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KIDS

NURSERY



GOD LOVES ME

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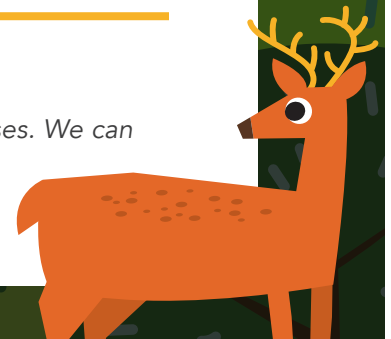
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WORDS FOR BABY

"Baby, God loves you so very much, and God keeps His promises. We can trust Him with all our heart!"



September 2020

Curriculum for Nursery A



We want our babies to take a first look at who God is and understand:

God made me.

God loves me.

Jesus wants to be my friend forever.

Bible Words: "Trust the LORD with all your heart." Proverbs 3:5, NCV

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Basic Truth: God loves me.

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WEEK
TWO

**TODDLERS
AND
EARLY PRE-K
(AGES 1-3)**



September 27, 2020

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Story Time

Gather children on a rug or in a specific area of the classroom to tell the story. Some kids (especially the younger ones) may wander. That's okay. They're still listening and learning!

What You Need: Preschool Bible

LEADER: "Hello, friends! Come sit over here with me. It's time to hear our TRUE story straight from the Bible. (*Hold up Bible.*) Today I want to tell you a story about a man named Noah.

"One day, God told Noah to build a really, really, REALLY (*stretch arms out wide*) big boat called an ark. He had never seen a boat that big before. But Noah trusted God and built the ark just like God told him to. Let's pretend we're like Noah building that ark. Quick, everyone cut the wood like this. (*Move your arm in a sawing motion.*)

"Now let's hammer in some nails like this. (*Move hand as if pounding in a nail.*) Tap, tap, tap. Tap, tap, tap. Great job! There, Noah's all done building. Everyone clap for Noah! (*Lead children to clap.*)

"God wanted Noah to fill the ark with two of every animal—one boy and one girl. Can you tell me some animals? (*Pause*) Yes! All of those animals were on the ark. There were elephants and lions and birds and zebras. Let's pretend to be an elephant. Show me your trunk! (*Demonstrate.*) Now, can you be a lion? (*Roar.*) Those are great animals.

“After all the animals were on board the ark, God told Noah to get his family and go inside the ark, and then God closed the door. And that was a good thing, because it soon began to rain! Pat your hands on your legs like this (*pat your legs*) to make a rain sound.

“At first, it was just a few drops of rain. But there was more (*pat legs faster*) and more and more. (*Pat legs even faster.*)

“Okay, you can stop patting. It rained for 40 days and 40 nights until the WHOLE world was covered in water. Noah and his family were kept safe on the ark, though, because Noah believed God’s promise.

“Finally, the water went down, and land began to appear. God told Noah, ‘It’s safe now. You can come out of the ark and bring all the animals with you.’ God kept them safe just like He promised. And then God made a rainbow! The rainbow was a sign of the promise between God and every living creature that God would never flood the whole earth again. I love it when I see a rainbow, because it helps me remember that **[Bottom Line] God keeps His promises.**”

Craft Time

Gather small groups of children around you at a table for toddler craft time. Depending on the size of your group, you may lead the craft two or three times. Not every child may want to participate in craft time. That’s okay. Feel free to send home the craft materials for them to complete with their mom or dad.

What You Need: “Ark” and “Animals” Activity Pages, white paper, glue sticks, crayons (*optional*)

What You Do:

Before the Activity: Copy “Ark” and “Animals” Activity Pages and cut on the dotted lines. Each child needs one ark and one set of animals.

During the Activity: Retell the story as the children glue the animals on the ark.

What You Say:

During the Activity: “Today we learned about a man named Noah. One day, God told Noah to build a really big boat called an ark. Noah trusted God and built the ark just like God told him to.

