

Sunday School Grade 6 A.G.A.P.E. Curriculum

[Appreciating God-Given Abilities of Persons with Exceptionalities]



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- The AGAPE curriculum is for exceptional student education [ESE] for Sunday School. It is designed by the Coptic Orthodox Diocese of the Southern United States.
- This is a modified curriculum designed for individuals with special needs.
- This curriculum is intended to be taught alongside with the general Sunday School program for each grade.

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- Inclusion is an important aspect of the social and learning paradigm of individuals with special needs.
- Stewards serving children and youth with special needs should try to integrate the students in the mainstream classes for as much time as can be tolerated by the student with special needs.
- Integration and inclusion foster friendships among the same age peer group.

Preparation for Why Christ is Incarnated?

Lessons for the Month of January

- **Lesson Outline: Week 2**

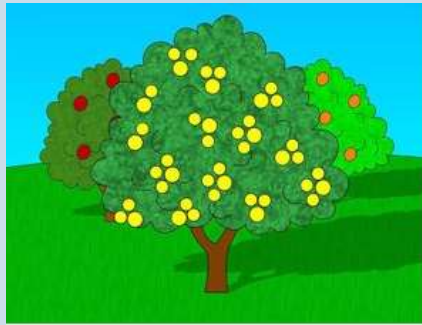
- God told Adam and Eve not to eat from a special tree.
- Adam and Eve disobeyed God and ate from the special tree.
- Adam and Eve had to leave paradise. God closed the paradise door.
- God sent his only son Jesus Christ to wipe out our sins and reopen paradise.
- Jesus Christ is the only perfect man ever born. He came to save us.
- Jesus Christ gave us the Holy communion so our sins can always be forgiven.

Word Bank

- Love



- Special Tree



- Disobey



- Paradise



- Perfect man



- Communion



Objective: To understand how much our Lord Jesus Christ loves us.

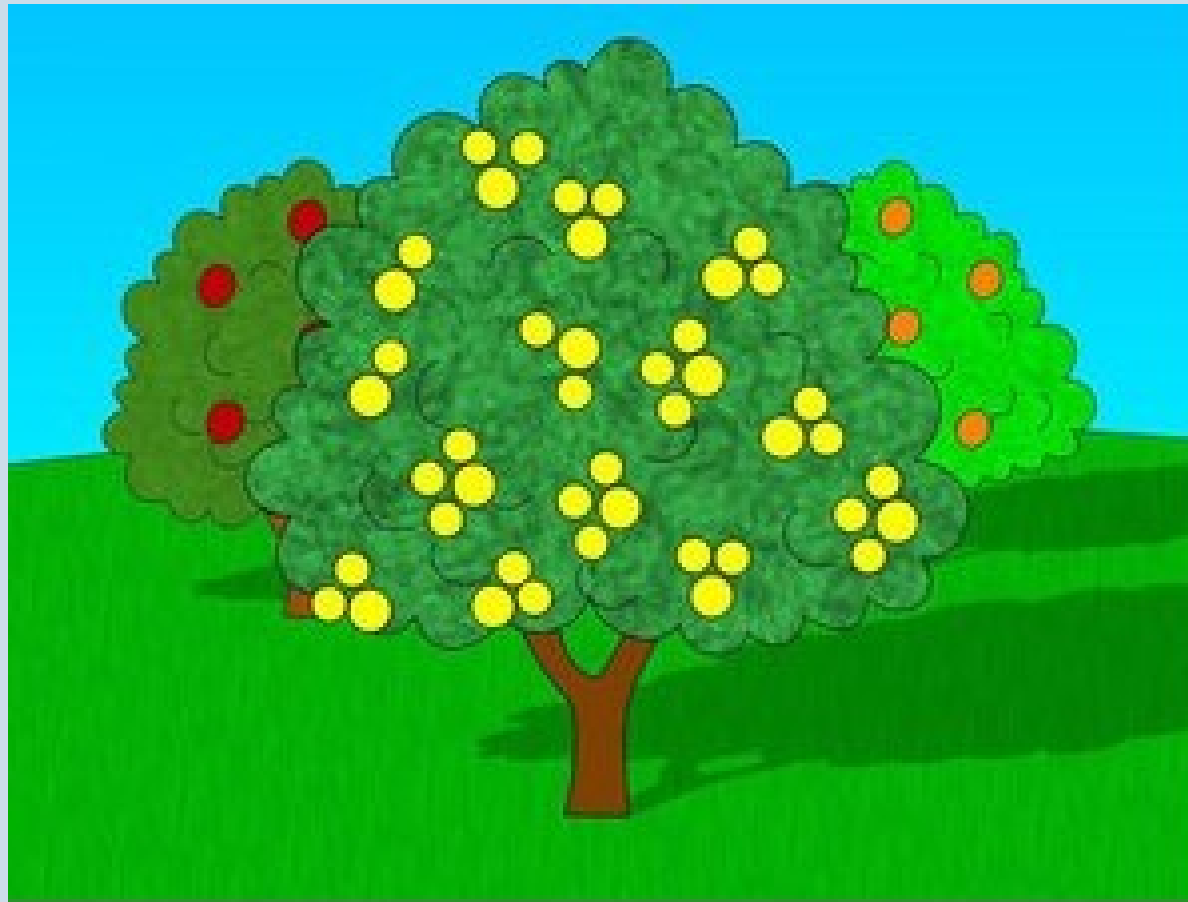


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**Memory Verse: “For God so loved the world that He gave his only begotten son”
(John 3:16)**



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Why Christ is Incarnated?

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- **Conclusion**

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- To God be the glory, forever, Amen.

Resources

- Application
 - Coordinate a time for A.G.A.P.E. students to interact with non- A.G.A.P.E. students.
- Activities—Customize according to student abilities, speech, and fine and gross motor skills.
 - Coloring/Painting
 - Cut and Paste
 - Music/Games
- References
 - <http://www.suscopts.org/ssc/Grade06.pdf>