Teaching children the gospel in a way they can tell their friends
A. How to teach children the gospel

B. How to equip children to share the gospel
Characteristics of Children
What makes the Gospel clear to Children?

1. Teach by telling stories

Stories communicate abstract ideas to concrete thinkers
What makes the Gospel clear to Children?

2. Teach one concept at a time

Write down the gospel in one sentence.
We are described as...

- unclean, clean
- lost, found
- slave, free
- guilty, innocent
- shut out, welcomed in
- blind, see
- sinful, holy
- dead, alive
- enemy, friend
God sent a...
- rescuer
- redeemer
- sacrificial lamb
- saviour
- priest
- king
The right response to this wonderful news is one of...

- accept
- trust
- follow
- repent
- believe
- faith
Gospel pictured as ... 

- Courtroom scene
- Market Place
- Sacrificial System
- Relationship
Teaching Abstract Concepts Creatively
Repentance March

God commands
All people
Everywhere
Tooooooo repent
Acts seventeen thirty
WARNING

Don’t change or Distort the Gospel
Keep It Simple,
Make It Fun

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Good teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?
If you want to enter life, obey the commandments.
Teacher, I have obeyed all these since I was a boy.
There is one thing you lack. Go and sell everything you have and give it to the poor. Then come and follow me.
It is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than for someone rich to enter the kingdom of Heaven.
Children Sharing the Gospel

Eyewitness NEWS
Eight sessions on Evangelism

Primary School
Lunchtime Group Resource
Challenge Them
God made everything.
God is the loving King over everything.

Genesis 1:1
But we say "no" to God.
We do not live with God as our King.
God won't let us say "no" to him forever.
He will punish us.
We cannot be God's friend
and we cannot live with him in heaven.

Romans 3:23
Because of God's love for us, he sent his son, Jesus. Jesus died to take the punishment we deserve.

John 3:16
Jesus didn’t stay dead.
Jesus came back to life again.
God has made Jesus the loving King
over everything.
And one day he will come back
to judge the world.

Acts 2:32
Who will be King in your life?

Will it be you?
If you say "no" to Jesus then you cannot be God's friend and you will be shut out of his heaven.

Will it be Jesus?
If you trust that Jesus took the punishment you deserve, God will forgive you and you will be his friend forever.

John 3:36
What must I do?

1. Say sorry to God for not treating him properly.

2. Ask God to help you to trust Jesus to save you.

3. Ask God to help you live with Jesus as your King.