

First Catechism Q/A 1–57

Elementary Volume One MASTER PLAN

	Lesson	\mathbf{Q}/\mathbf{A}	Lesson Theme	Bible Story
UNIT 1: God	1	1–5	God made everything for his own glory.	
	2	6–9	There is only one true God.	Exodus 20, 32–34 (The Ten Commandments, golden calf)
	3	10–13	God sees and knows all things.	Jonah 1–2 (Jonah and the great fish)
	4	14–15	We learn how to love and obey God in the Bible alone.	Moses
UNIT 2: Adam & Eve	5	16–22	God created man, male and female, after his own image.	Genesis 2 (Adam and Eve)
	6	23–28	God established a covenant with Adam.	Genesis 2–3 (The covenant of life)
UNIT 3: Sin	7	29–32	When we disobey God's law, we sin.	Luke 10 (The Parable of the Good Samaritan)
	8	33–35	Adam and Eve's sin changed the whole world.	Genesis 3 (The Fall)
	9	36–40	We are all born guilty and sinful.	Genesis 4 (Cain and Abel)
UNIT 4: Grace	10	41–48	Our hearts must be changed before we can believe in Jesus and go to heaven.	Acts 9 (Paul's conversion)
	11	49–54	Jesus lived a sinless life. Christ satisfied God's justice by his suffering and death as a substitute for sinners.	Matthew 27 (Jesus' crucifixion)
	12	55–57	Justification means that God forgives all our sins and accepts us as righteous through Christ. Sanctification means God makes us more and more holy in heart and conduct.	Matthew 26, Acts 3 (Peter)



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UNIT 1: Faith	1	58–63	To be saved, I must repent of my sin and believe in Christ as my Savior.	Luke 19 (Zacchaeus)
	2	64–67	Before Christ came, sinners were saved by believing in the promised Messiah.	Genesis 12–13, 17, 21–22 (Abraham)
UNIT 2: Christ	3	68–72	Christ is our priest and king.	Jesus as our priest and king
	4	73–75	Christ is our prophet.	Jesus as our prophet
UNIT 3: Ten Commandments	5	76–83	The Ten Commandments teach us to love God with all our hearts, and our neighbor as ourselves.	Matthew 22 (Jesus and the Pharisees)
	6	84–87	We are to worship the true God, and him only.	1st and 2nd Commandments Mark 10 (Rich young ruler)
	7	88–89	We are to treat God's name, word, and works with reverence.	3rd Commandment, Exodus 2 (Moses and the burning bush)
	8	90–94	We should keep the Lord's Day by resting from our daily work and faithfully worshiping God.	4th Commandment, Exodus 16 (Manna for the Israelites)
	9	95–96	We are to love and obey our parents and all others that God appoints over us.	5th Commandment
	10	97–100	We should not take anyone's life unjustly or sin when we are angry. We are to be pure in heart, language and conduct, and faithful in marriage.	6th and 7th Commandments, 1 Samuel 26 (Saul and David)
	11	101–104	We should not take anything that belongs to some- one else. We are never to lie, but to tell the truth at all times.	8th and 9th Commandments, 2 Kings 5 (Elisha's servant Gehazi)
	12	105–108	We should be content with whatever God chooses to give us. Since the fall of Adam, the only One who has been able to keep the Ten Commandments perfectly is Jesus. The Ten Commandments teach us what is pleasing to God, and how much we need a Savior.	10th Commandment, Daniel 6 (Daniel in the lion's den)





Elementary Volume Three MASTER PLAN

	Lesson	\mathbf{Q}/\mathbf{A}	Lesson Theme	Bible Story
UNIT 1: The Lord's Prayer	1	109–110	Prayer is praising God, giving thanks for all his blessings, and asking him for all the things he has promised in the Bible.	Introduction to prayer
	2	111–115	Christ gave us the Lord's Prayer to teach us about prayer. The first petition is "Hallowed be thy name."	1st petition of the Lord's Prayer, Matthew 14 (Jesus feeding the 5,000)
	3	116–119	The second petition is "Thy kingdom come." The third petition is "Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven."	2nd and 3rd petitions, The kingdom of God
	4	120–121	The fourth petition is "Give us this day our daily bread."	4th petition, Matthew 6 (Sermon on the Mount)
	5	122–123	The fifth petition is "And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors."	5th petition, Matthew 18 (Parable of a king and his servants)
	6	124–125	The sixth petition is "And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil."	6th petition, 1 Samuel 15–16, 20 (King Saul)
UNIT 2: Sacraments	7	126–129	There are two sacraments—baptism and the Lord's Supper.	
	8	130–136	The washing with water in baptism shows that we are united to Christ and cleansed from sin by his blood.	Acts 16 (Philippian jailer)
	9	137–140	In the Lord's Supper, we eat bread and drink wine to remember the suffering and death of Jesus.	Passover and the Lord's Supper
UNIT 3: Jesus' Return	10	141–143	Christ rose bodily from the grave on the third day after his death. He is in heaven, ruling his kingdom and interceding for us. He will return to judge the world on the last day.	Matthew 28, 1 Thessalonians 4 (Jesus' resurrection)
	11	144–146	The Bible tells us what will happen to believers and unbelievers when they die.	2 Corinthians 5, John 3:16
	12	147–150	At the last day, some will be raised to everlasting life and others to everlasting death. The new heaven and the new earth will be a glorious and happy place, where the saved will be with Jesus forever.	1 Corinthians 15