

Behold Your God: Magnifying His Majesty

Suggested Weekly Schedule

what you need

Each student completing the study should have a Student Manual and Bible. You will need a Teacher's Manual, which includes Lesson Objectives, teaching notes, optional Application Activities, Scripture memory verses, a copy of the Student Manual with answers filled in, all student quizzes, exams and answers, and optional transparency/handout masters from each chapter.

the theme and goal

Behold Your God contains 35 chapters, with the intention of studying one chapter per week for an average school year. The theme is God's character and work, while the Bible is the main textbook. The goal is not just to gain more knowledge about God, but to become intimately acquainted with the Triune persons of God the Father, Jesus the Son, and the Holy Spirit. We want to challenge each student to apply life changing principles that magnify God's majesty after completing this study.

While the schedule below shows what a typical week might look like, feel free to adjust it to your family's schedule. The Teacher's Manual includes a great deal of material, so simply use whatever you felt would benefit your family.

tips for this study

- For most chapters in this study, you'll find it best to follow the schedule shown on the next page. At the beginning of the week, ask your student to read the short introductory essay in the Student Manual. Then present the Teacher's Lesson while the student completes the fill-in-the-blank outline in the section entitled Notes from the Teacher's Lesson. Once the Teacher's Lesson has been presented, the student can complete the Student Work section in the Student Manual for the rest of the week. This part will require a large amount of fact-finding and inductive Bible study, with an emphasis on discovering God's character and applying His Word to the student's life.
- At the end of each chapter in the Teacher's Manual, you'll find one or more presentation slides that summarize some key concepts from the lesson. These are intended for larger groups, but you can print or display this for the student, if needed.
- For those who require a graded component, the Teacher's Manual includes weekly quizzes, as well as exams after each of the six units in the study. Note that this testing material is drawn from Teacher's Lessons as well as the Student Work.

- Your student will probably complete an average day's study within 20 minutes, depending on whether you include optional scripture memory or other additional activities. You will likely spend more time on Mondays and Fridays—or whichever day you decide to tackle the Teacher's Lesson, quizzes, or tests.

Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Read introductory essay in Student Manual • Cover Teacher's Lesson while student takes notes in the Student Manual • Assign optional Application Activities • Assign Scripture memory verses 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complete Teacher's Lesson • Begin working through Student Work section in Student Manual • Review memory verses • Work on any assigned Application Activities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continue Student Work • Review memory verses • Work on any assigned Application Activities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complete Student Work • Review memory verses • Work on any assigned Application Activities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Student Work answers together • Take weekly quiz • Turn in Additional Activities and recite memory verses • At the completion of each unit, review and take unit exam

optional components

A **Scripture Memory Program** is included in each lesson. If you choose to follow this plan, your student should review the memory verse daily and recite the passage to you at the end of the week. You may choose to include this as a graded component of the study or as extra credit.

Additional optional activities, entitled **Application Activities**, are suggested weekly in the Student Manual. Read these over before each unit begins, since some are lengthy and require extra time. You may choose to assign some of these as a graded component or extra credit, however you see fit.

individual study

Each of our studies assumes a certain amount of parental interaction. We hope you'll spend time encouraging your children to comprehend the material and apply it to their lives. However, you can adapt this into a more independent study for your child—perhaps as an ungraded devotion time. Simply ask the student to read the Teacher's Manual notes and fill in the appropriate sections in the Student Manual, then complete the Student Manual work.

more resources

For the latest resources on homeschooling with Positive Action Bible Curriculum, visit positiveaction.org/homeschool.

And if you have any questions about using our curriculum, feel free to send an email to jeffandnancy@positiveaction.org.