



## Devo ideas from April KK

### Faith Detectives



<b>Family Devo song</b>	<p>Depending on the age of your kids you might want to have your own family devo song. For us, this made the time special because it was our family's unique song.</p> <p>You don't have to be very creative to be effective with this. Our girls were watching the Wiggles and Hi5 when they were young so we just adapted their songs and changed the lyrics. For example The Wiggles, 'Hot Potato Hot Potato' lyrics were changed to 'Family Devo, Family Devo'. This might be only two lines and go 15 seconds but it can set the mood. The most important part is that you are enthusiastic and throw yourself into it.</p>
<b>Songs</b>	<p>Make them fun and active.</p>
<b>Sharing time</b>	<p>This might be a great time to share what has been happening in everyone's week.</p>
<b>Pray</b>	<p>Ask one of the kids to pray. In Feb/March we looked at how to pray so you might want your kids to talk first about what they will include in their prayer before they start.</p>
<b>Lesson</b>	<p>In KK in April we have been looking at 'What is the Evidence that God exists?' We have looked at this in three parts:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. God's Creation</li> <li>2. Evidence of Jesus in the Old Testament</li> <li>3. How God works in our own lives</li> </ol> <p>It might work well if you share what helps you to believe in God in any of these areas. This will help your kid's learning from KK really come to life. If there is a shared life situation with the kids that they remember it would be especially powerful. Share a passage of scripture that helps you. For example, you might use Rom 10:17.</p> <p>Keep the lesson short. It is better that they want more than they feel like it drags.</p>
<b>Reflection</b>	<p>Get your kids to share about what they have learnt. What do they believe? What do they have questions about? What do they wonder? This discussion will be invaluable. Don't worry if there are questions you don't know the answers to. You can tell them that you're interested in learning more too. Kids love to know that you are still learning about God and that there is no particular destination to our learning.</p> <p>If there is something that you are not sure of and you say you are going to get back with an answer you can create a car park in your house. This is a place where you write down something that you will find out and then write the answer there when you do find out (maybe the fridge?) It gives kids confidence that you will look into it and a reminder for you to look into it.</p>
<b>Illustration</b>	<p>If you have some kind of building block toys such as Jenga, Lego etc. you could demonstrate how each piece of evidence is like a building block that helps to build your tower of faith. What can we do to build our faith towers higher?</p>

