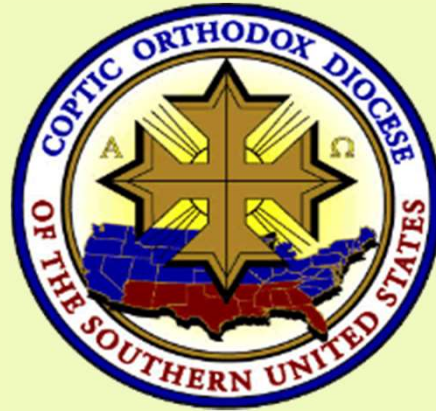


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[Appreciating God-Given Abilities of Persons with Exceptionalities]



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- The A.G.A.P.E. 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 Atheism

Lessons for the Month of November

- **Lesson Outline: Week 1**

- Atheists believe that there is no God or devil, no such thing as sin. The universe is materialistic and measurable.
- God exists. We live on a “just right” planet and in a “just right” universe. This is evidence that a loving God created it all.
- Sense of right and wrong came from God. All cultures believe that murdering, lying, cheating and stealing are wrong.
- Our world and we ourselves have been finely crafted with intentional design. A design implies a designer (God).
- The Holy Bible is the word of God. He communicated His thoughts and intent through human writers.
- The unity of the Bible and the hundreds of fulfilled prophecies in it show the mind of God behind His creation. Jesus is the clearest evidence of all that God does exist.

Word Bank

- Universe



- Creation



- Cultures



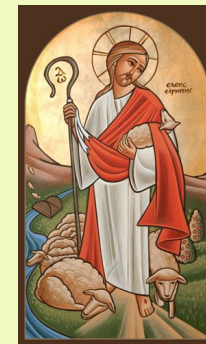
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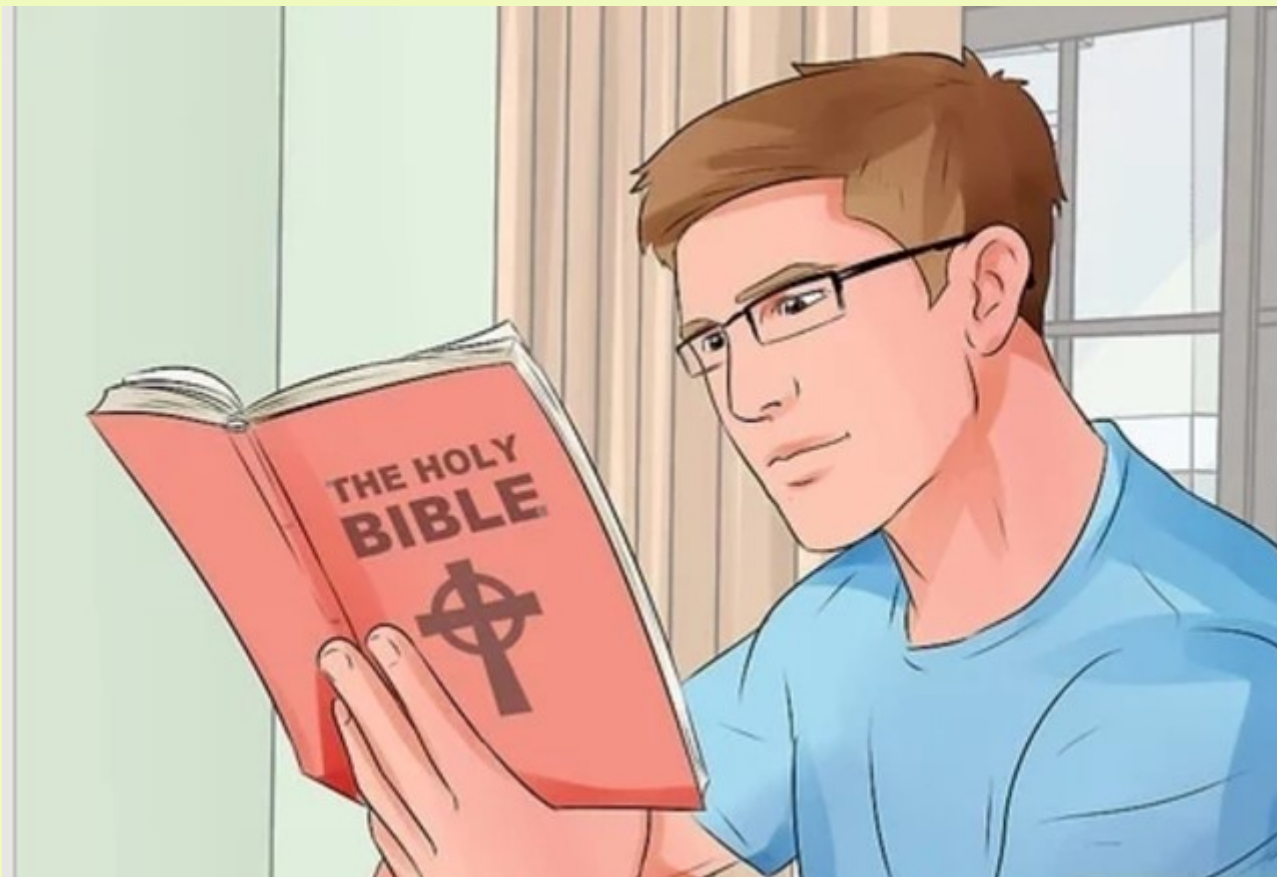
- Word of God



- Prophecies



**Objective: To know what atheists believe.
To learn how to answer them and give
them proof of God's existence.**



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Memory Verse: “Seek the Lord while He may be found. Call upon Him while He is near” (Isaiah 55:6).



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Atheism

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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/Grade12.pdf>