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Learning English through the Bible

Unit A2-20



Pray, Review, and Preview

Bible Reading: The Divided Kingdom – 1 Kings 1, 2, 3, 4,

<u>5</u>, <u>6</u>, <u>11</u>, <u>12</u>

Theme: Social Events

Pronunciation: /j/ spelled ge, gi, gy and /g/

Grammar: Prepositions of time: on/at/in;

Conjunctions: and, or, but, so, then, because

What do you see?

























Prepositions of Time

Prep	osition and Use	Sentences
in	years - 2019 seasons - spring months - May "the morning" "the afternoon" "the evening"	 He was born in 1994. We visited the spring. Let's have a barbeque July. The party is on Monday 7:30. Come over May 5th 4:00.
on	days - Friday dates - 5/12/21	6. Let's meet at 9:00 night.
at	hours - 12:00 "night"	 7. I like to go outside the evening. 8. We stay inside the winter. 9. My birthday is the 7th of May.



Conjunctions

Conju	nction and Use	Examples
and	To add more things to a list.	We ate cheese and chips.
or	To give two or more different options	Do you want to go outside or stay inside tomorrow?
but	To give an objection or another opinion	I like most vegetables, but I don't like mushrooms.
SO	To give a conclusion	There's ice on the road, so I don't want to drive.



Conjunctions

Conjunction and Use		Examples
then	To tell what happened after something else or because of something else	We went to the park, then we ate cheese pizza. If she sleeps well, then she will feel better.
because	To give reasons	The boy is sad because his ice cream melted. I can't go to the barbeque because it's too late.



A: Hey! Did you hear about George's party?

B: Yes, he invited me. Are you going?

A: Of course! I hear there will be a



B: Hmm... maybe I'll bring **chips** or **grapes**. What are you bringing?

A: Maybe some ice cream. It was so nice of him to invite us.

B: It was. I hope it **doesn't rain**. If it **rains**, then we'll have to have the party inside.

A: Yeah. I'd like to chat more, but I need to go home now and take out the garbage. See you at the party!





Two Pronunciations of the letter G.

1. /j/ Soft G spelled ge , gi , gy	2. /g/ Hard G spelled g + other letters	3. Challenge
garba ge	ga rbage	
giant	golf	
en gi neer	u gl y	
gym	gum	
an ge l	bi g	

- A. The engineer likes to golf and go to the gym.
- B. The garbage can is big and ugly.





A.	В.	C
cheese	mushroom	barbeque
ice	sandwich	gathering
grapes	garbage	sandwiches
chips	olives	calendar

The Divided Kingdom

1 Kings 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 11, 12

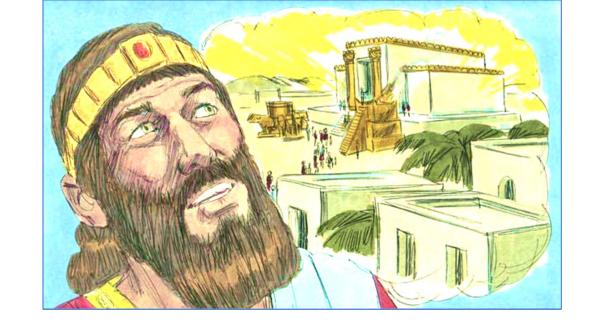
King David ruled for 40 years. Then he died, and his son Solomon began to rule over Israel. God spoke to Solomon and asked him what he wanted God to do for him.



Solomon asked God to make him very wise. This pleased God, so he made Solomon the wisest man in the world. Solomon learned many things and was a very wise king. God also made him very rich.

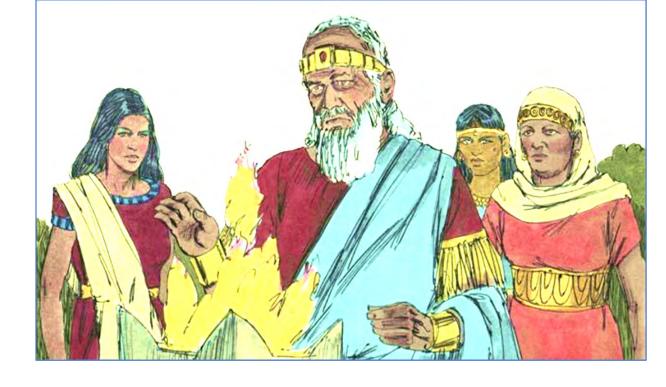


In Jerusalem, Solomon built the Temple for which his father, David, had planned and gathered materials. People now worshiped God and offered



sacrifices to him at the Temple instead of at the Tent of Meeting. God came and was present in the Temple, and he lived there with his people.

