Core Concepts - Summary Document Assessment

PRE-KINDERGARTEN: Jesus made me, God is love

Grade Level Overview

Essential Questions are broad in scope and timeless by nature. They point to the core of the big ideas within a discipline. They are asked to stimulate ongoing thinking and inquiry. The answers will evolve as understanding deepens.

Essential Questions:
1. Who does God love?  
2. Who is God?  
3. Who did God send?  
4. Who is our Family?  
5. Whom do you love?  
6. Where is God?  
7. Why do we praise God?

DIRECTIONS: The vocabulary and the assessment questions encapsulate the grade level learning. The standards will help you unpack the questions. You may use these questions as a pre- or post-assessment to gauge student knowledge.

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| **Task 1** Knowledge of Faith | creation  
heaven  
Earth  
angels  
Guardian Angel  
Bible  
Jesus  
Sign of the Cross  
Holy Family | 1. Who created everything and everybody in the world? (CCC 280)  
2. What is special about the Bible? (CCC 101-114)  
3. Say the Sign of the Cross. (CCC 2157)  
4. What do angels do for us? (CCC 328-336)  
5. Who is Jesus? (CCC 430-445, 452-455) |
| **Task 2** Liturgical Education | church  
Mass  
worship  
altar  
chalice  
liturgical calendar  
vestments  
crucifix/cross  
Baptism  
Advent  
Christmas  
Lent  
Easter | 6. What do we see at Mass? (CCC 1378, 1388, 1332, 2180)  
7. Why do we go to Mass? (CCC 2180, 1388, 2192, 1651)  
8. What do we remember and celebrate at Christmas? (CCC 512, 525-526)  
9. What do we remember and celebrate during Easter? (CCC 512, 1168, 1009)  
10. What is Baptism?  
11. Name some examples of the important events we celebrate in Church. (CCC 1168)  
12. Students will identify the colors used within the liturgical year |
| **Task 3** Moral Education | Golden Rule  
Sin  
Right from Wrong  
Good Choices | 13. How do we show God’s love? (CCC 2067, 2052, 2053)  
14. How does God want us to treat other people? (CCC 2052) |
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| **Task 4** Prayer  | Blessings                        | 15. When we pray, who do we talk to? (CCC 2781, 2742, 2602)  
16. What are the different ways we can pray?  
**Pre-Kindergarten Prayers**  
The Sign of the Cross  
Guardian Angel Prayer  
Grace Before Meals  
*Record on Student Prayer Completion Card* |
| **Task 5** Life, Community and History of the Church | priest  
Pope  
Mary  
Joseph  
miracle  
saint | 17. Who helps us celebrate Mass? (CCC 1597-1598)  
18. Who is the Mother of God? (CCC 495)  
19. Who is Jesus’ Father on earth? (CCC 437, 564, 1655) |
| **Task 6** Missionary Spirit | friend  
serve | 20. How can I show that I love God? (CCC 1844, 2052, 733, 736) |