

# Student Bible Drill

## 2024 - Cycle 4

### **Church Report Form:** *(Please complete the form and mail or email to us **after your associational drills**)*

Please report all drillers participating in the Student Bible Drills at your church. Any student in grades 6-12 is eligible to participate in Student Bible Drills. We want to acknowledge the participation of all drillers who participate in church, associational, or state drills. We will mail the seals and certificates needed, based on what is reported below. The same certificate is used all the years a driller is in Student Bible Drills. Drillers who participate at the state drills will be awarded their seals at the state drills. If seals or certificates from previous years have been lost, we will be happy to replace.

#### **Address to mail certificates/seals:**

Church Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Association: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_



Bible Drill Leader(s): \_\_\_\_\_

City, ST Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

<b><u>Students' Names</u></b>	Check ( ) if you need a certificate for the driller	Circle all grades in which the student participated in Bible Drills (include this year)												Circle the highest level of participation <b><u>this year</u></b> , including state.		
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<u><b>Judges Names</b></u>	<u><b>Address</b></u>	<u><b>City, Zip</b></u>	<u><b>Day Phone</b></u>	<u><b>Evening Phone</b></u>



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# STUDENT CHURCH DRILL

Grades 6-12



## CYCLE 4 2024

### **\*\*NOTE\*\***

**We need your help at the State drills! If you are interested in serving at this level,  
please email [tpresson@mbcb.org](mailto:tpresson@mbcb.org)**

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## RED CYCLE STUDENT BIBLE RILL

The Mississippi Discipleship/Sunday School Ministries is glad to share with you, materials we have produced to help in conducting a **Student Church Bible Drill**.

Included in your **Church Bible Drill Pack**:

### **A Church Report Form**

We ask each church to complete this form (attached to the front of your church packet) and mail it to us **after** your associational drill (unless drillers are not planning to attend.)

### **One Student Bible Drill**

This includes instructions for the caller/drill leader; a Get-Acquainted drill; and the drill.

**Drill Numbers** Each driller will wear a number while drilling.

**Three Scoring Sheets** The scoring sheets have instructions for the judges.

If there will be more than one drill group, we recommend that no more than twelve drillers be in each group. You may duplicate any part of this church pack.

## **PROCEDURES/STANDARDS FOR STUDENT BIBLE DRILL**

**\*Bible: King James Version (KJV) or Christian Standard Bible (CSB)**

- Do not rush or otherwise conduct the drill in a way that would make participants lose their concentration.
- Give commands deliberately, with appropriate pauses between each one. Speak loudly enough for all to hear and in a manner which would help the drillers to have confidence in you. (*Attention, Present Bibles, Start*)
- **Each call should be given only one time.** *If the driller does not clearly understand the call, he/she must raise his/her hand and the caller may repeat the call.*
- At the end of each category of calls, you will find an alternate call. These are to be substituted for a call that was disrupted or mistakenly given by the caller. The caller will determine if the alternate call is necessary or not.
- Call on drillers in random order. Do not always call on the one who steps out first. Give each driller equal opportunity to answer calls.
- If all drillers have stepped forward, immediately call on someone to respond without waiting for the timekeeper to call "time."
- If a driller makes a mistake he/she must raise his/her hand to indicate the mistake. The caller will acknowledge the raised hand. The caller has to be the judge as to how much leniency to allow. When quoting, if a word is omitted or an incorrect word is given that does not change the meaning, it should not be counted as a mistake. Callers should at least give the participant a chance to correct the mistake, when quoting, before calling on another participant to respond.



## **PREPARING FOR THE DRILL**

The **Caller** is responsible for:

1. Being the team leader in the drill room. The caller has the final say in the drill:
  - There is no rule for a mistake of dishonesty in drilling. This would require a judgment call on the part of the judges that cannot be verified without disrupting the drills. There may be a driller who would take a chance that they would not be called on, yet we trust this would be a very isolated incident. We prayerfully hope that participating in Bible Drills will promote personal integrity, honest and honor.
2. Setting up the room
  - Callers should be in a position where all drillers can clearly hear.
  - The audience must be seated **behind** the drillers.
3. Communicating instructions/standards to the three judges and the timekeeper.
  - \*Judges should give the benefit of doubt to the drillers but should not lose credibility by ignoring errors.
  - Any discussion between judges must take place **after** the drillers leave the room
  - The caller will make the final call on any discrepancies between the judges
  - Direct any parent questions to the scoring table

## **CONDUCTING THE DRILL**

- (Caller) Introduce yourself to the drillers and audience.
- Ask audience to please silence their cell phones and remind them of the note below:
- **\*Note:** NO cell phone use (pictures, videos, FaceTime, etc.) is allowed during the drill. Parents can take pictures **after** the drill is conducted.
- Try to put the participants at ease by suggesting that they take a deep breath, move their feet, wipe their hands, etc.

