

# Sunday School Grade 4 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.

# **Sunday School Grade 4**

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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 Angels: Ranks, Nature and Work

## Lessons for the Month of December

### • Lesson Outline: Week 3

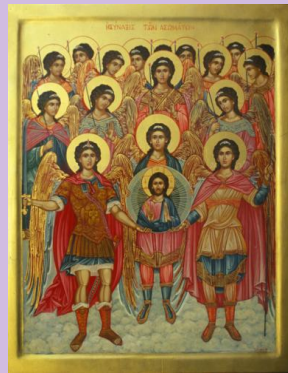
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- There are different ranks. The Archangels is the highest. There are 7 Archangels.
- The names are Michael, Gabriel, Rafael, Souriel, Sedakiel, Sarathiel and Ananiel.
- The Cherubim and Seraphim have six wings. They carry the throne of God.
- Archangel Gabriel announced the birth of Jesus and St. John the Baptist.
- Each one of us has a guardian angel. They take care of us always.

# Word Bank

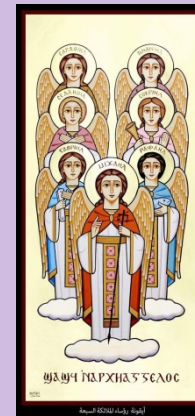
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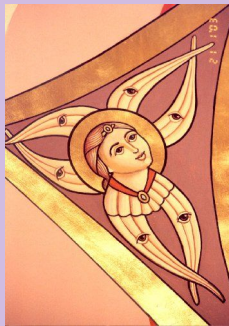
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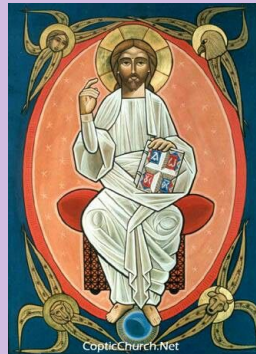
- Archangels



- Cherubim and Seraphim



- Throne



- Guardian Angel



**Objective: The angels love and care for us as they are God's messengers.**



**Memory Verse: “Who makes His angels spirits And His ministers a flame of fire.” (Heb. 1:7)**





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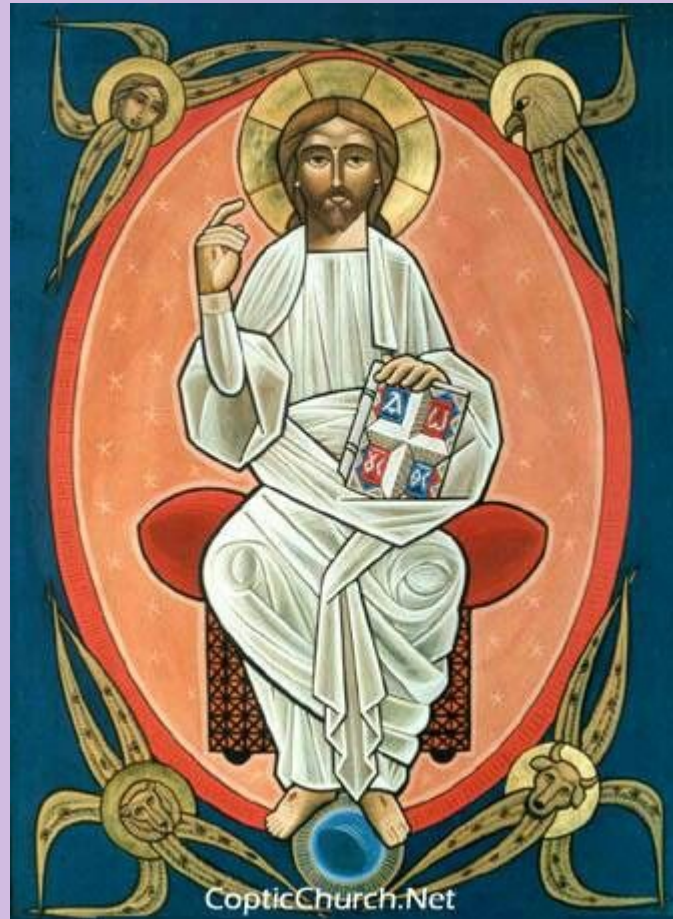
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- **Conclusion**

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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/Grade04.pdf>