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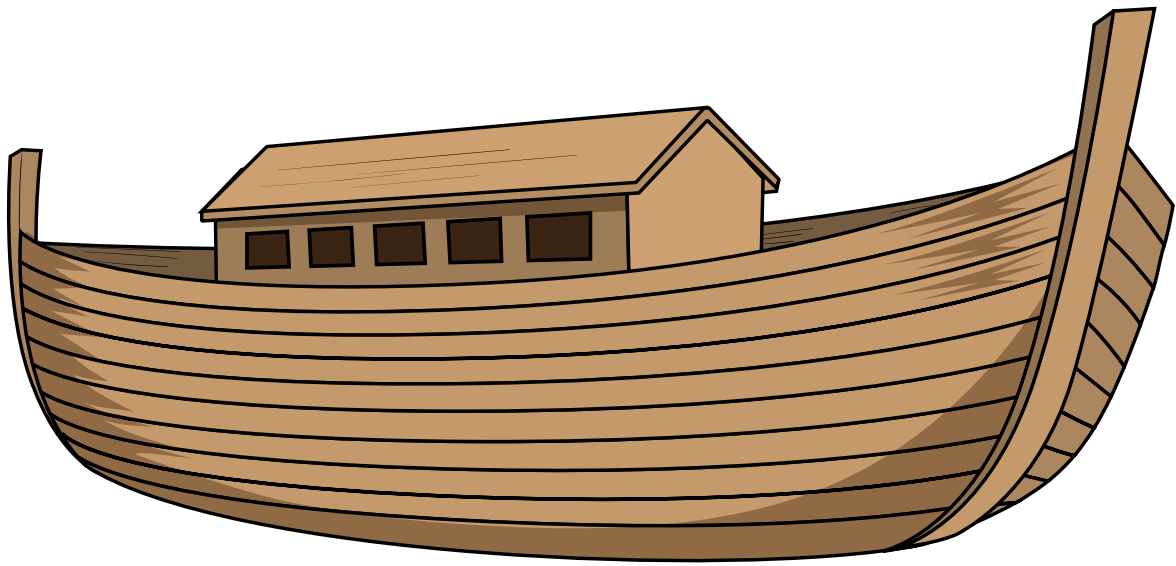
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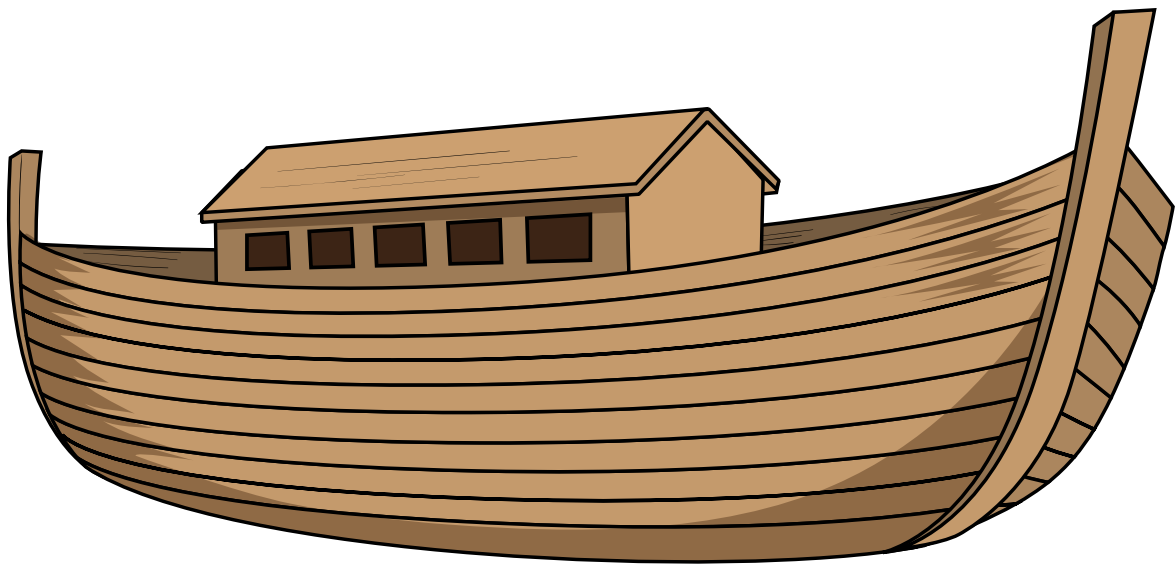
“Look at your paper. I see the ark! And here are a bunch of animals. Let’s get all the animals on the ark. Awesome job!

