

Scope & Sequence: *Basic Unity Principles For Children*

The purpose of this curriculum is to create experiences that invite the children to explore some of our basic Unity principles. The explorations are designed to not only share Unity beliefs but also to assist our children in developing their own understanding of the principles and to use them in their lives. For Ages 3 to 10

	Week	Lesson Title	Lesson Intention	Story
Basic Unity Principle #1 “God is all good and active in everything, everywhere.”	1	“God is Everywhere Present”	To know that there is one God that is everywhere I am.	“The Golden Statue,” Daniel 3:1-30
	2	“There is Only One Power & One Presence”	To understand that there is only one God and is all power in the world.	“The Golden Statue,” Daniel 3:1-30
	3	“God is All Good”	To understand that God is all good, no matter what the situation.	“The Golden Statue,” Daniel 3:1-30
	4	“God & I Are One”	To know that no matter what we experience, we are never separate from God.	“The Golden Statue,” Daniel 3:1-30

<p>Basic Unity Basic Principle #2</p> <p>"I am naturally good because God's divinity is in me and in everyone."</p>	1	"The Christ is a Part of Me"	To know that we are each an express of the Christ.	Movie: <i>The Empire Strikes Back,</i> Chapters 23, 26, 28, 29, 31 & 33 ONLY
	2	"Who Am I Now?"	To understand that no matter what choices we make or how we show up, the Christ is always within us.	Movie: <i>The Empire Strikes Back,</i> Chapters 23, 26, 28, 29, 31 & 33 ONLY
	3	"Recognizing the Christ in Others"	To understand that we are all connected by the Christ presence that is within everyone.	"The White Buffalo Calf Woman & the Sacred Pipe," <i>Native American Stories</i> , by Joseph Burchac, pp. 127-130
	4	"I Let My Christ Light Shine"	To know that the Light of the Christ shines from within each of us.	"The White Buffalo Calf Woman & the Sacred Pipe," <i>Native American Stories</i> , by Joseph Burchac, pp. 127-130
<p>Basic Unity Principle #3</p> <p>"I create my experiences by what I choose to think and what I feel and believe."</p>	1	"My Words Have Power"	To understand that the words I speak have power so I must be mindful of the words I use.	<i>Feathers</i> , Retold by Heather Forest
	2	"I Have the Power to Create My Experiences"	To understand that we create our experiences through the thoughts and words we give energy to.	<i>Feathers</i> , Retold by Heather Forest
	3	"My Words Affect My Life"	To explore the impact our thoughts & words have on our lives.	<i>Feathers</i> , Retold by Heather Forest
	4	"Like Attracts Like"	To understand that what I send out, comes back to me.	<i>Feathers</i> , Retold by Heather Forest

Basic Unity Basic Principle #4 “Through Prayer & Meditation I connect with God & bring out the good in my life.”	1	“Prayer Begins With Listening”	To understand that part of prayer is finding that deep and sacred place within you where you can hear your inner voice without distractions.	<i>The Other Way to Listen</i> , by Byrd Baylor & Peter Parnall
	2	“Inner Focused”	To understand how to use tools that help us focus on our sacred space within.	<i>The Other Way to Listen</i> , by Byrd Baylor & Peter Parnall
	3	“I Take Time to Pray Everyday”	To understand explore some tools we have that help us remember to pray.	<i>The Other Way to Listen</i> , by Byrd Baylor & Peter Parnall
	4	“Praying With Others”	To explore the power of praying with and for others.	<i>The Other Way to Listen</i> , by Byrd Baylor & Peter Parnall
Basic Unity Principle #5 “I do and give my best by living the Truth I know. I make a difference.”	1	“How I Use Truth”	To know that God is a part of me, I am wise and I can do great things.	<i>Michael Recycle</i> , by Ellie Bethel
	2	“This is the Truth I Know”	To explore how the power of God shows up in me.	<i>Michael Recycle</i> , by Ellie Bethel
	3	“I Always Do My Best”	To understand the importance of giving my best effort.	<i>Michael Recycle</i> , by Ellie Bethel
	4	“The Power Was Always Within Me”	To know that the power of God is always within and we can choose how we use it.	<i>Michael Recycle</i> , by Ellie Bethel