

Sunday School Grade 7

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 The Meaning of the Phrase: My Private Life is Mine Lessons for the Month of October

- **Lesson Outline: Week 1**

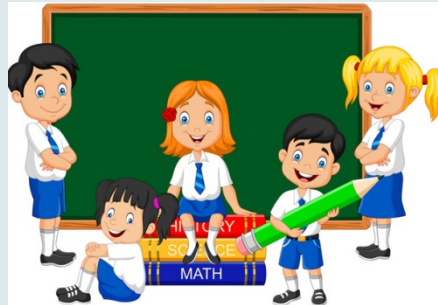
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- Know the true means that will help you achieve your goal. Those means should include the Lord.
- Because of the Lord, Joshua was victorious over Jericho. He distributed the land and gave each tribe the part appointed to them by the Lord.
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Word Bank

- Body of Christ



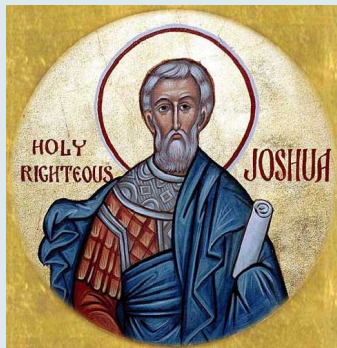
- Goal



- Include the Lord



- Prophet Joshua



- God's Children



- Liberty



**Objective: The Lord gave us liberty and
Liberty is to shoulder responsibility.**



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**Memory Verse: “All things are lawful for me, but not all things are helpful; all things are lawful for me, but not all things edify”
(1 Corinthians 10:23)**

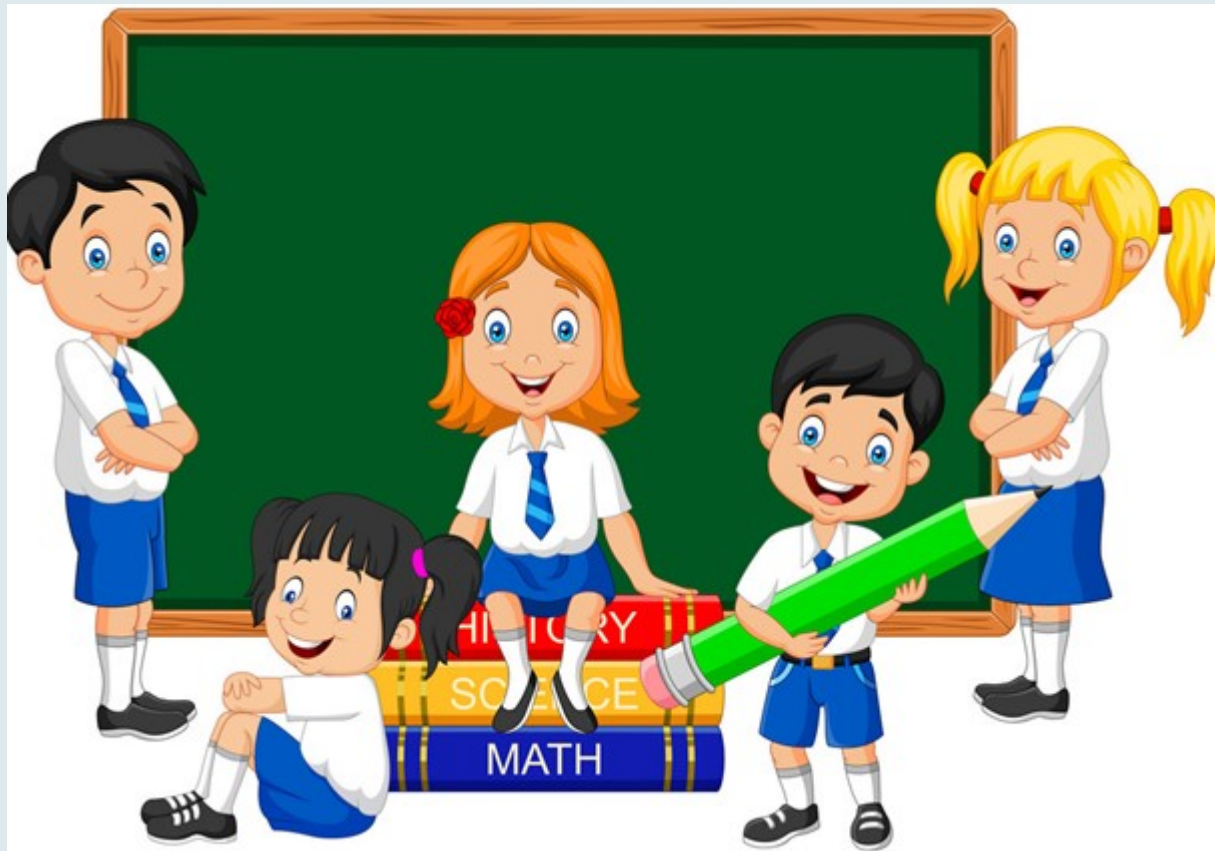


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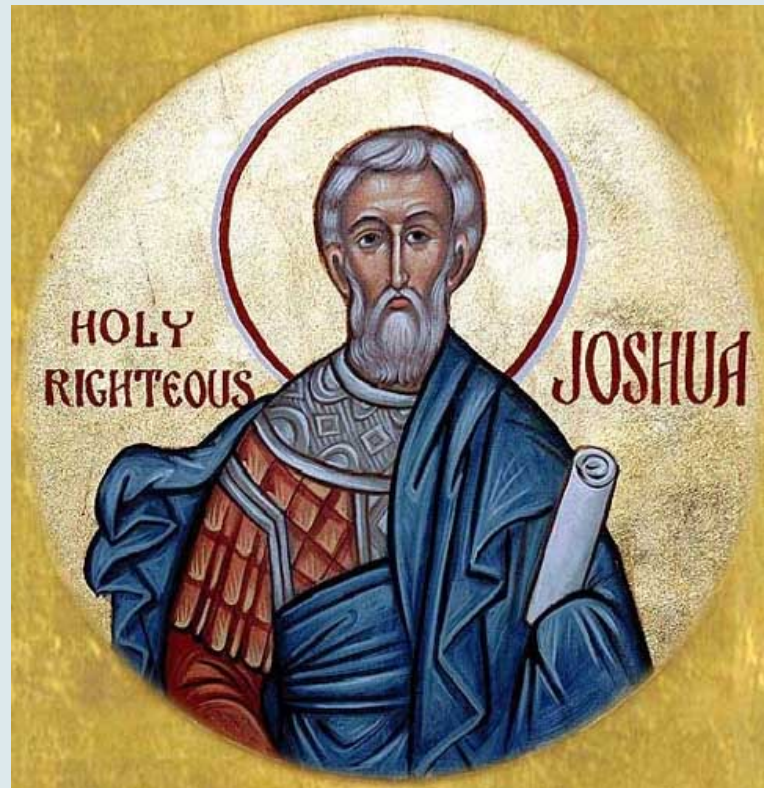
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The Meaning of the Phrase: My Private Life is Mine

Lessons for the Month of October

- **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/Grade07.pdf>