“God kept Noah safe on the ark and then sent a rainbow to remind us that ***[Bottom Line]*** God keeps His promises.”



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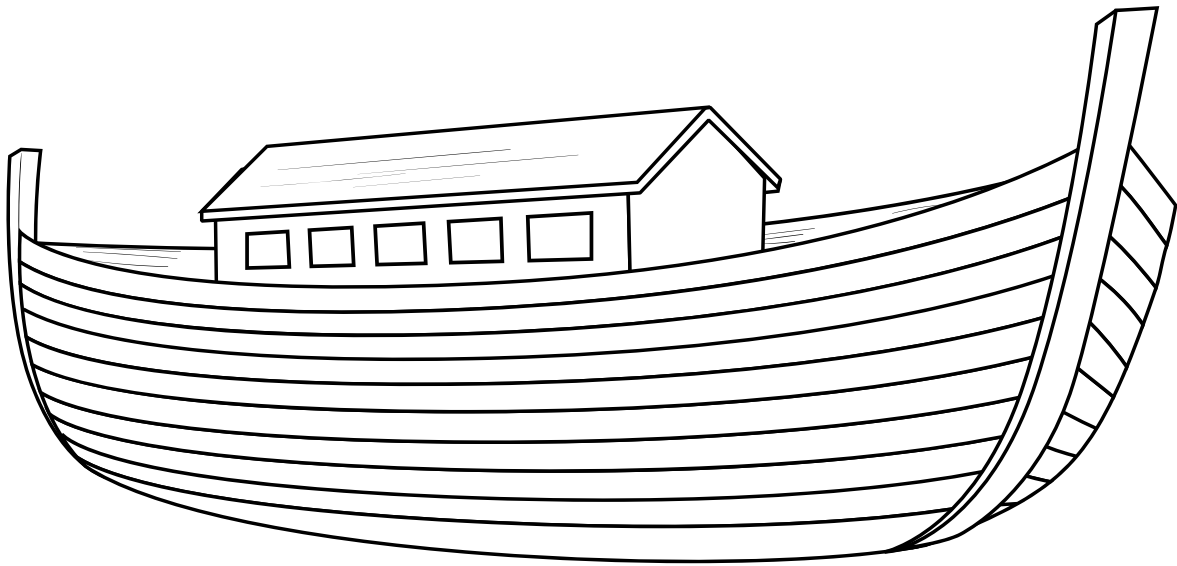
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Ark • Color • *Animals* • September Week 4