But Solomon loved women from other countries. He disobeyed God by marrying many women, almost 1,000 of them! Many of these women came from foreign countries and brought their



gods with them and continued to worship them. When Solomon was old, he also worshiped their gods. God was angry with Solomon because of this. He said that he would punish him by dividing the nation of Israel into two kingdoms. He would do this after Solomon died.



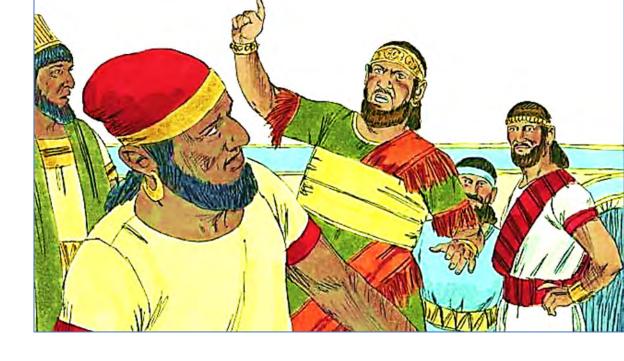
After Solomon died, his son Rehoboam became king. All the people of the nation of Israel came together to accept him as their king. They complained to



Rehoboam that Solomon had made them do a lot of hard work and pay a lot of taxes. They asked Rehoboam to make them work less.



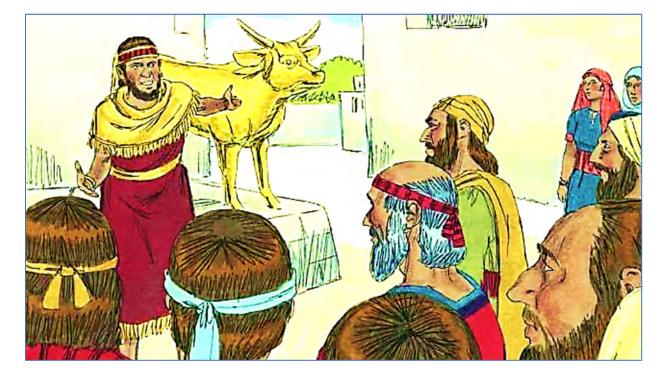
But Rehoboam answered them in a very foolish way. He said, "You say that my father, Solomon, made you work hard. But I will make you work harder than he did,



and I will make you suffer worse than he did."
When the people heard him say this, most of them turned against him. Ten tribes left him; only two tribes stayed with him. These two tribes called themselves the kingdom of Judah.



A man named Jeroboam became king of the other ten tribes. These tribes were in the north part of the land. They called themselves the kingdom of Israel.

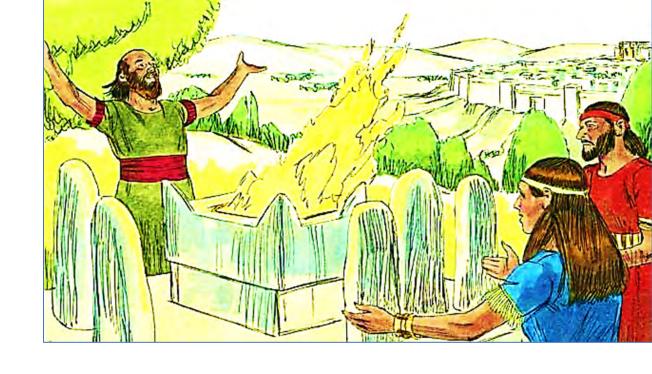


Jeroboam turned against God and caused the people to sin. He built two idols for his people to worship. They no longer went to Jerusalem in the kingdom of Judah to worship God at the Temple.

The kingdoms of Judah and Israel became enemies and often fought against each other. In the new kingdom of Israel, all the kings were evil. Many of these kings were



killed by other Israelites who wanted to become king in their place. All of the kings and most of the people of the kingdom of Israel worshiped idols. When they did this, they often slept with prostitutes and sometimes even sacrificed children to the idols. The kings of Judah were descendants of David. Some of these kings were good men who ruled well and worshiped God. But most of Judah's kings were evil. They



ruled badly, and they worshiped idols. Some of these kings even sacrificed their children to false gods. Most of the people of Judah also turned against God and worshiped other gods.



Answer the questions.