### **Give the following instructions to drillers:**

*"In a few moments, I will be giving you a **Get-Acquainted** drill to help you get used to the way I call a drill but first, there are some general instructions that I would like to give you before we begin: **These standards will be enforced at the State Drills, so we will follow suit now to be prepared.***

1. You may notice the new format, in the room, for State Drills is for the audience to be behind the drillers. This is to help the drillers focus on what they have learned, without distractions.
2. **Each call will be given only one time.** *If you do not clearly understand the call, please raise your hand and I will repeat the call.*
3. Remember to always look at me until the command "start" is given. During the Quotation and Completion Drills, please keep your eyes on me.
4. When using the Bible, after you have found the reference, please look at me until someone is called on to read.
5. Be sure your finger is on the reference **before** you step out. It may be on any part of the page in the Book Drill.



6. If you step out with the wrong reference, do not step back. Raise your hand to indicate a mistake.
7. Do not move your finger from one reference to another after you have stepped forward. Do not lift or turn pages after you have stepped out. If you must turn the page to continue reading, you may ask to turn the page.
8. When a driller is called on to read, all other participants should follow the reading silently in their own Bibles. Read the entire reference as it appears in the Bible and state the reference after you have read it.
9. If you have started to step out and time is called, don't hesitate. Step on out.

### **GET ACQUAINTED DRILL (not judged)**

I am now going to give you a Get Acquainted Drill. This will not be judged. However, the timekeeper will call time after eight seconds. This is the time for you to get acquainted with the way I call a drill. This is your time also, to ask any questions you may have concerning the drill and its procedure.

-The first call will be from the **QUOTATION DRILL**. We hold but do not open the Bible for this drill. I will give you a reference, which is part of the material you have learned for this drill. If you know the verse step forward one step when I give the command "start." If you are called on you will quote the entire verse and give the reference.

#### **Acts 4:12**

**Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is none other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved. (KJV)**

*There is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given to people by which we must be saved. (CSB)*

-The next call will be from the **SCRIPTURE SEARCHING DRILL**. I will announce the scripture reference, from anywhere in the Bible, which you are to find. You must locate the scripture reference and place your index finger on the verse before you step forward. When called upon, you are to read the verse and state the reference.

#### **Ephesians 2:10**

**For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus unto good works, which God hath before ordained that we should walk in them. (KJV)**

*For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared ahead of time for us to do. (CSB)*

-The next call will be from the **BIBLE ANSWERS DRILL**. I will ask a question, which will be taken from the material you have studied. You are to locate the verse or verses that answer the question and place your index finger on it before stepping out. If called on, you are to quote the question, read the verse found, and state the reference.

#### **Who should I trust?**

**Trust ye in the LORD for ever: for in the LORD JEHOVAH is everlasting strength. Isaiah 26:4 (KJV)**

*Trust in the Lord forever, because in the Lord, the Lord himself, is an everlasting rock! Isaiah 26:4 (CSB)*



-I will now give you one call in the **KEY PASSAGE DRILL**. We use the Bible for this drill, also. I will give you the subject or title given to the passage. You are to find the passage, place your index finger on any portion of this passage, and step forward. If I call your number, you are to respond by stating the Key Passage and the complete reference as given in the drill material. I will then ask you to read one or more verses from this passage.

**God's Covenant with Abraham: (Genesis 12:1-3) Please read verse 3**

**And I will bless them that bless thee, and curse him that curseth thee: and in thee shall all families of the earth be blessed. (KJV)**

*I will bless those who bless you, I will curse anyone who treats you with contempt, and all the peoples on earth will be blessed through you. (CSB)*

- Can you understand my commands and calls? Am I giving you enough time between commands?
- Are there any questions you want to ask about the procedure of the drill?
- Let's ask the Lord to help all of us as we participate or observe in the drill. Lead a prayer.
- Now we are ready to begin the drill which will be scored by the judges.