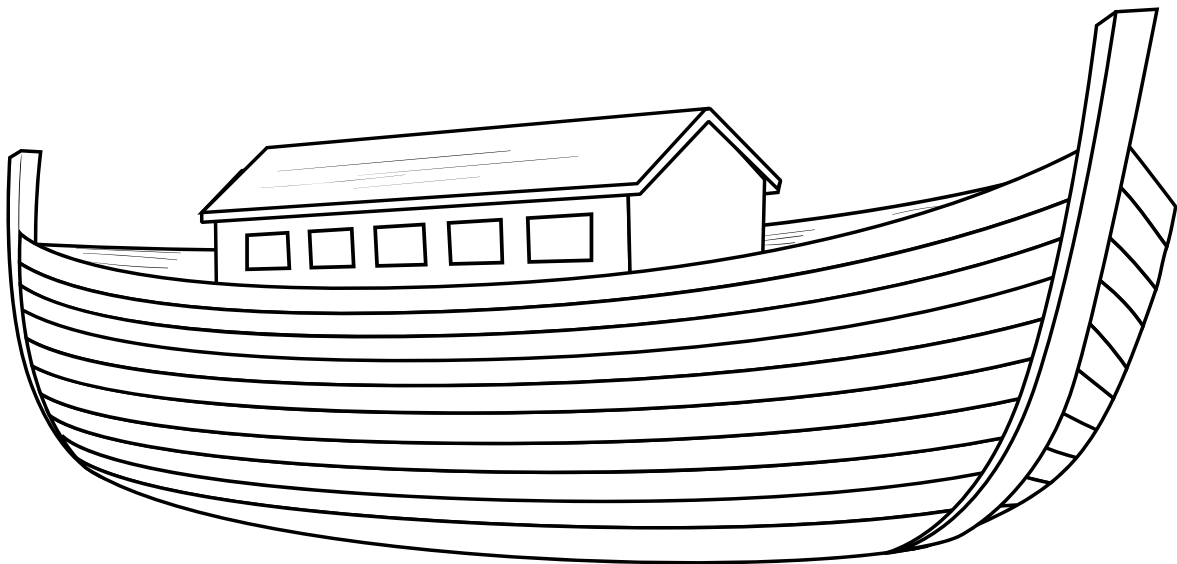
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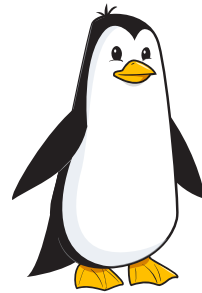
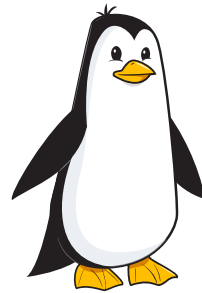
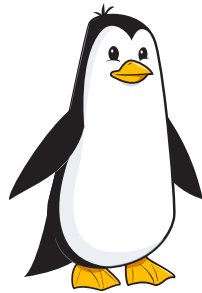
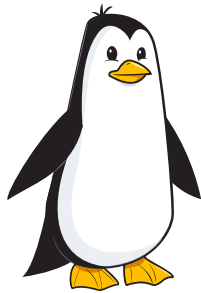
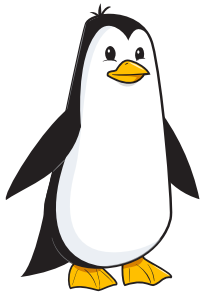
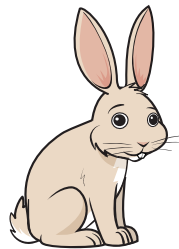
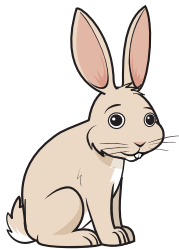
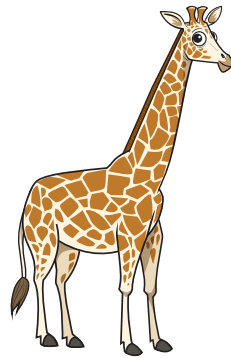
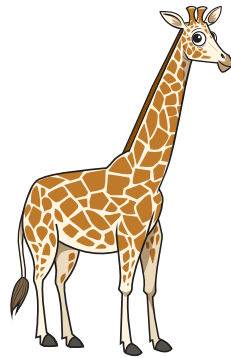
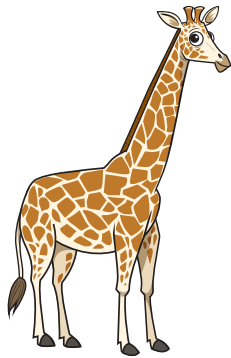
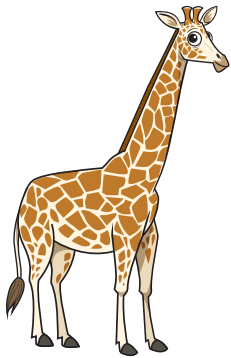
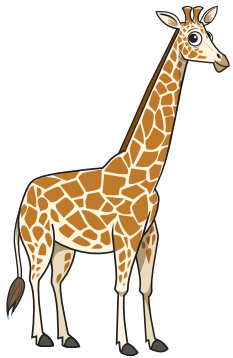
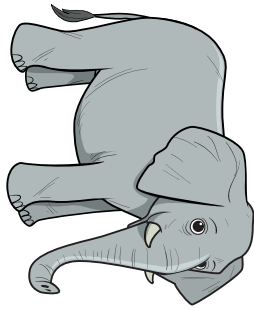
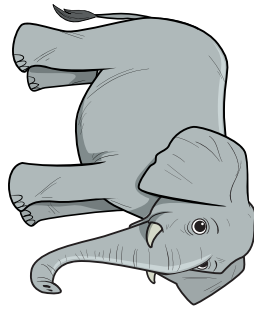
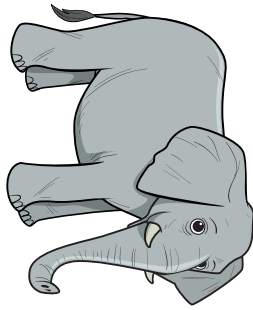
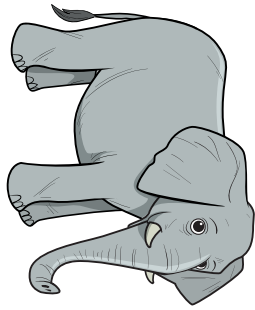
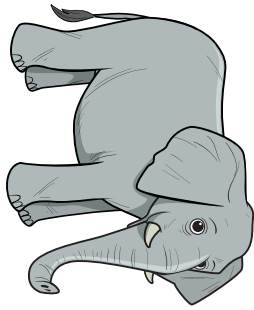