- 1. What were some reasons God was not happy with King Solomon?
- 2. What are the names of the two divided kingdoms?
- 3. Why did the kingdom divide?
- 4. What can we learn about God's character from this story?
- 5. What can you learn from this lesson?









Listen and answer the questions.

- 1. Why are George and Geri celebrating today?
- 2. Where did they meet?
- 3. How many grandchildren do they have?
- 4. What are they expecting soon?
- 5. Where did they live after graduation?
- 6. Where do they live now?
- 7. Where does George work now?





Role Play - Manager A

A: Can we plan the barbeque for Sunday at 12:00 noon?

B: No, I'm sorry. I will be at church. How about _______

Time	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.	Sun.
12:00		Dentist appointment	Visiting Museum	A: B: Church
2:00				Lunch with cousins
4:00	Meeting			Driving home
6:00 ©2021-2022 Literacy	/ International	Movie with friends	Studying	Resting 24



Role Play - Manager B

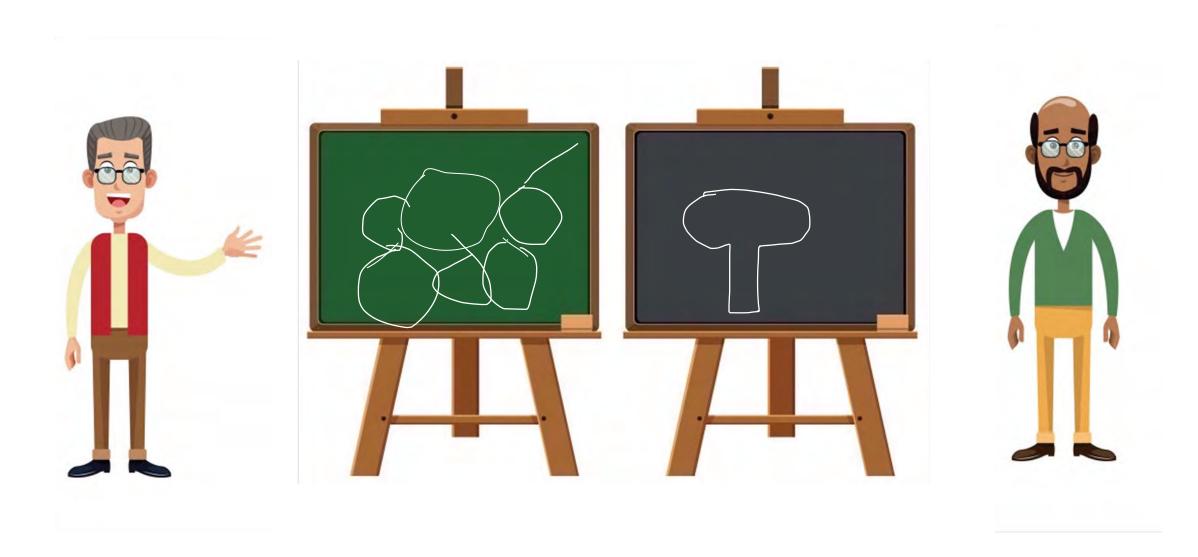
A: Can we plan the barbeque for Sunday at 12:00 noon?

B: No, I'm sorry. I will be at church. How about _____?

Time	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.	Sun.
12:00	Art class			Church
2:00	Gym	English class		
4:00		Bible study	Music Concert	
6:00	Birthday party			Family dinner