## **QUOTATION DRILL**

**(Bibles held but not opened)**

**ATTENTION:**

**1. Luke 19:10**

**For the Son of man is come to seek and to save that which was lost. (KJV)**

*For the Son of Man has come to seek and to save the lost. (CSB)*

**2. Psalms 56:3**

**What time I am afraid, I will trust in thee. (KJV)**

*When I am afraid, I will trust in You. (CSB)*

**3. 2 Timothy 3:16**

**All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness. (KJV)**

*All Scripture is inspired by God and is profitable for teaching, for rebuking, for correcting, for training in righteousness. (CSB)*

**4. Revelation 4:11**

**Thou art worthy, O Lord, to receive glory and honour and power: for thou hast created all things, and for thy pleasure they are and were created. (KJV)**

*Our Lord and God, you are worthy to receive glory and honor and power, because you have created all things, and by your will they exist and were created. (CSB)*

**5. Isaiah 40:8**

**The grass withereth, the flower fadeth: but the word of our God shall stand for ever. (KJV)**

*The grass withers, the flowers fade, but the word of our God remains forever. (CSB)*





6. **Romans 14:12**

**So then every one of us shall give account of himself to God. (KJV)**

*So then, each of us will give an account of himself to God. (CSB)*

**ALTERNATE:**

**Proverbs 15:1**

**A soft answer turneth away wrath: but grievous words stir up anger. (KJV)**

*A gentle answer turns away anger, but a harsh word stirs up wrath. (CSB)*

## **SCRIPTURE SEARCHING DRILL**

**THE NEXT CALL WILL BE NUMBER 7 (Bibles used)**

**ATTENTION:**

**PRESENT BIBLES:**

7. **Psalms 105:4-5**

**Seek the Lord, and his strength: seek his face evermore. Remember his marvellous works that he hath done; his wonders, and the judgments of his mouth; (KJV)**

*Seek the Lord and his strength; seek his face always. Remember the wondrous works he has done, his wonders, and the judgments he has pronounced, (CSB)*

8. **2 Chronicles 7:14**

**If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land. (KJV)**

*and my people, who bear my name, humble themselves, pray and seek my face, and turn from their evil ways, then I will hear from heaven, forgive their sin, and heal their land. (CSB)*

9. **Romans 14:13**

**Let us not therefore judge one another any more: but judge this rather, that no man put a stumbling block or an occasion to fall in his brother's way. (KJV)**

*Therefore, let us no longer judge one another. Instead decide never to put a stumbling block or pitfall in the way of your brother or sister. (CSB)*

10. **James 1:19**

**Wherefore, my beloved brethren, let every man be swift to hear, slow to speak, slow to wrath. (KJV)**

*My dear brothers and sisters, understand this: Everyone should be quick to listen, slow to speak, and slow to anger, (CSB)*

11. **Galatians 5:16-17**

**This I say then, Walk in the Spirit, and ye shall not fulfil the lust of the flesh. For the flesh lusteth against the Spirit, and the Spirit against the flesh: and these are contrary the one to the other: so that ye cannot do the things that ye would. (KJV)**

*I say then, walk by the Spirit and you will certainly not carry out the desire of the flesh. For the flesh desires what is against the Spirit, and the Spirit desires what is against the flesh; these are opposed to each other, so that you don't do what you want. (CSB)*



**12. Nehemiah 1:9**

**But if ye turn unto me, and keep my commandments, and do them; though there were of you cast out unto the uttermost part of the heaven, yet will I gather them from thence, and will bring them unto the place that I have chosen to set my name there. (KJV)**

*But if you return to me and carefully observe my commands, even though your exiles were banished to the farthest horizon, I will gather them from there and bring them to the place where I chose to have my name dwell." (CSB)*

**ALTERNATE:**

**John 15:13**

**Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. (KJV)**

*No one has greater love than this: to lay down his life for his friends. (CSB)*

## **BIBLE ANSWERS DRILL**

**THE NEXT CALL WILL BE NUMBER 13 (Bibles used)**

**ATTENTION:**

**PRESENT BIBLES:**

**13. Am I Alone?**

**Have not I commanded thee? Be strong and of a good courage; be not afraid, neither be thou dismayed: for the LORD thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest. Joshua 1:9 (KJV)**

*Haven't I commanded you: be strong and courageous? Do not be afraid or discouraged, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go. Joshua 1:9 (CSB)*

**14. Who is Jesus?**

**Whosoever shall confess that Jesus is the Son of God, God dwelleth in him, and he in God. I John 4:15 (KJV)**

*Whoever confesses that Jesus is the Son of God—God remains in him and he in God. I John 4:15 (CSB)*

**15. How does God show His love?**

**But God commendeth his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us. Romans 5:8 (KJV)**

*But God proves his own love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Romans 5:8 (CSB)*

