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KIDS' WISDOM

Responsibility

PursueGODkids.org**Slide: Welcome***(Start kid's countdown once all classes are present.)*

Hey kids! Welcome to Kid's Church. I'm so glad you could be here today.

Slide: Series Intro

Today we are learning about something really, really important. It's something called responsibility! Have any of you ever heard of responsibility? (allow kids to answer). Good! Can anyone tell me what responsibility means? (allow kids to answer). Awesome! Responsibility is all about taking care of your own stuff.

We'll learn more about that in a few minutes, but first let's stand and sing a song!

Song*Another Day*

Good job! I think God loves hearing all your voices praising him! Now let's say our Big Idea together.

Slide: Big Idea*All together:*

Responsibility is about taking care of your own stuff. **(Repeat)**

Video*Play lesson video.***Slide: Recap**

So, what did we learn from the video today? Let's review...

- What are babies responsible for? (nothing)
- When do you get more responsibility? (when you start to grow up)
- True or False: Responsibility is about taking care of your own stuff. (T)

Being responsible is something that's very important, and as we grow up, we have to get better and better at it. Right now you have to be responsible for doing your homework,

keeping your room clean, being nice to your siblings, and obeying your parents. Someday you'll become a teenager and be responsible for things like applying for college and maybe driving a car. Then, you'll become an adult and have to be responsible for a job, paying your bills, and maybe even having a family. See, as you grow up your responsibilities change and grow. You'll have a lot more stuff to take care of! But, being responsible isn't just about taking care of physical things, it's also about being responsible for the way you think and act.

That reminds me of our memory verse. Let's all stand and say it together.

Slide: Memory Verse

"For we are each (point to self) responsible for our own conduct (march in place)." Galatians 6:5 *(Repeat)*

The word "conduct" just means the way we act. When we're toddlers, we throw fits and cry when we don't get our way, right? But as we get older, we start to realize that doing that will get us into trouble and our friends might not want to be around us. Instead, we learn to be more responsible with our feelings and how we should express them.

Another way we grow in responsibility is in how we treat people. It can be really easy to be mean to our siblings when they get on our nerves but God wants us to be patient with them and love them no matter what.

So next time you are annoyed with your siblings or don't get your way, remember that a big part of being responsible is by taking care of the way you act. So be responsible with your things and your conduct. That's a big part of growing up!

Now let's all stand and sing one last song together.

Song

Lean On Me

Okay, let's all say the Big Idea together one last time!

Slide: Big Idea

Responsibility is about taking care of your own stuff. *(Repeat)*

Slide: Let's Pray

Pray and release the kids to small group.