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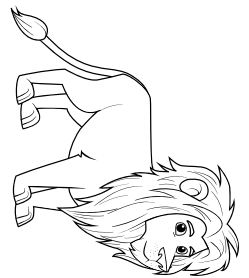
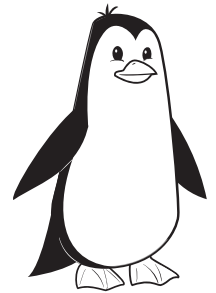
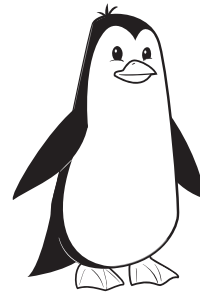
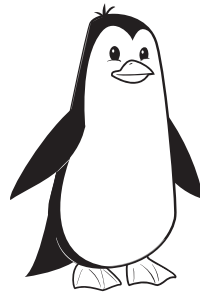
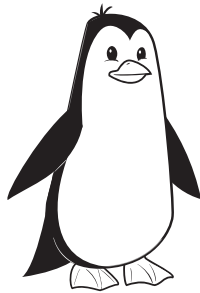
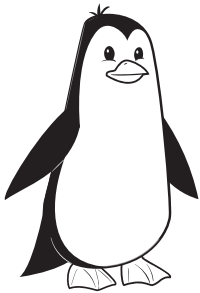
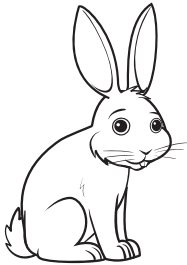
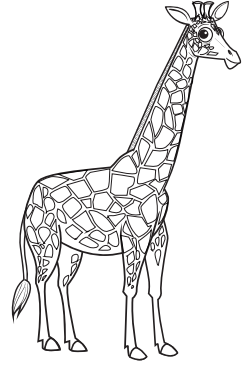
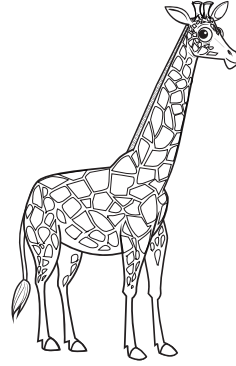
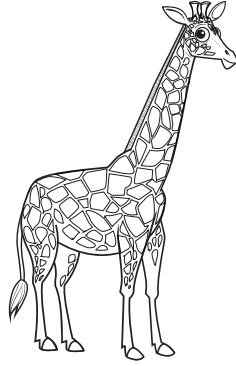
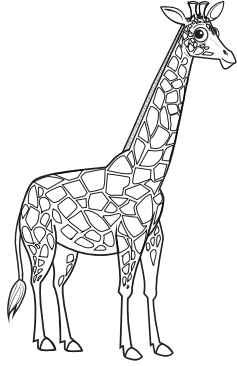
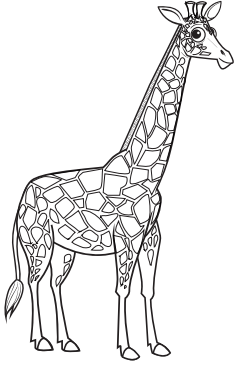
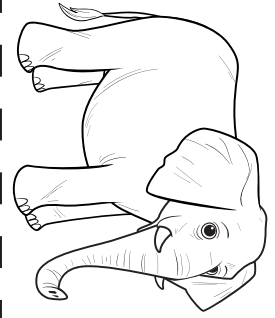
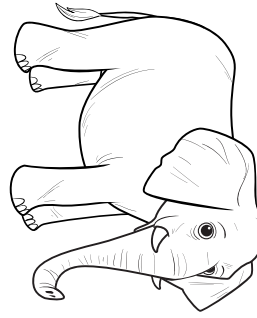
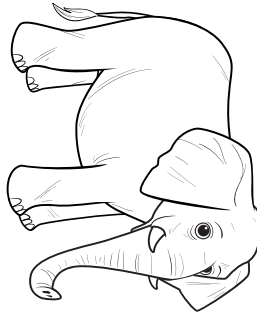
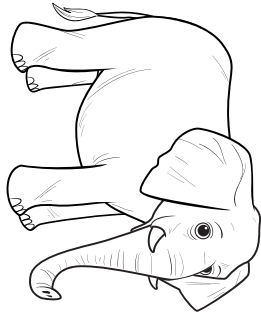
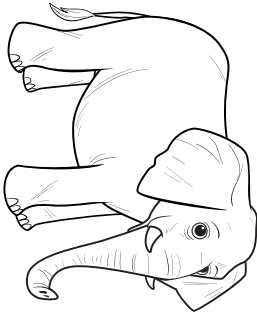
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PRE-K



