

Welcome to *The Core* SAMPLE

Therefore, as you received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk with him, rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving.
Colossians 2:6-7 (ESV)

What is it?

The Core is a year-long curriculum designed to help students grow deep roots of faith. It's an easy-to-use resource that teaches eight core principles of discipleship through Bible study lessons. Each lesson builds on the last to keep discipleship at the center of your student ministry. Week after week you will teach solid Biblical truth paired with engaging experiences that encourage students to exercise their growing faith.

Lessons in *The Core* are divided into 8 “Roots” (or principles) of discipleship. Each Root has its own theme, animated video, lessons, and even a series of bonus Sermons/Large Group Talks for ministries that meet in multiple contexts.



Each lesson utilizes these key elements: A Bible study, modern day examples, discussion questions, an experiential activity, a focus on clear life application, and additional illustrations or object lessons.

What's included in *The Core*?*

- 40 Lessons (divided into smaller, 5-lesson roots) (PDF and Word)
- 36 Bonus Sermons/Large Group Talks
- Parent Guides (with questions and suggested experiences for the whole family)
- Media and Graphics
- Animated videos for each of the 8 Roots
- Leader Prep Videos (for anyone leading lessons).

*this sample includes one lesson, sermon, parent guide, video, etc.

***The Core* is designed to be the foundational curriculum for the *Deep Discipleship* system and resources.



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What do I do next?

It's simple. Included in this sample is one lesson from the "Rescue Root" set of lessons. Open the folder entitled *RESCUE ROOT* and you'll find the lesson and a parent guide for the series. Open the *MEDIA AND GRAPHICS* folder and you'll find additional items, including an animated video for students and additional leader prep videos.