

Course: 8th grade Bible

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Description of Class: Old Testament Survey beginning in Genesis. We will take an in-depth look at the book of Genesis along with the different cultures that emerged and battles that ensued. We will also do character studies of the people within the book of Genesis, progressing outward to other Old Testament books.

Goals: The goal is to give the student a historical perspective of the bible setting along with a fresh look on the characters of the bible and what they faced along with how they handled each situation. This class will focus in on Genesis and the cultures that emerged from the fall in Genesis 3. We will look at the calling of Abraham and how developed faith.

Expectations:

1. Participation: for each child to participate in group discussion in a respectful manner
2. Responsibility: to be prepared for class (having assignments done on time) and reading the assigned readings each week
3. Correct documentation for each writing assignments (which we will work on)

Assignments: Assignments are broken down into three categories

1. Weekly Writing Assignments 25% of grade
2. Quizzes/Tests 25% of grade
3. Projects 50% of grade

Lesson Plans: Lesson plans will be up two weeks in advance for students and parents to view on MySchoolWorkx.

Make-Up Work: It is the student's responsibility to make sure they are up to date on all assignments. I try diligently to work with each student's needs and time restraints due to illness or the need to be out. Students have one week to get make-up assignments unless other arrangements have been made.

Communication: Please email me through MySchoolWorks, I check that on a daily basis.

Supplies: Bible, two notebooks, pen or pencil