



At Hamburg Bible Church

5:30-7:15 PM

Parent Information

Overview

Kids4Truth Club is a fun, rewarding program of systematic theology for kids that teaches Bible doctrine. It is Apologetics for kids! It is much more than memorizing verses. Every aspect of the club program helps students understand what they are memorizing and how it applies to their own lives. It helps them know why they believe what they believe.

What Will They Learn?

Kids4Truth Club focuses on 12 important doctrinal themes to help children understand the truths of the Bible. Each of the 12 doctrinal themes has 10 key truths for the children to memorize. At Hamburg Bible Church, the Kids4Truth program will cover three doctrinal themes each year, and one key truth per week.

Kids4Truth Doctrinal Themes

Year 1: 2018-2019	Year 2: 2019-2020
God's Word--The Bible The Greatness of God The Goodness of God	The Trinity God's Creation God's View of You
Year 3: 2020-2021	Year 4: 2021-2022
God's Law Jesus Christ God's Gift--Salvation	God's Purpose for His Children God's Work--Past and Present God's Plan for the Future



A Typical Night at K4T Club

5:30-5:55-Welcome, Prayer, and Songs

Large Group Lesson

Pastor Isaac teaches a lesson to the entire group on the night's lesson from the current doctrinal theme

6:00-6:30-Small Group Time

Kids work through their TruthBooks with their classroom teacher and recite what they have learned.

6:30-7:00-Activity Time

A variety of activities such as review games, crafts, group game time, or music that reinforce the evening's lesson.

7:00-7:15-Awards and Dismissal

Students receive the awards they have earned by reciting the material from their TruthBooks.

Age Groups

The lessons run parallel, meaning that at each level the kids are all learning the same doctrinal truths, but the doctrinal truths are more in-depth and the memorization more age-appropriate as kids progress through the levels.

At Hamburg Bible Church, we will provide three levels, separated by age and grade in school.

Discoverers-Age three to Kindergarten-Jonilee Bender lead teacher
Their lessons are called **Treasure Hunts**, and their standards are **green**.

Developers-Grades 1 to 3-Ann Riegel lead teacher
Their lessons are called **Stages**, and their standards are **red**.

Detectives-Grades 4 to 6-Linda Rentschler lead teacher
Their lessons are called **Clues**, and their standards are **khaki**.



What to Bring Each Week

Each child should bring the following to Kids4Truth Club each week:

A Bible-If your child or a guest you invite needs a Bible, please mention this to his or her classroom teacher. We will do what we can to provide one.

TruthBook-This book contains the lessons and memorizations for each week, and serves as a workbook during lesson time. Students receive their TruthBook when their Kids4Truth tuition of \$20 has been paid for the year. (See Tuition section below for details)

Standard-The memorization awards are ironed on each kid's standard each week by K4T teachers. Students must have their standards to win and wear their awards. Standards are given to students when they have memorized the answers to the questions in their starter books, which they should have received last Sunday. If your child needs a starter book, please notify his or her classroom teacher.

K4T Tote-Our first night's craft will be a tote bag that is just the right size to hold the TruthBook and a Bible.

Tuition

The cost to participate in Kids4Truth is \$20 per child. Your child would generally receive his or her materials to participate when tuition has been paid in full. However, because of short notice this first year (we have honestly been planning this since April!) materials will be given with payment in full or when arrangements to pay tuition (i.e. \$10 per month) have been made.

Linda will be tracking tuition payments, so please make payments or payment arrangements with her.

Sponsorships-A limited number of sponsorships are available for families who have need or multiple children in the program. Please see Linda for details.



Start and End Dates

September 9-Start Date

June 9-Tentative End Date

You should have received a K4T calendar. They will be available on the table at the back of the sanctuary. The entire year's schedule will also be posted online.

Important to note: *There will be no Kids 4 Truth Club in December to make time for Christmas Holiday Activities.*

There will still be activities on Sunday nights in December for children age 3 and up while adults attend Bible Study.

Dress-Up Nights

Every month we have planned one crazy dress-up night just for fun! They are listed on your calendar for convenience. **Note that the kick-off Sunday, September 9, is Crazy Hat Night.**

Special Awards Programs

After every 5th and final lesson in each Theme we will hold our awards program in the sanctuary at the conclusion of Adult Bible Study. We would love to bless our adults with the growth and enthusiasm of the children. These special programs are noted on your calendar, and we hope you enjoy them.

Signing Up

Simply fill out the registration card, one per kid. They are available on the table at the back of the sanctuary, or one can be emailed to you.

If you have any questions about K4T that have not been answered here, please feel free to contact Ann, Jonilee, or Linda for details.

