

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. 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 Association, 1957.
- Session 2:** *International Children's Bible, New Century Version*. Word Publishing, 1988.
The Bible Story Volume 4 by Arthur S. Maxwell. Pacific Press Publishing Association, 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 Association, 1957.
Lincoln's Little Girl: A True Story by Fred Trump. Boyd Mills Press, 2002. **or**
Grace's Letter to Lincoln by Peter and Connie Roop. Hyperion Books for Children, 1998.
- Session 4:** *The Bible Story Volume 7* by Arthur S. Maxwell. Pacific Press Publishing Association, 1957.
- Session 5:** *Great Book of School Jokes* by Meridith 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 Association, 1957.
A Picture Book of Abraham Lincoln by David A. Adler. Holiday House, Inc., 1989.
Candidates, Campaigns, and Elections by Mary Oates Johnson and Linda Scher. Scholastic Inc., 2000.
- Session 8:** *Sing for Joy! Worship Songs for Primaries* by the Church Ministries Department of the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists. Review and Herald, 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 I* (DVD) www.explorationfilms.com.
Session 7: *The Itsy Bitsy Spider* by Iza Trapani. Charlesbridge Publishing, Inc., 1997.
Session 8: *Detective Zack and the Secrets in the Sand* by Jerry D. Thomas. Pacific Press Publishing, 1993. **or**
Detective Zack and the Red Hat Mystery by Jerry D. Thomas. Pacific Press Publishing, 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 Dorling 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: *The Complete Dog Book for Kids* by The American Kennel Club. John Wiley & Sons, Inc., 1996.
Session 4: *The Honest-to-Goodness Truth* by Patricia C. McKissack. Simon & Schuster Children's Publishing, 2002.
Session 6: *Seeing* by Sharon Gordon. Scholastic Library Publishing, 2002.
Animals Helping with Special Needs by Clare Oliver. Scholastic Library Publishing, 2000.

Theme 6: Trash

- Session 1:** "Nature's Niches" from *Nature Nuts* CD by Mary Miche. www.songsforteaching.com. **or**
"Habitat" or "The Little Blue Ball" from *In Tune With All Species* CD by Stan Slaughter. www.stanslaughter.com.
Session 3: "Landfill Blues" from *Singing' for the Earth* CD by John Paul Taylor, Jr. www.songsforteaching.com/store.
Session 6: "Everything Living Thing" from *Singing' for the Earth* CD by John Paul Taylor, Jr. www.songsforteaching.com/store.
Recycle! A Handbook for Kids by Gail Gibbons. Little, Brown, and Company, 1996 **or** another book about recycling.
Recycled Crafts Box: Sock Puppets, Cardboard Castles, Bottle Bugs and 37 More Earth-Friendly Projects and Activities You Can Create by Laura C. Martin. Storey Kids, 2004.
Session 7: "Hey, Hey, Don't Throw It Away" from *Nature Nuts* CD by Mary Miche. www.songsforteaching.com/store.
Session 8: *Earth Day—Hooray!* by Stuart J. Murphy. HarperCollins Publishers, 2004.
Education by Ellen G. White. Pacific Press Publishing Association, 2002.
"No Swimming" by George McCue in *A Wheel in a Wheel* by Patricia A. Habada, Gary B. Swanson, Sally J. McMillan, LuWana J. Kumalea.. Life Reading Series Level 6, Department of Education, General Conference, 1986.

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

- Session 1:** *Tropical Rainforest (One Small Square Series)* by Donald M. Silver. The McGraw-Hill Companies, 1998.
The Bible Story, Volume 1 by Arthur S. Maxwell. Pacific Press Publishing Association, 1957.
Exploring His Power produced by North American Division of Seventh-day Adventist Office of Education. Life Bible Series 2. Pacific Press Publishing Association, 1999.

Theme 8: *Sarah, Plain and Tall*

- Session 4:** *Snowflake Bentley* by Jacqueline Briggs Martin. Houghton Mifflin Co., 1998.
Session 9: *Sarah Plain and Tall* (DVD). Hallmark Hall of Fame, 1999.
"The Warm Church" from *Windows of Heaven* by Patricia A. Habada, Sally J. McMillan, Blossom Engen, Frances Blahovich, 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 Publishers, 1984.
Session 2: *The Bible Story, Volume 6* by Arthur S. Maxwell. Pacific Press Publishing Association, 1957.
Session 3: *Wilfred Gordon McDonald Partridge* by Mem Fox. Kane/Miller Book Publishers, 1989.
The Bible Story, Volume 3 by Arthur S. Maxwell. Pacific Press Publishing Association, 1957.