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What Happens: On this day, thousands of students just like you—across the whole country—will share God’s hope and celebrate religious freedom by doing something simple, yet powerful: They’ll bring their Bibles to school and talk about it with friends!

What It’s All About: This event is for students and is sponsored by Focus on the Family. The event was created to empower you to express your belief in the truth of God’s Word—and to do so in a respectful way.

In your heart, do you wish your friends knew about God’s love—and how wonderful it is to have a relationship with Jesus, His Son?

The good news is, as a student, you have a unique opportunity to share your Christian beliefs and love for Jesus with your friends. You can do that by joining thousands of students across the nation for:

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Watch:

Coming Soon to a School Near You

THE BIBLE!
Did you know that in some countries it’s against the law to own a Bible? That’s not true in our country because we have freedoms that are protected under the U.S. Constitution.

Our Constitution protects free-speech rights and religious freedom—which means you have the right to talk about God and read the Bible with your friends at school, as long as you don’t disturb classroom time or other school lessons.

CONSIDER THESE REAL-LIFE EVENTS THAT HAPPENED TO STUDENTS:

BANNING THE BIBLE IN CLASS?

For Christmas, his church gave him a Bible, and it became his favorite book. So Giovanni Ruboe brought it with him to class to read during a free-reading period. But according to news reports, the teacher had him come up to her desk and then, in front of the class, left a message for his parent explaining that she noticed he had a “religious book” and he was not “permitted to read those books” in her classroom.

DISCUSS: WHAT WOULD YOU DO?

How would you react if your teacher said you couldn’t read the Bible during free time? Would you know what to do or say—while also being careful to be respectful to the teacher?

HERE IS HOW GIOVANNI RESPONDED:

He got help from his family and they talked to legal experts. The media also got involved and wrote stories about what happened. Giovanni and his dad pointed out that, as a student, he had the religious freedom to read his Bible during a time when the teacher allowed other students freedom in choosing books to read—and the school eventually agreed!

WATCH: GIOVANNI TELLS HIS STORY
Carson, an 11-year-old student in Indiana, loves race cars. But even more than that, he loves reading the Bible and sharing God’s love with others. That’s why he and his little brother Sam have led Bring Your Bible to School Day at their elementary school for two years in a row!

They started with just a few classmates participating. But last year, nearly 40 kids joined them! They gave 28 Bibles to classmates who wanted one—and they also started a new Bible Club that meets before school once a week!

One of Carson’s favorite memories about Bring Your Bible to School Day is the moment his friend opened the Bible for the very first time.

“A lot of people, during reading [free] time, were reading their Bibles,” explained Carson. “One student said, ‘This is the first time I’ve actually opened and read my Bible.’ Because his Bible just kind of sat around on the shelf.

“He opened it for the first time on Bring Your Bible to School Day! … it’s just really nice being able to share God’s word with other students.”

Carson has a few encouraging tips for other kids:

“BE CONFIDENT IN YOUR RIGHTS! THE AMERICAN CONSTITUTION, THE BILL OF RIGHTS … GIVE YOU THE RIGHT TO SPEAK WHAT YOU BELIEVE … YOU CAN’T LET PEOPLE TELL YOU DIFFERENT.”
(Learn more about those rights on Page 7)

Don’t forget to pray for your friends! “And just have faith in God … he will help you along in your journey.”

Discuss: How can you be salt and light?

Why do you think Carson felt it was important to get other kids excited about the Bible? What are some ways you feel God might be putting it on your heart to be “salt and light” (Matthew 5:13-16) where you live and in the school you attend?
Think about how Giovanni’s and Carson’s actions helped other students in their schools feel like it was safe and okay to talk about God. What would have happened if Giovanni didn’t stand up for his religious freedom? What would have happened if Carson didn’t share Bibles with friends? What would have happened if even more students could have come alongside them by participating in Bring Your Bible to School Day?

THAT’S WHERE YOU COME IN! By participating in this event—whether as just one student or with a group of students or a Christian club—you can impact your school and encourage other students who believe in Jesus, but who may feel isolated.

