

This is a 10 week course outline for “Book of Virtue” and set up to more as an introductory to the virtues for younger grades just learning for the first time. To use this schedule, the “Reading Assignments” and “Copywork” are left open for, you, the teacher, to decide what fits with your current curriculum.

10 Week Lesson Plan for “Book of Virtues”

| | Topic | Read | Copy-work | Memory Verse | Additional Reading |
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| Week 1 | Self-Discipline | Selections on Self-Discipline | | 2 Timothy 1:7 | <i>Parable of Nature</i> , Training and Responsibility pg 27-43; |
| Week 2 | Compassion | Selections on Compassion | | 1 Peter 3: 8 | |
| Week 3 | Responsibility | Selections on Responsibility | | 1 Corinthians 3:8 | |
| Week 4 | Friendship | Selections on Friendship | | 1 Corinthians 15: 33 | |
| Week 5 | Work | Selections on Work | | Colossians 3:23 | |
| Week 6 | Courage | Selections on Courage | | Deuteronomy 31:6 | |
| Week 7 | Perseverance | Selections on Perseverance | | Mark 13:13 | <i>Parable of Nature</i> , Waiting, pg.53-60 |
| Week 8 | Honesty | Selections on Honesty | | Deuteronomy 25:16 | |
| Week 9 | Loyalty | Selections on Loyalty | | Psalms 37:5 | Matthew 6: 19-24; <i>Parable of Nature</i> , The Light of Truth, pg.47 |
| Week 10 | Faith | Selections on Faith | | Ephesians 2:8-9 | <i>Parable of Nature</i> ,A Lesson of Faith, Chapter 1 |

Resources Suggested to be Used:

- *Book of Virtues* by William J. Bennet
- *Bible*
- <http://www.characterjournal.com>
- Parables of Nature
- The Bible Story

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Objective: The student, by the end of the study, will be able to recognize and discuss the 10 virtues outline in “Book of Virtues”.

- Using the 10 virtues outline, student will create a character journal outlining the 10 virtues, with copy-work, drawings or short essays outlining what each virtue means to them depending on the suitable age range.
- For the younger children, they will be introduced to the basics of the 10 virtues outline in the “Book of Virtue” and learn how to correspond with biblical references to the bible of how God calls us to exhibit each virtue.