

Dear Ministry Friends,

In real churches across America, faithful teachers like you are making an eternal difference in children's lives. We know you're balancing many responsibilities while trying to give kids the solid foundation of God's Word they desperately need.

That's why we created FOUNDATIONS - a complete ready-to-teach curriculum to take kids through the essential stories of the Bible. We've done the preparation work so you can focus on what matters most - helping children experience the love of Jesus.

Whether you're teaching 2 kids or 20, FOUNDATIONS helps you create meaningful Sunday morning experiences where children connect with God's Word.

Serving Christ together,

Tony Kummer

The Sunday School Store

# FOUNDATIONS 2025 Scope & Sequence

Dates	Count	Section Theme	Description	Why It's Foundational
Jan 5 - Apr 6, 2025	14	The Ministry of Jesus: God's Kingdom Revealed	Explores Jesus' teachings and miracles	Presents Jesus' teachings, miracles, and example for Christian living
Apr 13 - May 4, 2025	4	The Passion and Resurrection: The Heart of the Gospel	Focuses on Jesus' death and resurrection	Explains the central events of salvation: Christ's death and resurrection
May 11 - Jun 1, 2025	4	The Early Church: The Gospel Spreads	Covers Pentecost and early church growth	Shows the empowerment of believers and the expansion of God's kingdom
Jun 8 - Aug 3, 2025	9	Letters to the Churches: Living Out the Faith	Explores New Testament epistles	Provides practical instruction for Christian life and theology
Aug 10 - Sept 14, 2025	6	The Law of Moses: God's Covenant and Character	Covers creation, fall, early patriarchs, and the exodus	Establishes God's nature, humanity's relationship with Him, and the need for redemption
Sep 21 - Oct 12, 2025	4	The History of Israel: God's Faithfulness to His People	Explores Joshua, Judges, and early monarchy	Demonstrates God's ongoing involvement in human history and His commitment to His promises
Oct 19 - Nov 9, 2025	4	Wisdom and Worship: Relating to God	Focuses on Psalms and wisdom literature	Teaches how to approach God, express faith, and apply divine wisdom to daily life
Nov 16 - Dec 7, 2025	4	The Prophets: God's Messengers and Future Hope	Introduces major and minor prophets	Reveals God's will, warnings, and the promise of a coming Messiah
Dec 14 - Dec 28, 2025	3	God Became Human: God's Plan To Save	Covers the meaning of Jesus' Birth.	Introduces Jesus as God incarnate and the fulfillment of prophecy.

### Unit 1 - The Ministry of Jesus

Date	Bible Story	Scripture Reference
January 5	Jesus is the Lamb of God	John 1
January 12	Becoming Disciples	Matthew 4
January 19	Salt and Light	Matthew 5
January 26	The Ministry of Jesus	Matthew 9
February 2	Never Thirst Again	John 4
February 9	Jesus Heals Sick Souls	Mark 5
February 16	The Parable of the Sower	Matthew 13
February 23	Jesus Feeds the Five Thousand	Matthew 14
March 2	Jesus and Peter Walk on Water	Matthew 14
March 9	The Good Samaritan	Luke 10
March 16	Mary and Martha	Luke 10
March 23	The Prodigal Son	Luke 15
March 30	Jesus Answers John the Baptist	Matthew 11
April 6	Jesus and Zacchaeus	Luke 19

### Unit 2 - The Passion and Resurrection

Date	Bible Story	Scripture Reference
April 13	Triumphal Entry of Palm Sunday	Mark 11
April 20	He is Risen	John 20
April 27	Doubting Thomas	John 20
May 4	Jesus on the Road to Emmaus	Luke 24

### Unit 3 - The Early Church

Date	Bible Story	Scripture Reference
May 11	The Ascension of Jesus	Acts 1 & Luke 24
May 18	Happy Birthday Church	Acts 2
May 25	Peter and Cornelius	Acts 10
June 1	Paul and Silas in Prison	Acts 16

#### Unit 4 - Letters to the Churches

Date	Bible Story	Scripture Reference
June 8	God's Grace vs. Adam's Sin	Romans 5
June 15	What's Your Spiritual Gift?	1 Corinthians 12
June 22	I am Weak, but He is Strong	2 Corinthians 12
June 29	Fruit of the Spirit	Galatians 5
July 6	The Armor of God	Ephesians 6
July 13	Jesus Doesn't Change!	Hebrews 5:1-10, 13:6-8
July 20	The Hall of Faith	Hebrews 11
July 27	Love in Action	1 John 3:16-24
August 3	The New Heaven and the New Earth	Revelation 21

#### Unit 5 - The Law of Moses

Date	Bible Story	Scripture Reference
August 10	Made for One Another	Genesis 2:18-24
August 17	The Greatest Sacrifice	Genesis 22:1-14
August 24	God's Protection of Baby Moses	Exodus 1:8-2:10
August 31	Passover Promises	Exodus 12:1-14
September 7	The Ten Commandments	Exodus 20:1-17
September 14	Lifted Up to Rescue	Numbers 21:4-9

### Unit 6 - The History of Israel

Date	Bible Story	Scripture Reference
September 21	David and Goliath	1 Samuel 17:1-23; 32-51
September 28	God Says Wait	2 Samuel 7:1-17
October 5	Take a Break - Elijah	1 Kings 19:1-13
October 12	The God of Second Chances	Jonah 3:1-10 & 1:1-17

## Unit 7 - Wisdom and Worship

Date	Bible Story	Scripture Reference
October 19	Make a Joyful Noise	Psalm 100:1-5; Psalm 95:1-7
October 26	Praise the Lord!	Psalm 147:1-20
November 2	The Wisdom of Proverbs	Proverbs 1:1-7, 22-30
November 9	Beyond Comprehension	Job 38:1-7, 34-41

## Unit 8 - The Prophets

Date	Bible Story	Scripture Reference
November 16	The Valley of Dry Bones	Ezekiel 37
November 23	God's Word Endures	Isaiah 40
November 30	The New Creation	Isaiah 65
December 7	In the Potter's Hands	Isaiah 64:1-9

#### Unit 9 - God Became Human

Date	Bible Story	Scripture Reference
December 14	Shine in the Darkness	John 1
December 21	Three in One	Selected Scriptures
December 28	The Humble Example of Jesus	Philippians 2:1-18