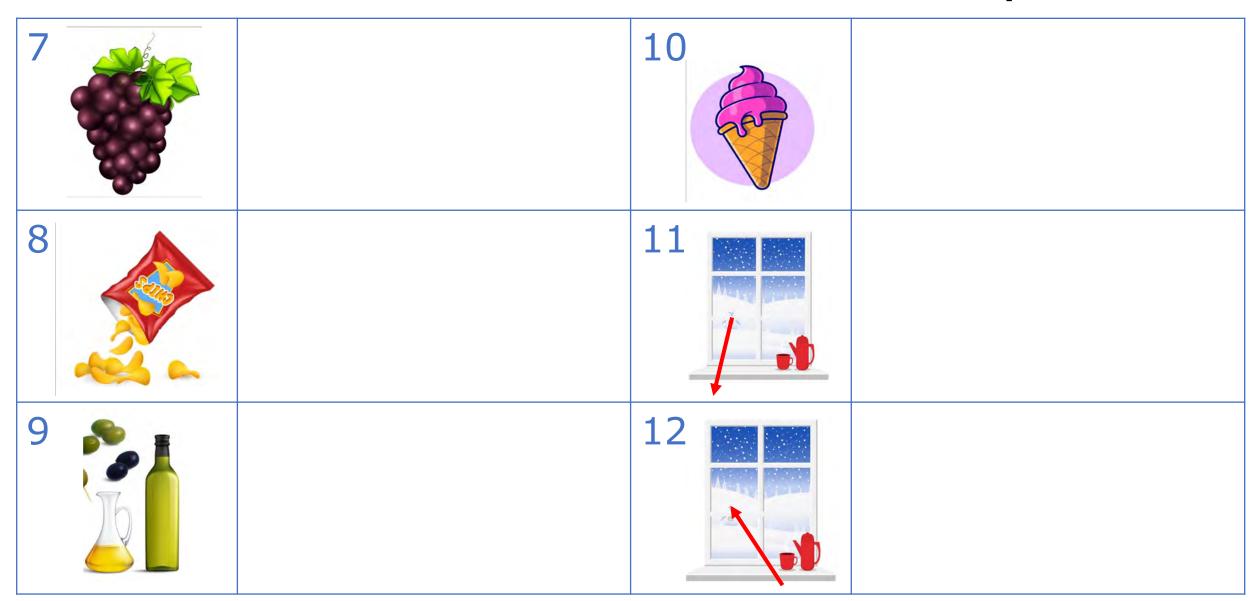
Game – Guess the pictures!



1A. Homework – Write about the pictures.

	When we had the barbeque, it was sunny outside!	4	
		5	
3		6	

13. Homework – Write about the pictures.





2A. Homework – Fill in the blanks



- 1. God loved Israel, _____ they did not love him back.
- 2. They disobeyed, _____ God had to punish them.
- 3. God did not want pain for himself _____ his people.
- 4. He punished them _____ it was needed at the time.
- 5. The temple was _____ Jerusalem.
- 6. Jerusalem is _____ a hill.
- 7. There was a big war _____ that time.
- 8. God waited for his people to call on his name _____ return to him.
- 9. If you call on God, _____ he will answer you.



2B. Homework – Fill in the blanks

in at on

1. His birthday is _____ July. 2. We take out the garbage _____ Mondays ____ night. 3. Christmas is _____ December 25th. 4. We like to eat outside the summer. 5. In Mexico, they eat 12 grapes _____ January 1st. 6. His family stays inside _____ the winter. 7. Do you eat cheese _____ the morning for breakfast? 8. I like to eat ice cream the evening. 9. Please bring chips to the party _____ 7:00 PM. 10.The barbeque is _____ May 2nd _____ 2:00 PM.



3. Write questions and ask a partner.

Questions	Answers
1. When did you go to a party?	I went to my cousin's birthday party last week.
2 ice	
3 garbage	
4. Do you like or better?	
5 sandwich	
6. What type of social event	

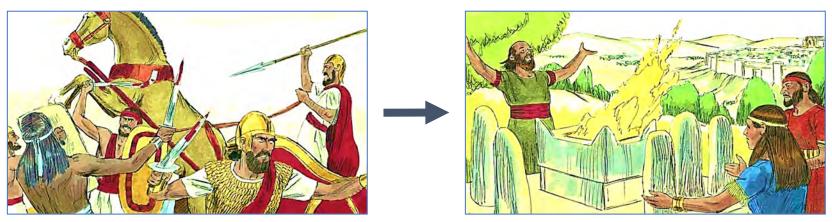
4. Say the G words and write them in the correct column.

