

Level 1-4
Noah's Ark

Workbook

Teacher's Guide and Answer Key

Teacher's Guide

A. Summary

1. Book Summary

Noah's Ark is a story about a man who obeys God.

God is unhappy when He looks at the Earth and sees people being mean and bad. He decides to destroy everything. But there is one good man God wants to save. His name is Noah.

God tells Noah that He is going to flood the Earth, and only Noah and his family will survive. God tells Noah to build an ark. Noah listens carefully and obeys God.

When other people see Noah building the ark, they laugh at him. Noah tries to tell them why he is building the big boat, but they do not listen.

When the ark is finished, God tells Noah to get one boy and one girl of every kind of animal and put them on the ark.

When Noah shuts the door, it starts to rain. God floods the Earth. But everyone in the ark is happy because they are safe and dry. After forty days, God sends the wind. The water goes away.

God tells them the Earth is dry, and they can leave the ark. Noah's family goes outside and thanks God. God promises not to flood the Earth again.

2. Section Summary

► **Pages 6-11:** God decides to destroy the Earth. God saves Noah and his family. He tells Noah to build an ark. Noah listens to God. But people laugh at Noah.

► **Pages 12-15:** God tells Noah to fill the boat with one boy and one girl of every animal. When all the animals, food, and Noah's family are in the ark, God floods the Earth.

► **Pages 16-20:** The wind blows the water away. God says the Earth is dry. Noah and his family thank God. God says he will never flood the Earth again. Then He puts a rainbow in the sky.

B. Background and Themes

★ **God:** Many people believe that God created the Earth and everything on it. When He saw that people were being bad, He was very disappointed. He decided to destroy His creation. God is very powerful. It is wise for us to listen to Him and do what He tells us to do.

★ **Obedience:** When we do not listen to God, bad things can happen. Noah was very obedient and did what God told him to do. Because he was so obedient, God saved him and his family.

★ **Peer pressure:** Sometimes, people try to influence us to do things that we know are wrong. In this story, people tried to tell Noah he should not build an ark. They called him crazy and laughed at him. But Noah did not listen to them. Sometimes, people will make fun of us for our beliefs, but we should not let that stop us from doing what we know is right.

Answer Key

Part A. Story Focus

Before You Read

(Answers may vary.)

► Introduction

1. It is about Noah and his family.
2. They believe Moses wrote it.
3. It was written a long time ago.

► Characters

1. Noah	2. God	3. Noah's Family
<u>good</u> <u>listens</u> to God builds <u>an ark</u>	makes it <u>rain</u> causes <u>a flood</u> makes <u>a promise</u>	<u>happy</u> on the ark <u>dry</u> <u>safe</u>

While You Read

(Answers may vary.)

► Beginning: Pages 6-11

A. Preview Questions

1. It is about people who lived a time long ago.
2. I know the story about Adam and Eve.
3. It is good to listen to God because He will be proud of you.

B. Review Questions

1. He is unhappy because people are mean and bad.
2. He says He will flood the Earth.
3. They think he is crazy.

► Middle: Pages 12-15

A. Preview Questions

1. It is about Noah putting animals in the ark.
2. I know the story about the Titanic.
3. I think the ark will sink because it is so heavy.

B. Review Questions

1. He puts animals, food, and his family in the ark.
2. It starts to rain.
3. It rains for forty days.

► End: Pages 16-20

A. Preview Questions

1. It is about the water going away.
2. They can take messages to people.
3. There is an earthquake.

B. Review Questions

1. The wind makes the water go away.
2. He knows it because the bird does not come back.
3. They thank God.

Mini Quiz

a. A merry heart is like medicine.

→ People who are happy are usually healthier than those who are not happy.

b. The rich rule over the poor.

→ People with more money have more power than those with less money.

c. Obey God, and you will live.

→ Your life will be longer if you listen to God. If you choose to disobey Him, you will face bad consequences.

After You Read

(Answers may vary.)

► Pattern Practice

4. A: Are you sad?

B: No, I am not sad.

5. A: Are you sick?

B: Yes, I am sick.

► Challenge

1. They are mean and bad.

2. He puts animals in the ark.

3. They are happy because they are dry and safe.

4. He puts a rainbow in the sky.

Part B. Skill Focus

Vocabulary Preview

A.

- 1. e 2. i
- 3. c 4. g
- 5. b 6. d
- 7. a 8. j
- 9. h 10. f

B.

Across

- 2. begin 4. ark 5. sorry 7. family 9. wind

Down

- 1. unhappy 2. boat 3. sky 6. only 8. animal

Reading Comprehension

► Beginning: Pages 6-11

A.

1. F 2. F 3. T 4. T 5. F

B.

1. a 2. c 3. b 4. d

C.

1. c 2. c 3. a 4. d 5. b

► Middle: Pages 12-15

A.

1. F 2. T 3. T 4. F 5. F

B.

1. d 2. c 3. a 4. b

C.

1. d 2. b 3. c 4. a 5. d

► End: Pages 16-20

A.

1. T 2. F 3. F 4. F 5. T

B.

1. Noah

2. God

3. Bird

4. Noah's Family

C.

1. d 2. a 3. b 4. b 5. c

Think and Write

1. destroy
2. world
3. ark
4. animals
5. family
6. forty
7. dry
8. sky

Vocabulary Review

1. They are safe and dry in the ark.
2. Noah brings one boy and one girl of every animal.
3. God tells Noah He is going to destroy the Earth.
4. God puts a rainbow in the sky.
5. Noah builds an ark.
6. People laugh at Noah.
7. The bird does not go back to the ark.
8. God is unhappy with the world.
9. Noah opens a window.
10. The Earth is dry.

Summary

A.

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B.

1. God is unhappy because the people are bad.
2. People think Noah is crazy for building an ark.
3. Water covers the Earth.
4. God says He will never flood the Earth again.

Book Report

Story e → a → c → d → b