5 REASONS TO GET INVOLVED

- **STAND FOR STUDENTS’ RIGHTS.** Simply by bringing your Bible to school and expressing your faith, you are helping to protect religious freedoms for other students.

- **SHARE GOD’S HOPE.** By exercising your freedom to read the Bible and talk about it, you can share God’s love and help others experience the power of knowing that their Creator cares about their lives!

- **BE AN EXAMPLE.** As a young person, you can be a powerful example and help change things for the better. Just like 1 Timothy 4:12 talks about, “Don’t let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in life, in love, in faith and in purity.”

- **LIVE YOUR FAITH:** The Bible talks about how the Word of God is powerful for changing lives (Heb. 4:12; Is. 55:10-11). This event helps you live out those verses!

- **PUMP UP YOUR BRAIN POWER!** In addition to providing life-changing spiritual help for our lives, the Bible is an extremely important historical document that is mentioned in many influential writings throughout the ages. So if you really want to be a well-informed person, it’s important to know all about the Bible!

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1 Timothy 4:12
SHARE THE GUIDE

and the website—BringYourBible.org—with your parents, friends and children’s church leaders so they can support your efforts and stay up to date on Bring Your Bible to School Day!

LET SCHOOL OFFICIALS KNOW

in advance that you plan to pass out the cards and display posters. Find out what the proper procedures are and make sure you follow them.

SHARE THIS GUIDE

NOTIFY YOUR SCHOOL

Dos and Don’ts for Students

Get more tips on what to do—and what not to do—during Bring Your Bible to School Day!

CLICK HERE

WALKING WITH THE WORD!

NBA all-star Stephen Curry writes Bible verses on his basketball shoes. He says every time he steps on the floor, he wants to show the difference Jesus makes in his life.

“THERE’S MORE TO ME THAN JUST THIS JERSEY I WEAR, AND THAT’S CHRIST LIVING INSIDE OF ME.”

STEPHEN CURRY, 2015 AND 2016 NBA MVP

One of Stephen Curry’s favorite verses is Phil. 4:13: “I can do all this through Him who gives me strength.”

What does this verse mean to you?

READ STEPHEN’S STORY

From Adventures in Odyssey Clubhouse™ magazine.
3. Know Your Rights

**BE READY!**

When students are told that they can’t read the Bible at school or use the Bible in a homework assignment, the reason they’re often given is that the school must maintain “separation of church and state.”

But that’s just not correct. As long as the student is acting voluntarily and not disturbing class, then most of the time the student has constitutional rights to express a personal, faith-based viewpoint. Students also have the religious freedom to pray or read the Bible—as long as these activities are done voluntarily and led by students and not done in a way that interrupts school lessons. Talking about God or reading the Bible during free time is almost always okay. All the same, it’s important to be prepared to respond in a respectful manner in case you are questioned or challenged during Bring Your Bible to School Day.

This memo from Alliance Defending Freedom, a national legal group that helps Christian students, explains your rights to participate in Bring Your Bible to School Day. Show this page to your parents. They can download the memo for you, and you take it with you to school in case you need to share it with school officials.

**A. Students May Bring Their Bibles to School, Distribute Bibles, and Discuss the Bible with Fellow Students.**

Schools cannot deny students the right to bring their Bibles to school, distribute Bibles, and discuss the Bible in non-curricular settings. Students have the right to bring their Bibles to school as long as the activity is voluntary and not disruptive. In order to protect the rights of all students, students engaging in non-curricular activities must do so in a way that is respectful and non-disruptive. Students may discuss the Bible with fellow students during non-curricular times, such as lunch or free time, as long as the discussion is respectful and does not disrupt the school environment.

To learn more about your rights, download the memo provided by Alliance Defending Freedom. This memo will help you understand your constitutional rights and provide guidance on how to respectfully engage with your school officials.

**Ask your parents to help you: Print the memo! Click the image.**
Do you know what your rights are in public schools when it comes to expressing your religious beliefs, reading the Bible or praying? Take this quiz to find out.

Did you know?

