

Sunday School Grade 10

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 St. Takla Hymanot

Lessons for the Month of August

- **Lesson Outline: Week 4**

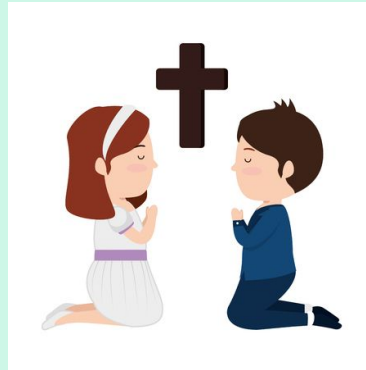
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- The angel of the Lord appeared to them. A year later St. Takla was born.
- He performed his first miracle when he was an infant. He increased the flour and the oil. His family was able to feed the poor.
- At 15 years old he was ordained deacon. Then he was ordained a priest by the Ethiopian bishop Abba Cyril.
- He performed many miracles and healed many people.
- The rope, that was leading him down the mountain, broke. The onlookers saw six wings appear and carried him safely. He was not hurt.

Word Bank

- St. Takla



- Childless



- Appear



- Flour and Oil



- Mountain



- Rope



Objective: To familiarize ourselves with the lives of the saints and learn from them.



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Memory Verse: “Humble yourselves in the sight of the Lord, and He will lift you up” (James 4:10).



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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/Grade10.pdf>