

VBS 2019 Grice Memorial Mission VBS Offer

The Grice Memorial Mission Vacation Bible School Fund* exists to provide teaching resources for churches and missions conducting VBS as an evangelistic outreach ministry to underprivileged families.

Church's Obligations

To qualify for free resources, a church must agree to:

- Use them in Bible study and ministry with underprivileged children and their families;
- Plan for appropriate follow-up to each prospect and for each decision made;
- Send a report of each school to the LifeWay VBS Ministry Specialist at the address given on the back of this brochure.

Priority for this offer will be given to churches attempting to reach families in their own communities. The amount of free resources provided will depend on the number of requests and the availability of funds. Requests from groups desiring resources for mission trips will be considered only if funds are available after all other requests have been fulfilled. Requests will be granted beginning March 1st in the order they are received.

Application Procedures

To receive the free VBS resources:

- Legibly complete the attached application
- Mail the request in an envelope to the address given

Reporting Your VBS

Upon completion of your VBS, please send a report with the following information:

- Name of sponsoring church/mission
- Contact information (including name, address, telephone number, and email)
- Date(s) of the school(s)
- Location(s) of the school(s)
- Number enrolled in school(s)
- Average attendance of school(s)
- Number of prospects discovered (including family members)
- Summary of follow-up procedures being used
- Summary of how the free VBS resources were used

In addition to this report, please complete the regular VBS Church Report Form and return it to your local state convention.

*The Grice Memorial Scholarship is a trust fund administered by the Southern Baptist Foundation. Interest from this trust (approximately \$3,000.00 each year) is used as directed by the estate of Homer L. and Ethel Grice to provide free VBS resources to Southern Baptist churches and established missions. Resources must be used to conduct VBS to reach economically disadvantaged communities and people groups.

Grice Memorial Request Form (Please Print Clearly)

Name of church making request: _____

LifeWay account number (for identification purposes only): _____

Church address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Person making request: _____ Relationship to church: _____

Phone #: _____ E-mail: _____

Description and location of VBS (describe setting): _____

Date(s) of VBS: _____

Ship to: _____

Street address for UPS delivery: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

****Choose a Curriculum:**

___ VBS 2019 In the Wild™ Backyard Kids Club (English)

___ VBS 2019 En la Naturaleza Spanish Starter Kit (Spanish)

Mail application and final report to Melita Thomas, VBS Ministry Specialist, LifeWay Christian Resources, One LifeWay Plaza, Nashville, Tennessee 37234 or FAX to 615.251.3937.

**To learn more about VBS & Backyard Kids Club resources go to www.lifeway.com/vbs.

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