JESUS CLUB TOPICS

We have outlined topics for every month of the school year based on main themes we believe are foundational to students' faith, specifically students who have not yet heard about Jesus.

- We highly encourage you to start with messages on the love of God, freedom, and who is Jesus when beginning your club, each year. These three topics are outlined in the first three months of the plan below. We have included additional teaching topics for your consideration; however, these are optional. We encourage you to share on topics that are relevant and needed for the spiritual growth of the students at your school.
- We believe by communicating the character and nature of God, students will come to know Him in a deep and personal way. Our heart is for every student to truly encounter Jesus through these topics. While you may want to address certain lifestyle, political, etc. topics, we'd encourage you to focus on Jesus. Students must know who Jesus is.
- We believe students should be given the opportunity to make a salvation decision at every club gathering. Check out The Jesus Clubs App for helpful videos on how to share the gospel and lead an altar call.

Month 1 (October) – The Love of God
Many students don't know that God loves them. This first month is when you can creatively show them how loved they are by God. ▫ God Loves Us ▫ I've Encountered His Love (speaker shares his/her testimony) ▫ Love Through God's Forgiveness (we love because He first loved us) ▫ The Power of Salvation° ▫ Clean Breakup*
Month 2 (November) – Freedom & Joyful Repentance
Teach students what is freedom and how can they live in freedom. ▫ What is Freedom?° ▫ Thanksgiving (thankfulness shifts our perspective - what are you thankful for?) ▫ 4 R's° (repent, receive, reject, replace)
MONTH 3 (December) – Who is Jesus
Teach students about the heart and character of who Jesus is. ▫ Heart & Character of Jesus ▫ The Greatest Gift, Jesus (have a special Christmas give-away)
MONTH 4 (January) – New Year, New Me
▫ Original Design° (who did God create you to be?) ▫ Strongholds° (what is holding you back from God?) ▫ Authority of the Believer° ▫ Living in Wholeness
MONTH 5 (February) – Love
Teach students about what it practically looks like to love Jesus and love others.

- What is Love? (through 1 Corinthians 13)
- Loving God, Loving Others (through our actions)
- Sex, Love, and Relationships
- The Father's Love

MONTH 6 (March) – Kingdom Culture

Teaching students that the world is so much more than what we see, there is a visible and invisible realm and we have victory in Jesus.

- Spiritual Warfare*
- Q&A Panel
- Kingdom Culture (living out the lifestyle of Jesus)

MONTH 7 (April) – Overcoming

- Rejection°
- God's Plan (resurrection story)
- Anger°
- Fear°

MONTH 8 (May) – Overcoming & Pressing On

- Shame°
- This is Just the Beginning (how to grow in relationship with Jesus)
- Finish Strong
- Testimonies (have adult volunteers and student leaders share their testimonies in 1 minute)

Month 9 (June) – Various Topics

If your school is still in session, feel free to wrap up the year with some of these topics and ways to continue the dialogue.

- Forgiveness
- Q&A Panel

*Topics with the asterisk are topics that are unpacked in *Salvation Encounter, a* discipleship manual written by Brian & Christy Brennt. Salvation Encounter may be purchased at: https://salvationencounter.com/.

°Topics with the degree symbol are topics unpacked in *The Freedom Manual*, a discipleship manual written by Brian Brennt & Mike Riches. The Freedom Manual may be purchased at: https://salvationencounter.com/.