

# ***Bible Recitation 2020***



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## *Youth In Action 2020*

### *Guidelines for Bible Recitation*

The Bible Recitation activity will be a competitive activity that will give young people an opportunity to recite Bible scripture from the **King James Version Bible**. Most of our young people learn scriptures throughout the year. We would like to provide the opportunity for our young people to recite the scriptures with meaning, articulation and conviction during the Bible Recitation Activities. It is one thing to memorize the scriptures, yet it is something totally electrifying to recite a scripture with meaning and expression. Please encourage your youth participants to meditate upon the scriptures that they might recite God's Word for all to hear.

#### **Guidelines:**

1. The Bible Recitation Activity will be a competitive activity. Although **all of our young people are winners**, there will be 1st, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place awards given.
2. All scriptures are to be memorized from the **King James Version Bible**.
3. **Participants are not asked to express their understanding of the scriptures**
4. Each participant must be prepared to recite their scriptures. (five minutes)
5. **Participants need to introduce themselves along with Pastor, church, and district.**
6. Participants must tell where all scriptures are found in the Bible indicating book, chapter, and verse. (example: Psalms 1:1-4)
7. **Participants will be judged on the following:**
  - a. Memorization
  - b. Expression
  - c. Enthusiasm.
  - d. Diction and articulation of speech.
  - e. Clarity.

**8. Participants that do not recite at least the minimum number for their grade will be disqualified.**

Grades 1-2: \*5 verses  
Tie breaker: \*3 verses

Grades 3-4: \*8 verses  
Tie breaker: \*4 verses

Grade 5-6: \*11 verses  
Tie breaker: \*6 verses

Grade 7-8: \*15 verses  
Tie breaker: \* 8 verses

Grade 9-12: \*20 verses  
Tie breaker: \*10 verses

*Asterisk (\*) is the minimum for those grades.  
Have different verse for tie breaker with the minimum prepared.*

**9. All Bible verses should be typed. Any verses that are not typed will result in 10 points deduction.**

**\*\*\*Helpful tips to learning the scriptures\*\*\***

- A. Pray and then practice.**
- B. Start now. Don't wait until the last minute.
- C. Make the scriptures a part of your daily devotion.
- D. Meditate on the scriptures.
- E. Study to know them not only for competition but to grow closer to God.**
- F. Have someone (parents, brothers, sisters, friend, etc.) to drill you and help you.
- G. Believe that you can do all things through Christ, which strengthens you.

# Scoring Sheet for Bible Recitation

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

SESSION 1: \_\_\_\_\_

SESSION 2: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Pastor: \_\_\_\_\_

Church: \_\_\_\_\_

District: \_\_\_\_\_

## JUDGED/ SCORING ON:

A. Memorization: \_\_\_\_\_ (1-10)

B. Expression: \_\_\_\_\_ (1-10)

C. Enthusiasm: \_\_\_\_\_ (1-10)

D. Diction and articulation: \_\_\_\_\_ (1-10)

E. Clarity: \_\_\_\_\_ (1-10)

Total Score: \_\_\_\_\_

Judge: \_\_\_\_\_

