

Theme Booklists—Grade 3

Each theme in *Pathways* has activities tied to books that are not the theme book. One copy of the title is needed to teach the activity. If teachers choose not to use these books, they should choose books that deal with similar themes. The session number indicates where the book is first used.

Schools desiring to begin adding titles to the library will want to choose from this booklist. Additional titles will be provided for each theme as soon as they are available.

Each title was available when the theme *Daily Lesson Guide* was published. If you cannot locate a title it may be found on an out-of-print website, such as Alibris (www.alibris.com)

Theme 1: Abe Lincoln's Hat

Session 1: *Young Abe Lincoln: The Frontier Days 1809-1837* by Cheryl Harness. National Geographic Society, 2003.

The Bible Story, Volume 10 by Arthur S. Maxwell. Pacific Press Publishing Assn., 1957.

Session 2: *International Children's Bible*. Word Publishing, 1988.

The Bible Story, Volume 4 by Arthur S. Maxwell. Pacific Press Publishing Assn., 1957.

Session 3: *George Washington and the General's Dog* by Frank Murphy. Random House Children's Books, 2002.

The Bible Story, Volume 5 by Arthur S. Maxwell. Pacific Press Publishing Assn., 1957.

Lincoln's Little Girl: A True Story by Fred Trump. Boyd Mills Press, 2002. **OR**

Grace's Letter to Lincoln by Connie Roop. Hyperion Books for Children, 1998.

Session 4: *The Bible Story, Volume 7* by Arthur S. Maxwell. Pacific Press Publishing Assn., 1957.

Session 5: *Great Book of School Jokes* by Meredith Berk and Toni Vavrus. Sterling Publishing Co., Inc., 1995.

Kid's Funniest Knock-Knocks by Charles Keller. Sterling Publishing Co., Inc., 2001.

Session 6: *The Bible Story, Volume 8* by Arthur S. Maxwell. Pacific Press Publishing Assn., 1957.

Session 8: *Sing for Joy! Worship Songs for Primaries*. Review and Herald Publishing Assn., 1989.

Theme 2: *The Courage of Sarah Noble*

Session 1: "Madeleine Takes Charge" by Sally McMillan. *A Time to Weave* by Patricia Habada, Gary B. Swanson, Sally J. McMillan, LuWana J. Kumalea. Adventist Life Reading Series Level 10. The Department of Education, General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, 1983.

Theme 3: *Spiders!*

Session 1: *Incredible Creatures that Defy Evolution* (DVD).

Exploration Films. www.explorationfilms.com

Session 7: *Mighty Spiders!* by Fay Robinson. Scholastic, 1996.

Session 8: *Detective Zack and the Secrets in the Sand* by Jerry D. Thomas. Pacific Press Publishing Assn., 1993 **OR**
Detective Zack and the Red Hat Mystery by Jerry D. Thomas. Pacific Press Publishing Assn., 1993.

Theme 4: *Summer of the Sharks*

Session 1: *International Children's Bible, New Century Version*. Word Publishing, 1988.

Session 4: *Sea Creatures: A Close-Up Look at a Coral Reef* by Sue Malyan and the Doris Kindersley Publishing Staff. DK Publishing Inc., 2005.

Theme 5: *Buddy, the First Seeing Eye Dog*

Session 2: *Big Sister and Little Sister* by Charlotte Zolotow. HarperCollins Children's Books, 1990

Session 3: *Animals Helping with Special Needs* by Clare Oliver. Scholastic Library Publishing, 2000

Session 4: *The Honest-to-Goodness Truth* by Patricia C. McKissack. Simon and Schuster Children's Publishing, 2002.

Session 6: *Seeing* by Sharon Gordon. Scholastic Library Publishing, 2002.

Can You See the Chalkboard? by Alvin Silverstein, Virginia Silverstein, and Laura Silverstein Nunn. Scholastic Library Publishing, 2001.

Theme 6: *Trash*

Session 1: "Nature's Niches" by Mary Miche. *Nature Nuts* Audio CD, 1990 (www.songsforteaching.com). **or**

"Habitat" or "The Little Blue Ball by Stan Slaughter. *In Tune With All Species* Audio CD (www.stanslaughter.com).

Session 3: "Landfill Blues" by John Paul Taylor, Jr. *Singing' for the Earth* Audio CD (www.songsforteaching.com).

Recycle! A Handbook for Kids by Gail Gibbons. Little, Brown and Co., 1996 **or**
Any book on recycling.

Session 7: "Hey, Hey, Don't Throw It Away" by Mary Miche. *Nature Nuts* Audio CD, 1990 (www.songsforteaching.com).

Session 8: *Earth Day—Hooray!* by Stuart Murphy. HarperCollins Publishers, 2004.

Education by Ellen G. White. Pacific Press Publishing Assn., 2002.

"No Swimming" found in *A Wheel in a Wheel* by Patricia A. Habada, Sally J. McMillan, Blossom Engen, Frances Blahovich, and Mitzi J. Smith. Adventist Life Reading Series Level 6. The Department of Education, General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, 1986.

Theme 7: *Julius! The Perfectly Pesky Pet Parrott*

Session 1: *Tropical Rainforest (One Small Square Series)* by Donald M. Silver. McGraw-Hill Co., 1998.

The Bible Story, Volume 1 by Arthur S. Maxwell. Pacific Press Publishing Assn., 1957.

Theme 8: *Sarah, Plain and Tall*

Session 1: *International Children's Bible*. Word Publishing, 1988.

Session 4: *Snowflake Bentley* by Jacqueline Briggs Martin.
Houghton Mifflin, 1998.

Session 9: *Sarah Plain and Tall* (DVD). Artisan/Hallmark, 1999.
"The Warm Church" found in *Windows of Heaven* by
Patricia A. Habada, Sally J. McMillan, Blossom
Engen, Frances Blahovich, and Mitzi J. Smith.
Adventist Life Reading Series Level 8. The
Department of Education, General Conference of
Seventh-day Adventists, 1987.

Theme 9: *Helen Keller: Courage in the Dark*

Session 1: *I Have a Sister, My Sister is Deaf* by Jeanne Whitehouse
Peterson. HarperCollins Children's Books, 1977.

Session 2: *The Bible Story, Volume 6* by Arthur S. Maxwell. Pacific
Press Publishing Assn., 1957

Session 3: *Wilfrid Gordon McDonald Partridge* by Mem Fox.
Kane/Miller Book Publishers, 1985

The Bible Story, Volume 3 by Arthur S. Maxwell. Pacific
Press Publishing Assn., 1957