**16. What are the results of seeking good?**

**Seek good, and not evil, that ye may live: and so the LORD, the God of hosts, shall be with you, as ye have spoken. Amos 5:14 (KJV)**

*Pursue good and not evil so that you may live, and the Lord, the God of Armies, will be with you, as you have claimed. Amos 5:14 (CSB)*

**17. What does Jesus require of me?**

**Then said Jesus unto his disciples, If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow me. Matthew 16:24 (KJV)**

*Then Jesus said to his disciples, "If anyone wants to follow after me, let him deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me." Matthew 16:24 (CSB)*



**18. Who did Christ Jesus come to save?**

**This is a faithful saying, and worthy of all acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners; of whom I am chief. I Timothy 1:15 (KJV)**

*This saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance: "Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners" and I am the worst of them. I Timothy 1:15 (CSB)*

**ALTERNATE:**

**How can I resist the devil?**

**Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. James 4:7 (KJV)**

*Therefore, submit to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. James 4:7 (CSB)*

## **KEY PASSAGE DRILL**

**THE NEXT CALL WILL BE NUMBER 19 (Bibles used)**

**ATTENTION:**

**PRESENT BIBLES:**

**19. Daniel in the Lion's Den (Daniel 6) Please read verses 21 and 22**

**Then said Daniel unto the king, O king, live for ever. My God hath sent his angel, and hath shut the lions' mouths, that they have not hurt me: forasmuch as before him innocency was found in me; and also before thee, O king, have I done no hurt. (KJV)**

*Then Daniel spoke with the king: "May the king live forever. My God sent his angel and shut the lions' mouths; and they haven't harmed me, for I was found innocent before him. And also before you, Your Majesty, I have not done harm." (CSB)*

**20. Jesus Teaches on Marriage (Mark 10:1-12) Please read verse 9**

**What therefore God hath joined together, let not man put asunder. (KJV)**

*Therefore what God has joined together, let no one separate. (CSB)*

**21. David Gives Thanks (1 Chronicles 16:7-36) Please read verse 8**

**Give thanks unto the LORD, call upon his name, make known his deeds among the people. (KJV)**

*Give thanks to the LORD; call on his name; proclaim his deeds among the peoples. (CSB)*

**22. The Faith Chapter (Hebrews 11) Please read verse 6**

**But without faith it is impossible to please him: for he that cometh to God must believe that he is, and that he is a rewarder of them that diligently seek him. (KJV)**

*Now without faith it is impossible to please God, since the one who draws near to him must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who seek him. (CSB)*

**23. How to Live in an Evil World (Psalm 37) Please read verses 5 and 6**

**Commit thy way until the LORD; trust also in him; and he shall bring it to pass. And he shall bring forth thy righteousness as the light, and thy judgment as the noonday. (KJV)**

*Commit your way to the LORD; trust in him, and he will act, making your righteousness shine like the dawn, your justice like the noonday. (CSB)*



**24. Patience in Suffering (James 5:7-12) Please read verse 11**

**Behold, we count them happy which endure. Ye have heard of the patience of Job, and have seen the end of the Lord; that the Lord is very pitiful, and of tender mercy. (KJV)**

*See, we count as blessed those who have endured. You have heard of Job's endurance and have seen the outcome that the Lord brought about- the Lord is compassionate and merciful. (CSB)*

**ALTERNATE:**

**Jesus' First Miracle (John 2:1-11) Please read verse 7**

**Jesus saith unto them, Fill the water pots with water. And they filled them up to the brim. (KJV)**

*"Fill the jars with water," Jesus told them. So they filled them to the brim. (CSB)*

**This concludes our drill! Great job everyone!**

**\*Note:**

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# Mississippi Bible Drill Scoring Sheet

**Judge's Name** \_\_\_\_\_

Children's Group \_\_\_\_\_ Student Group \_\_\_\_\_

Guide's No. \_\_\_\_\_

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# INSTRUCTIONS TO JUDGES

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### Children's Bible Drill and Student Bible Drill

**Each judge will judge all drillers.** There should be a minimum of three judges.

**Only mistakes are scored.** When a driller makes an error, write the **number** of the mistake in the correct box on the score sheet. Do not use check marks! For example, on call number 8, driller number 2 fails to step out before time is called. This is mistake number 1. Write "1" where vertical column 2 and horizontal row 8 intersect.

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**Upon completion of the drill**, enter the total number of missed calls for each driller at the bottom of the scoring sheet. Please mark a "0" for those who did not make a mistake and hand to drill team leader.

*Thank you for giving your time to support children and students in learning God's Word.*



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