You have the right to use the Bible in a classroom assignment as long as it’s relevant to the subject the assignment is addressing and used in a way that meets the requirements.

Get fast facts!
Want to know more about your legal rights?
Click here.

Get legal help:
Do you feel like your religious freedom rights may not have been respected at school? Have your parents:

Complete this online form, or call 1-800-TELL-ADF

Share the quiz with friends!
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DON’T FORGET TO PLAN THE MOST IMPORTANT PART OF THIS EVENT—BRINGING YOUR BIBLE—and prepare to discuss it with friends. Consider bringing a free Bible to give as a gift to a friend. It’s also helpful to refresh yourself on Bible knowledge! Use the activities on the following pages:

BY THE BOOK

Print this page. Then read through this story and circle the names of 30 books of the Bible.

Hint: Spaces or punctuation may be in the middle of the names you’re looking for.

ACTS
AMOS
CHRONICLES
DANIEL
ESTHER
EXODUS
EZRA
GENESIS
HEBREWS
JAMES
JEREMIAH
JOB
JOEL
JOHN
JOSHUA
JUDE
JUDGES
KINGS
LUKE
MALACHI
MARK
NAHUM
NUMBERS
OBADIAH
PHILEMON
REVELATION
ROMANS
RUTH
TIMOTHY
TITUS

School was out, and the kids were thrilled about their grand exodus from the class routine. Ezra and John pondered what the summer might bring as they lazily wound their way along Obadiah Avenue.

“Truthfully, we need to make some money,” John observed.

“We could mow lawns,” Ezra offered.

“Nah... umm... something in my genes is telling me that we should get ideas from the youth group,” John stated.

From answers they got, Ezra and John knew they’d have plenty of eager workers.

“Let’s talk to my dad,” Esther chimed in. “He brews coffee at the café.” Hoping for some inspiration, they went to see Mr. Jeremiah that very afternoon.

“We’ve been thinking so hard about things we could do,” Esther remarked to her dad.

“The Alpha Delta Phi lemonade stand had outstanding sales last summer,” Mr. Jeremiah said. “Why don’t you try that?”

The youth group assigned Joshua and Timothy to build a booth. They got themselves into a jam, especially without a plan, until their grandpa helped them build a most substantial stand. At a fluke closeout sale, Joel bought three whole cases of frozen lemonade. Daniel ran into the judge, simply told him the facts and invited him to come. Meanwhile, Jude advertised the lemonade stand in a local paper, The Chronicle. Seizing the big day when it finally came, they all got on the job. At day’s end, John crunched the numbers and had quite a revelation.

“I quickly admit it usually was busier than normal. A chipper attitude made for record sales. Anyone for lemonade to celebrate?”

Puzzle created by 11-year-old Evan B. from Wolf Point, Montana.

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People love to quote the Bible. Sadly, many of them incorrectly quote God’s Word. A lot of people believe the saying “To err is human, to forgive, divine” is from the Bible. But this popular quote was actually written by famous poet Alexander Pope in the 18th century.

Look at the quotes below. Write “T” on the line if you think it comes from God’s Word. Write “F” if it doesn’t. At the end, score five points for every correct answer and see how you rate. (Note: It’s OK to use the Bible to search for the truth.)

1. “A man reaps what he sows.”
2. “It is more blessed to give than to receive.”
3. “The love of money is a root of all kinds of evil.”
4. “God helps those who help themselves.”
5. “All things God works together for the good.”
6. “He who blesses most is blest.”
7. “Do to others what you would have them do to you.”
8. “Eye for eye.”
9. “Spare the rod and spoil the child.”
10. “A cheerful heart is good medicine.”
11. “Whoever finds me finds life.”
12. “Cleanliness is next to godliness.”
13. “But the man who loves God is known by God.”
14. “Forgive as the Lord forgave you.”
15. “God moves in mysterious ways.”
16. “Idle hands are the devil’s tools.”
17. “A clear conscience is a soft pillow.”
18. “The truth will set you free.”

