



FINE ARTS

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## discipleship dimension: bible

### DIMENSION OBJECTIVE:

Learn to obey Scripture and mentor others in applying the Bible to all areas of life.



# Lead a Legacy

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### scripture

“But you must remain faithful to the things you have been taught. You know they are true, for you know you can trust those who taught you. You have been taught the holy Scriptures from childhood, and they have given you the wisdom to receive the salvation that comes by trusting in Christ Jesus. All Scripture is inspired by God and is useful to teach us what is true and to make us realize what is wrong in our lives. It corrects us when we are wrong and teaches us to do what is right. God uses it to prepare and equip his people to do every good work.”

**2 Timothy 3:14–17**

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### discover

I grew up going to church. Both sets of grandparents were pastors, my parents were pastors, and now my siblings and I are all pastors. It's a rich legacy I am very proud to come from, but I know not everyone has that same story.

But you know what? My grandparents didn't get there on their own. Someone had to teach them about who God is and what the Bible says. They learned how to grow their faith and prayer life in order to even have a legacy to lead.

Middle school and high school can often feel like a scary time, wondering what you should do with your life and what the future holds. I believe as you seek the Lord those things will become evident to you in God's timing. But I know for a fact that no matter what you are doing now or feel called to in the future, God wants all of us to go and make disciples (Matthew 28:19). What did Jesus' twelve disciples do? They went across the world with the gospel. And your role as a Christian is to follow their lead—to go and make disciples in your home, school, and community.

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**develop**

If you look back on the Scripture we read at the beginning, do you believe it? Do you agree with every part of that Scripture? Discuss as a group your thoughts on this passage and how you can help each other understand the truth in it. Talk through as a group who you can disciple and mentor in the faith and in God's Word this year. Maybe it's someone in this group who is new to faith or a family member or close friend.

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**deploy**

Continue to study God's Word! Going forward, consider asking another member on your team to lead a devotional each practice. Remember to share with each other what you are reading on your own from the Bible—talk about what you learned and ask questions if you have any. The Bible says, "As iron sharpens iron, so a friend sharpens a friend." (Proverbs 27:17). I encourage you to step up, lead, and mentor others in faith as you follow God's directive to go and make disciples.

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**prayer**

**Pray over your friends and family, coworkers and classmates. Speak names out loud of those who need to come to know Christ, who need help in their faith walk, or who need healing. Pray that you can be the disciple God is sending out to raise up more disciples who know His Word and live it out! Pray that you will all continue to grow in your knowledge of the Bible and can mentor others.**