

# *5th Grade: Possessing the Land*

## **Suggested Weekly Schedule**

### **what you need**

Each child should have a Student Manual and Bible. You will need a Teacher's Manual, which includes the Target Truths, Teaching Strategies, Vocabulary, Character Trait Activities, quizzes with quiz answer key, Scripture memory, and music curriculum. The Teacher's Manual also includes facsimiles of the Student Manual pages with all answers filled in.

### **the theme**

This year, you will cover 35 weekly Bible lessons based on a survey of the Old Testament. Beginning in Genesis, your child will gain a much clearer perspective of how the stories of the Old Testament fit together into one pattern. While the schedule below shows what a typical week might look like, feel free to adjust it to your family's schedule.

### **the goal**

Be sure your child completes the **Conquering the Enemy** application section at the end of each lesson. The goal of this study is not just to complete the workbook and lessons—it is to understand God better, learning how to apply His principles to our lives.

### **tips for this study**

- At the beginning of the week, introduce your child to the lesson by reading the vocabulary words and definitions, and by sharing the **Target Truths** and **Teaching Strategies**.
- Read over the **Character Trait Activities** ahead of time—as some require more time to complete—and assign any you feel are beneficial to your child.
- Allow your child to continue independently with the Student Manual work throughout the week, giving help where needed. By completing one section per day—sections are denoted by colored sub-headings—your child will probably be able to complete the day's study in 10–15 minutes, depending on whether you include **Character Trait Activities**, Scripture memory, and music.
- At the end of the week, share the **Life Application** story and discussion, correct all work, and review. The weekly quiz is an evaluation tool you may use as a graded component if necessary.

Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduce <b>Vocabulary</b></li> <li>• Share <b>Target Truths</b> and <b>Teaching Strategies</b></li> <li>• Assign <b>Character Trait Activities</b></li> <li>• Work on first section of Student Manual</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Continue next section of Student Manual work</li> <li>• Work on any assigned <b>Character Trait Activities</b></li> <li>• Review Scripture memory verses</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Continue next section of Student Manual work</li> <li>• Work on any assigned <b>Character Trait Activities</b></li> <li>• Review Scripture memory verses</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Continue next section of Student Manual work</li> <li>• Work on any assigned <b>Character Trait Activities</b></li> <li>• Review Scripture memory verses</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Complete Student Manual work and <b>Character Trait Activities</b></li> <li>• Correct student work</li> <li>• Review <b>Target Truths</b></li> <li>• Recite Scripture memory verses</li> <li>• Take quiz</li> </ul>

## optional components

A **Scripture Memory Program** is included in each lesson. If you choose to follow this plan, your child will review the memory verses daily and recite the verses to you at the end of the week. You may wish to reward your child for each Scripture memory accomplishment.

The **Music Curriculum** is designed to introduce children to traditional hymns of faith, as well as several choruses. The music lyrics are printed in the Teacher’s Manual and the back of the Student Manual, and a CD of the music is available through our website. You can find instructions on using this feature in the Teacher’s Manual.

## more resources

For the latest resources on homeschooling with Positive Action Bible Curriculum, visit [positiveaction.org/homeschool](http://positiveaction.org/homeschool).

And if you have any questions about using our curriculum, feel free to send an email to [jeffandnancy@positiveaction.org](mailto:jeffandnancy@positiveaction.org).