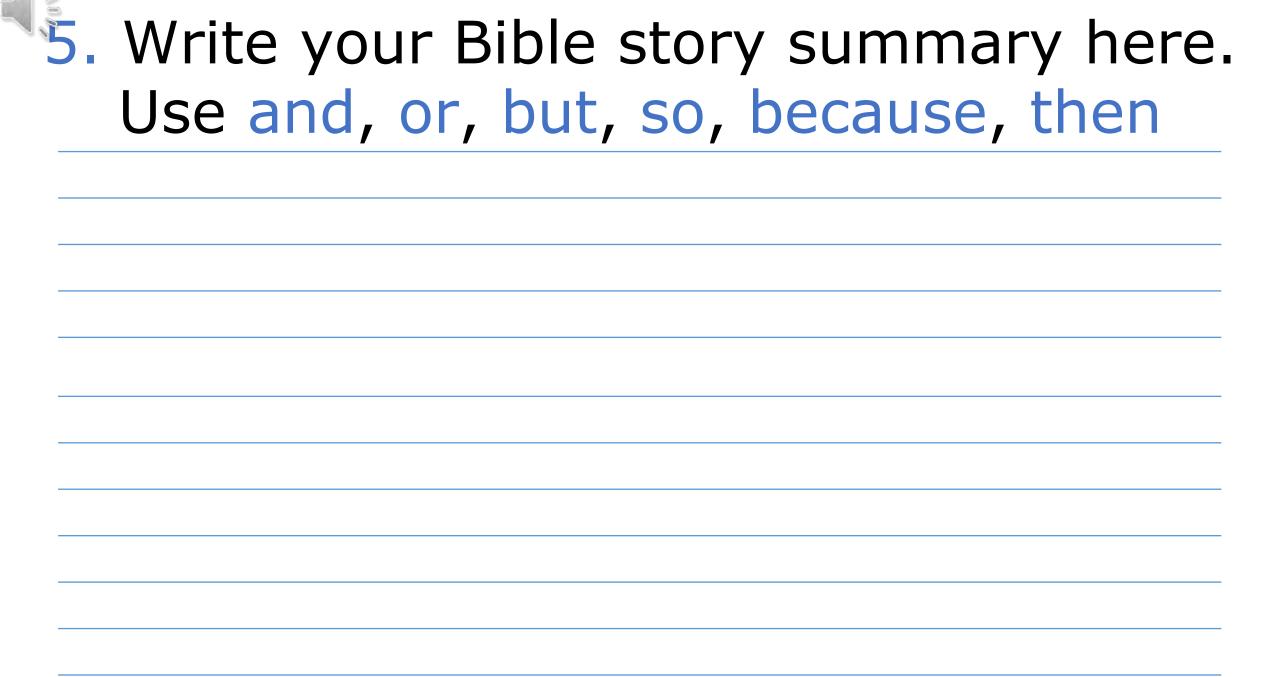
Genesis hug bag grow danger got goes generous guess gym God age change gum giraffe orange bridge against

/g/ Hard G	/j/ Soft G
grow	Genesis
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Use these pictures from the story to help you write a one-paragraph summary of the Bible story on the next slide.







6A. Choose 1 Verse to Memorize



Jesus answered, "I am the way, the truth, and the life. The only way to the Father is through me.

<u>John 14:6</u> ERV



"Listen, people of Israel! The Lord is our God. The Lord is the only God. You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your strength."

Deuteronomy 6:4-5 ERV

6B. Choose 1 verse to memorize and read the next verses.



When the priests came out of the Holy Place, the cloud filled the Lord's Temple. The priests could not continue their work because the Temple was filled with the Glory of the Lord.

1 Kings 8:10-11 ERV

□ Read the next lesson's Bible verses: 1 Kings <u>16</u>, <u>17</u>, <u>18</u>; <u>2 Kings 5</u>; <u>Jeremiah 38</u>



7A. Read and answer the questions.

North American Social Gatherings

Just as in other places around the world, there are many different types of social gatherings in North America. These gatherings can be formal or informal. Formal gatherings are more fancy—people wear nicer clothes than usual, and they usually go to a special place such as a church, a university, or a business. Common formal gatherings are weddings, graduations, religious services, and business conferences.

At informal gatherings, people usually wear their everyday clothes. Informal gatherings such as barbeques, birthday parties, and holiday gettogethers are often held in people's houses. For other informal gatherings like concerts or road trips, friends or family will drive together to see a musician perform or to see interesting new places.

Both formal and informal gatherings usually have food to enjoy, and that makes getting together even sweeter.

3. Answer the questions.

A. What two categories of gatherings does the author discuss?



- B. Where are some special places for gatherings?
- C. What are some gatherings where people wear everyday clothes?
- D. What are examples of formal gatherings?
- E. What are some popular gatherings in your country?



8. Writing

Write at least 10 sentences about a social gathering you attended. Be sure to talk about where and when it was. Example: In December, I stayed at my parents' house for a Christmas party. We ate turkey, potatoes and olives.



9. Homework – Now I Can...

- ☐ I can talk about social gatherings.
- ☐ I can understand, say, read, and write the 12 vocabulary words.
- ☐ I can use prepositions and conjunctions to communicate.
- □ I can understand that God wants people to worship only Him.

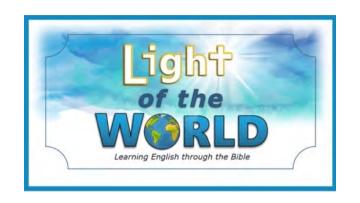


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