WEEK FOUR

GENESIS 6:8-33, 7:1-20

Noah trusts that God's plan is best and obeys everything God tells him to do.

SAY
THIS

WHO KEEPS
HIS PROMISES?
GOD KEEPS
HIS PROMISES.

DO
THIS



BATH TIME

While bathing ur child, add a plastic container and something to scoop and pour the water. Tell ur child to scoop water into the container until they see it is half full. Next, tell them to fill it ALL the way to the top. Talk about the difference between half and ALL. Say the memory verse together. "Trust the Lord with ALL your heart," Proverbs 3:5. God wants us to trust him with ALL our heart.

REMEMBER THIS

"Trust the Lord with all your heart."
Proverbs 3:5, NCV

BASIC
TRUTH

GOD LOVES ME.

21 QUESTIONS TO GET
TO KNOW YOUR KID NOW

To influence your kids in the future, you have to get to know who they are today. The problem is, kids change constantly. No one knows this better than the parent of a toddler who *begs* to go to the library one week and throws an all-out tantrum in the middle of story time the next.

Maybe your toddler *loves* anything with wheels now, but by the time her birthday rolls around, you may be surprised to find she couldn't care less about the brand new train set you saved up for.

Which means our job of getting to know our kids never ends. To make that a little less overwhelming and a little more exciting, we have put together a list of 21 questions to get to know your little kid better. Write them on strips of paper, fold, and choose at random to discuss during cuddle time or in the car. Or, however you choose to use this list, just remember to never stop making an effort to get to know your kid today.

21 QUESTIONS
to Get to Know Your Preschooler

1. What's your favorite season of the year?
2. What are three things you want to do this/next summer?
3. What is your favorite Bible story?
4. What TV, movie, or book character makes you laugh the most?
5. What is your favorite game to play?
6. What is your favorite treat?
7. What animal do you wish we could have as a pet?
8. What do I do that makes you feel loved?
9. What is something that makes you feel sad?
10. What would you do if you were the President for one day?
11. Have you ever felt embarrassed? When?
12. Who is your favorite friend?
13. What makes your favorite friend so awesome?
14. What makes you so awesome?
15. What is your favorite part of the day?
16. What is something you wish you could do better?
17. If you had \$20, what would you do with it?
18. What makes you feel happy when you are sad?
19. What is something you can't wait to be able to do?
20. If you could make one food disappear from the earth forever, what would it be?
21. If you could ask God any question, what would you ask Him?

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