ANSWERS: 1. True (Galatians 6:7); 2. True (Acts 20:35); 3. True (1 Timothy 6:10); 4. False (Ben Franklin); 5. True (Romans 8:28); 6. False (John Greenleaf Whittier); 7. True (Matthew 7:12); 8. True (Proverbs 26:11); 9. False (Hebrew proverb); 10. False (Hebrew proverb); 11. True (Proverbs 17:22); 12. False (Hebrew proverb); 13. True (2 Corinthians 3:13); 14. False (William Cowper’s poem); 15. False (Chaucer’s Tale of Melibee); 16. False (Chaucer’s Tale of Melibee); 17. False (German Proverb); 18. True (John 8:32).

YOUR SCORE: ___

If you got 70 points or above, you’re a Sword Master! Keep sharpening your relationship with God.

If you scored 45 to 65, you’re a Sword Player. Good job, but you can do better with more practice in God’s Word.

If you tallied 40 or below, you’re a Sword Swallower. More time in the Bible will help you not choke on the next test.
Activity: Coloring Page

Let Your Light Shine!
Matthew 5:16
ACTIVITY: COLORING BOOKMARK

1. Color the bookmarks using your favorite colors.
2. Cut out each bookmark using the dotted lines.
3. Use a hole punch to punch a hole near the end.
4. Tie a piece of your favorite color yarn through the hole.
Focus on the Family’s Adventures in Odyssey®—an award-winning audio drama series for kids ages 8-12—has created a special episode about Bring Your Bible to School Day!

Hear this exclusive sneak-preview excerpt from the episode. (The full version will be live in September! Learn more about how to access the full version at the bottom of the page.)

Family Activity Time: Hearing and Following God’s Voice

Lexie and Sydney, middle-school students, led a Bring Your Bible event at their school that began with prayer. During their event, more than 70 students met at the flagpole with their Bibles and prayed together. “I said, everybody grab a hand … and I just started praying,” said Sydney. “I’ve never experienced God speaking through me before until this … In that moment, I really did feel the presence of the Lord upon me, and I was like … this is Jesus.”

How Did Lexie and Sydney Have Such Great Faith?

God’s Word tells us that “faith comes from hearing, and hearing comes from the word of Christ.” Romans 10:17

Here Are Some Fun Games and Activities to Illustrate This Verse!

Be a Bible Ambassador Bible Study & PLAY-DOH® Activity

Faith By Hearing Obstacle Course Activity

Did You Like the Sneak Preview? Want Access to More Kid-Friendly Episodes?

Access the full version of the Bring Your Bible to School Day-themed episode (live on Sept. 1) by joining Focus on the Family’s Odyssey Adventure Club™! In addition to this special episode, you will receive exclusive, member-only benefits, including:

• Unlimited streaming of over 800 episodes
• An Adventures in Odyssey Clubhouse magazine subscription
• Daily devotionals, exclusive new episodes, web activities and more
• Try a free two-week trial of Odyssey Adventure Club TODAY!

(After trial, you can continue the fun with a monthly membership for just $9.99 per month! The full version of the Bring Your Bible to School Day-themed episode will be the featured in September.)
How do you find out what’s going on in the world? It’s probably a lot different than how your parents or grandparents got the news. Since the beginning of 2011, research shows more people read the news on their smartphones and computers than in newspapers.

But can you trust everything you read on the internet? As helpful as the internet can be, obviously you can’t trust everything you read on it. A lot of false information can get posted. You have to check your sources and make sure the facts are reliable.

EXAMINE THE CASE

God’s Word is reliable. For thousands of years, it has passed the truth test. And it contains the best kind of news—God’s good news. Jesus Christ came to the world to fulfill God’s promise to send a Savior to save us from our sins. How cool is that?

If Jesus walked the earth today, he’d grab headlines in newspapers and on the internet. MAN HEALS PERSON BORN LAME. MIRACLE WORKER AT IT AGAIN: FEEDS 5,000. GRAVE EMPTY: JESUS SEEN WALKING COUNTRYSIDE. Jesus himself said his coming was big news: “The time has come,’ he said. ‘The kingdom of God has come near. Repent and believe the good news!’” (Mark 1:15). Once you understand the truth of that statement, your life is never the same. That’s more good news about the Good News. Jesus doesn’t want you to keep this news to yourself; he wants you to share it with others.

