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BIBLE QUIZZING

All rules for Bible Quizzing are taken from the AACS National Competition Manual, 2015 Revision. See AACS Manual for books to study.

BIBLE MEMORY

All rules for Bible Memory are taken from the AACS National Competition Manual, 2015 Revision. See AACS Manual for verses to study.

BIBLE TEACHING

1. Either young men or young women may participate.
2. **Each lesson must be between ten and fifteen minutes in length.** A missionary biography or contemporary story is not sufficient. The lesson should be based on a Bible character, a Bible doctrine, or a concept taught in Scripture.
3. Each lesson should be prepared for a class of junior-age children, ages 9 – 12.
4. Each lesson **may** include some type of audio and/or visual aid. These aids do not have to be original.
**To keep the interest of children in this age category, SCACS would strongly suggest that some type of visuals be used.
5. Lessons may be original or from published or unpublished sources.
6. Two copies of a typewritten outline must be submitted to the coordinator.
7. The outline will include the following:
 - a. Outline of lesson content
 - b. Objective of lesson
 - c. Specific principle(s) to be taught
 - d. Scripture references
 - e. Materials required
 - f. Brief summary of lesson
 - g. Bibliography of references.

BIBLE PREACHING

EXPOSITORY: An expository sermon is one in which a portion of Scripture is interpreted in relation to one theme or central idea. The bulk of the material for the sermon is drawn directly from the passage, and the outline consists of a series of progressive ideas centered around that one main idea.

EVANGELISTIC: An evangelistic sermon may be either expository, topical, or textual, but one which is primarily directed toward the lost, with the goal of drawing them to Christ. A textual sermon is one in which the main divisions are derived from a text consisting of a brief portion of Scripture. Each of these divisions is then used as a line of suggestion, and the text provides the theme of the sermon.

TOPICAL: A topical sermon is one in which the main divisions are derived from the topic, independently of a text. Scripture passages should be used to support the topic.

1. Preaching is restricted to young men.
2. **Each sermon must be between 10 and 15 minutes.**
3. Two copies of a typewritten outline must be presented to the coordinator.
4. The outline guidelines are as follows:
 - a. It should be done in a standard subordination format.
 - b. It should be done in sentence form, with transition sentences.
 - c. It should include a written introduction and conclusion.
 - d. It should include a title, theme, and Scripture references.
5. The King James Version will be the only authorized translation.
5. The first place Level IV winner must preach the same sermon at the AACS national competition as he preached at SCACS.