



EMCEE GUIDE

1 Week Only: 30-Second Theology

Countdown/Hangout (15 Seconds)

Purpose: When the countdown begins, prepare students to wrap up their free time and find their small group leader.

Sample Script:

Welcome to Loop! I'm so glad to see all of you. My name is _____, and I'll be your emcee. To start things off, let's get into our small groups to discuss today's icebreaker.

Welcome (30 Seconds)

Purpose: Transition students from the icebreaker to worship.

Sample Script:

Okay, Loop! You may have noticed the lobby looks a little different today, and that's because of the big game! It also means we have a ton of fun planned. To help us all have a great time, there are only three rules: Respect your leaders, respect others, and respect the room. Now, get ready to bust out your best praise voice!

Transition to Message (30 Seconds)

Purpose: Transition students from worship to teaching video.

Sample Script:

I love getting to worship with you guys every week here at Loop! Now, those football decorations we talked about earlier can only mean one thing—it's time for *30-Second Theology!* Today, we're gonna take a look at popular commercials and find some biblical truths in them. Get ready to laugh, to cry, and to have some fun as we check out this one-week-only message!

Offering (60 Seconds)

Purpose: Recap teaching in one sentence. Explain offering and pray over it while it's collected.

Sample Script:

I told you it was gonna be a good one! I loved every commercial, and my challenge for you today is to pick the one message that stuck out to you most and apply it to your life. Now, let's shift gears and get ready to worship God through our tithes and offerings. Why is that worship? Because worship isn't just singing songs to God. It's anything we do to put Him first in our lives. Giving is a great way to do that because when we give, we're showing God that we trust Him to provide for us and it reminds us that He matters more to us than money or stuff. Plus, it makes a difference by helping more people come to know God. Let's pray for our offering.

God, thank you for giving us Your truth everywhere—even in commercials. We praise you for Your grace that we don't deserve, and we pray that You would help us become more like You. Bless this offering and use it to help more people experience Your love. In Jesus' name, amen.

Announcements (60 Seconds)

Purpose: Celebrate salvations, announce upcoming events, share series Bible Plan, and transition to activity.

Sample Script:

If you made a decision to follow Jesus, we are so excited for you! Make sure to tell your small group leader so that they can celebrate with you and tell your family. Now, listen up for some announcements!

- Our **YouVersion Bible Plan** this week is called *Godly Character*. Did you know you can do it together with your family, friends, or Loop group using Plans with Friends? You can! Ask your small group leader for more about that.
- 6th graders, you've got to check out **Swerve**. If you've ever felt like you're too young to make a difference, I promise you that Swerve can help change that.
- Next week, we start a new series of *The Loop Show*, and it's gonna be a blast as always. Make sure you invite some friends to experience it with you!

Now, it's time for the best part of Loop—your small group time! We'll get things going with a little friendly football competition of our own.