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General Goals:							
		I		To see the Bible as the story of God's acts and words, written so that His people might know God and themselves.			
		II		To accept His gift of salvation.			
		III		To learn that students can find answers in the Word of God for themselves.			
Student Ou	itcomes:						
		I		The students will be able to study the life of Moses through the Book of Exodus.			
		II		The students will be able to develop their internal character by defining character qualities from the Old and New Testaments, as well as the life of Christ.			
		III		The students will be able to memorize Scripture that is applicable to their own lives.		wn lives.	
		IV		The students will be able to apply information learned in the Bible to form personal decision in how to act and behave.		personal decisions	
UNIT/ WEEKS	STANDA	ARD		OBJECTIVES	ACTIVITIES/ASSESSMENT	RESOURCES	
Unit 1: God Gives Us Promises 2 weeks	MN Engl Language Arts Standards 2.2.1.1 2.8.1.1 2.8.2.2 2.8.4.4	e s:	childrread aexplai Christdescri	fy some promises God has given His	 Bible study/exploration Character Trait activities Student workbook Quizzes Scripture memory 	 Finding God's Promises 2nd Grade Teacher Edition Finding God's Promises 2nd Grade Student Edition ESV Bible Craft materials 	

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Unit 2:		Students will:	Bible study/exploration	• Finding God's Promises 2 nd
God	2.2.1.1	 explain that God created all things and said 	 Character Trait activities 	Grade Teacher Edition
Creates the		they were "very good."	Student workbook	• Finding God's Promises 2 nd
World	2.8.1.1	• brainstorm and write about things in creation	• Quizzes	Grade Student Edition
		they are thankful to God for.	Scripture memory	• ESV Bible
5 weeks	2.8.2.2	• compare God to gods, showing that God is a	Scripture memory	• Craft materials
		living being who can hear us and answer our		
	2.8.4.4	prayers.		
		• explain that we are not like plants and animals		
	5.1.3.3	because we are made in the image of God.		
		 create a picture of the Garden of Eden to 		
		demonstrate that it was a perfect place to live.		
		• explain that God walked and talked with Adam		
		and Eve in the Garden of Eden.		
		• explain that sin separates us from God.		
		• explain why we were born with a sin nature		
		and tendency to sin (because of the sin of		
		Adam and Even).		
		• explain that God promises a Savior to save us		
		from our sin.		
		compare Jesus and an Old Testament lamb to		
		show the symbolism between them.		
		• explain that only the blood of Jesus Christ can		
		wash away our sin.		
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Unit 3		Students will:	Bible study/exploration	• Finding God's Promises 2 nd
God	2.2.1.1	• explain that God had a special nation of people	• Character Trait activities	Grade Teacher Edition
Prepares a		called the Israelites.	Student workbook	• Finding God's Promises 2 nd
Leader	2.2.6.6	• explain that the Israelites were slaves in Egypt.	• Quizzes	Grade Student Edition
		• explain that God promised the Israelites that	Scripture memory	• ESV Bible
7 weeks	2.8.1.1	they would one day live in their homeland.		Craft materials
		• explain that God has a purpose for all he does.		
	2.8.2.2	• explain that God wants us to obey Him, and		
	2044	He will complete His purposes.		
	2.8.4.4	 explain that God thinks of each of us 		
		constantly.		
		• explain that God will protect us if we are		
		obedient to Him.		
		• explain that God had a special plan for them		
		before they were born, and write some ideas of		
		God's purpose for them right now.		
		• explain that God wants us to admit when we		
		are wrong.		
		• explain what <i>holy</i> means (perfect and without sin) and that God is holy.		
		• explain that we are not perfect, but God is, and		
		we must be humble when approaching Him.		
		• recognize that we can trust God to be with us		
		through every circumstance.		
		• describe how everyone, including Moses, is		
		afraid sometimes.		
		• explain that we don't have to be afraid if we		
		trust in God.		
		• recognize that God wants us to learn to trust		
		and obey Him completely.		
		• discover in the Bible that when we obey our		

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		 parents, we are also obeying God. recognize that God wants us to learn to obey immediately. recall and/or describe key events and people in the life of Moses before the Israelites were delivered. 		
Unit 4 God Delivers His People 9 weeks	2.2.1.1 2.2.6.6 2.8.1.1 2.8.2.2 2.8.4.4	 Students will: describe some signs God used to let the people know He had not forgotten them. explain that sometimes things seem to get more difficult when God is trying to help us, but in the end He will always do what is best for us. discover in the Bible that God has given us special talents and we are responsible to use our talents properly. explain that God wants us to do our work well, and He will reward us. explain that Moses had a special responsibility to bring the children of Israel out of Egypt and into freedom. explain that God is the only one worthy of our worship. explain that Satan is the evil one who has great power in this world, and his character is the 	 Bible study/exploration Character Trait activities Student workbook Quizzes Scripture memory 	 Finding God's Promises 2nd Grade Teacher Edition Finding God's Promises 2nd Grade Student Edition ESV Bible Craft materials

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		opposite • recall and/or describe some key events in the life of Moses from speaking to Pharoah until the Passover.		
Unit 5		Students will:	Bible study/exploration	• Finding God's Promises 2 nd
God Guides His	2.2.1.1	• describe the journey the Israelites made to Canaan	Character Trait activities	Grade Teacher Edition
People	2.2.6.6	 explain that God always finds a way to show 	Student workbookQuizzes	• Finding God's Promises 2 nd Grade Student Edition
12 weeks	2011	us that He is caring for us and protecting us.	Scripture memory	• ESV Bible
	2.8.1.1	describe the Holy Spirit.describe how God took care of the Israelites at		Craft materials
	2.8.2.2	the Red Sea.		
	2.8.4.4	• explain the difference between "afraid" and		
	2.0	"trust" when talking about the fear of the Lord. • explain how Pharaoh is an example of		
		someone who received the judgement of God		
		because of his continual disobedience to God.describe promises in the Old and New		
		Testament that say God is with us always.		
		• explain that it is natural to grumble or murmur		
		against God, but we need to learn to have a grateful attitude.		
		• explain that murmuring against people or		
		situations is really murmuring against God.		
		• describe the Sabbath day as a day of rest and worship.		
		• list some traits of God, such as kindness,		
		patience, holiness, and truthfulness.		
		• fill in blanks to show understanding of the		

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story of Mount Sinai.	
• explain that God gave us commandments to	
help us, teach us how to live, and protect us.	
• define terms used in the Ten Commandments.	
• fill in blanks to show understanding of the	
story of the Golden Calf.	
• describe the tabernacle as a special altar for	
sacrifices, where God's people could worship	
him.	
• explain why we don't need to offer animal	
sacrifices anymore.	
• recognize that complaining is a sin God will	
judge.	
• put the first 5 books of the Bible in the correct	
order.	
• explain that God showed Moses the Promised	
Land before Moses died because God never	
goes back on his promises.	
• explain that God had a new leader prepared to	
take the people into the Promised Land when	
Moses died.	