk tall like a giraffe, or pretend to smell a flower. Then you will sit down, and I will choose another friend to have a turn. If you are ready to play, let me hear you say, "I'm ready!" *(I'm ready!)*

Leader Tip: Offer prompts on things God made if needed: people, animals, plants, the sky, and so on.

Loud And Clear: That was such a fun game! You did a great job hopping up and naming things God made. We are part of God's creation. God made us on purpose. That means we are not an accident. God made us in a special way, and He values us. We are special and important to Him. Let's say, **"God made me on purpose,"** together. Ready? **"God made me on purpose."** That is great news!

TALK IT OUT

Say:

- We have done some fun things so far today. What have you had fun doing?
- Who remembers what our Super Clue is today? (*wheels*)
- What do wheels help us remember? (*Wheels were created for a special purpose—to help things move. God created us for a special purpose too.*)
- What happened in today's Bible story?
- Today we are talking about how God made us on purpose. What does it mean that God made us *on purpose*? (*God made us special. God had a plan when He created us.*)

Keep It Going: Form two groups. Lead the first group to say, "Wild and Wonderful!" and the second group to say, "God Values Me!"

Big Deal Motions:

Wild and Wonderful! (*Hold up both hands like animal claws, then make a rainbow in front of you with both hands.*)

God Values Me! (*Bring both hands to chest, right over left.*)

God made you on purpose, for a purpose, and He loves you. You are important and special to Him. God values you!

GOING HOME

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.