Think again about how you get your news. One of your first thoughts was probably, From my friends. We naturally trust what our friends tell us because of our relationship with them. Do you have any friends who don’t have a personal relationship with Jesus? Have you told them the good news? Write down the name of one friend that you want to tell about God’s good news: __________________.

Now commit to actually do it.

FINAL WORD

“‘The time has come,’ he said. ‘The kingdom of God has come near. Repent and believe the good news!’” (Mark 1:15).

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Eyewitness Account

Ryan saw the whole thing: Connor knocked Kaylee’s lunch out of her hands on purpose. Pizza and tater tots littered the cafeteria floor.

Ryan ran to the lunchroom monitor and told her that Kaylee had been laughing with friends when Connor caused a collision. At the same time, Hannah ran to the monitor to complain that Kaylee wasn’t paying attention and got in Connor’s way. Now Connor’s neck hurt.

“He did not,” Hannah answered. “It was Kaylee’s fault.”

Whose story is true? The answer could be both. Although Hannah and Ryan viewed things differently, each accurately told what they saw.

For years, psychologists and law enforcement professionals have studied the problem with eyewitness testimony. In Great Britain, police set up a fake crime in a restaurant and had ten volunteers watch and then describe what happened. The differences in the testimonies were staggering, yet everyone was telling the truth.

Examine the Case

Maybe you’ve heard people say the Bible isn’t true because of small differences in the same Gospel stories. The Gospels of Jesus’ life were written from eyewitness accounts (Luke 1:2). Luke 9 and Mark 9 tell similar stories. In Luke 9:50, Jesus is quoted, saying “For whoever is not against you is for you.” Jesus’ quote in Mark 9:39-40 is a sentence longer and from a different point of view. Does that prove the Bible is full of errors? Not at all.

Bible scholar Daniel B. Wallace once had a young woman from another religion approach him with six handwritten pages of supposed discrepancies in the Gospels. “You’re going to have to answer every single one of these before I can believe anything about Christianity,” she said.

“Don’t you think this list proves that the writers didn’t conspire and collude when they wrote their Gospels?” Wallace responded.
Wallace went on to point out that the core message of the Gospels—Jesus performed miracles, healed people, forgave sins, prophesied his own death and resurrection, died on a cross, and rose from the dead—is exactly the same in all accounts.

Two weeks later, this young woman gave her life to Christ.

The Gospels all recount the life of Jesus through their own perspectives—and that’s testimony you can trust.

**Final Word**

“Many have undertaken to draw up an account of the things that have been fulfilled among us, just as they were handed down to us by those who from the first were eyewitnesses and servants of the word” (Luke 1:1-2).

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MORE FREE-SPEECH TOOLS!

ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES, YOU WILL FIND MATERIALS YOU CAN PRINT AT HOME AND USE FOR YOUR EVENT.

CONVERSATION CARDS PG. 18

You can make copies and cut these out before Bring Your Bible to School Day. Then you can plan to distribute the cards before and after class (in a way that won’t disrupt instruction time).

CLICK HERE FOR ONLINE ACCESS.

POSTERS PG. 20 & 21

Use to let others know about the upcoming event. A non-dated version of the poster with space for writing in an alternative date is included—in case the official event date conflicts with something already scheduled at your school.

CLICK HERE FOR ONLINE ACCESS.

FLIERS PG. 19

Want to invite friends to participate before the event? Use these invitation fliers! Want more online?

CLICK HERE FOR ONLINE ACCESS.

VERSE CARDS PG. 22

Encourage your friends with this “pass it on” Bible verse activity!

TIP: Don’t forget to let your school officials know about your plans to put up posters and distribute Conversation Cards and fliers!
What Do You Think?

What if there is a God who cares so much about each of us that He gave us a personal message of hope?

I brought my Bible to school with me today because I believe that this is true—that God does exist, that He loves us, and that He wants to have a relationship with us. I believe that this message is found in the Bible, which talks about how God sent His son, Jesus Christ, to this earth to give His life for people like you and me.

I also believe that one of the main things that makes our country great is the constitutional freedom we have to voluntarily talk about God. That’s why I’m participating in “Bring Your Bible to School Day”—because I want to celebrate our religious freedom!

Want To Know More About This? Let’s Talk About It!

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"LET YOUR LIGHT SHINE" MATTHEW 5:16

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“LET YOUR LIGHT SHINE”
MATTHEW 5:16
On Bring Your Bible to School Day—or another day that same week—you and your friends can organize a “pass it on” activity using the scripture verse cutouts on this page. You can challenge each other to give at least one of these encouraging verses to a classmate—and then ask the classmate who receives it to then “pass the verse forward” to someone else, and so on—so that eventually the verses will be shared and discussed among lots of students at your school.

**Student Tip:** Make sure you only share the scripture cards in a way that doesn’t interfere with school instruction time—giving them out before or after class, or during free-time periods.

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“Come to me, all who labor ... and I will give you rest ... learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls.”

Matthew 11:28-29

“The Lord is near to the brokenhearted and saves the crushed in spirit.”

Psalm 34:18

“For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.”

John 3:16

“He gives strength to the weary and increases the power of the weak. Even youths grow tired and weary... but those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength.”

Isaiah 40:29-31
You can take this page out, or print it, and put it on your fridge or another place in your house to help you and your family prepare for the big day!

Bring Your Bible Checklist

Three or Four Weeks Before...

☐ Show & Tell
Show your family and friends this guide and tell them about the Bring Your Bible to School Day event on October 6—be sure to invite your friends to join!

☐ Share with Church
Don’t forget to let your church leaders know about the event and invite them to announce it at Sunday school or children’s church—or they can have you talk too! We made some sample talks (announcements) for you—find them in the free Parent/Pastor guide.

☐ Notify your Principal
Be sure to notify your principal or other school official about your plans to put up posters, share stickers or pass out fliers (if you have trouble getting permission, look at the “Your Rights” section on page 7).

One or Two Weeks Before...

☐ Fliers & Posters
Hand out your fliers and put up posters in school (use the posters in this guide or find them at BringYourBible.org).

☐ Stickers & T-shirts
Begin to print out your stickers and craft some fun T-shirts!

☐ Don’t Forget Church!
Remind your youth pastor and/or Christian club leader to announce the event.

Days Before...

☐ Cut out Conversation Cards (found in this guide or online).

☐ Print with your Parents
Print out the legal memo for your school and review the “your rights section” with a parent.

☐ Pray with Friends/Family for the Event

Day of the Event...

☐ BRING YOUR BIBLE!

☐ T-shirt & Stickers can be worn today!

☐ Hand out Conversation Cards before/after class.

☐ Read & Share your Bible with friends during free time and lunch.

☐ Have FUN! Thousands of kids across the nation will be joining you.
You can be excited about the fact that when you share biblical truth with your friends, you will have redemptive impact—even if you don’t immediately see it. The Bible promises that God’s Word never returns void (Isaiah 55:11).

So be encouraged that your heavenly Father is strengthening you. Also remember that national groups like Focus on the Family and the Alliance Defending Freedom are supporting your efforts. You are not alone!

**Keep Reading the Guidebook of Life**

Don’t forget—the Bible is your guide to life! Here’s a fun way to think about that and learn more scripture. **Read “The Voice Within”**

**Share with Us**

Ask your parents to share with us how the event went for you and your family:

**Keep the Conversation Going!**

… by doing the “Pass the Verse Forward” Challenge! *(Page 22)*

“**That which was from the beginning, which we have heard, which we have seen with our eyes, which we have looked at, and have touched with our hands, concerning the Word of life … we are writing these things so that your joy may be complete.”**

1 John 1:1-4

**Watch:**

**Greyson’s Story**

*All Bible quotes from ESV and NIV.*