



SMALL GROUP LEADER GUIDE

Best of Konnect • Week 4
Jesus, the Ultimate Hero



Countdown Timer

Start video when experience begins • Tidy room • Get into a small group with your kids
5 min



Small Group Welcome

Get kids talking • Help each kid in your small group feel seen and heard
3 min

- **Introduce** yourself and **welcome** kids by name.
- **Catch up** on prayer requests and life events.
- **Talk about** welcome question: **Name the strengths and weaknesses of your favorite superhero.**



Theme Song

Sing and dance along • Encourage your small group to join in
1 min



Emcee Intro Koneksi

Focus your small group on emcee
30 sec



Rules Video

Focus your small group on video • Encourage kids to count out and say each rule with video
1 min



Emcee Giving Koneksi

Focus your small group on emcee
30 sec



Offering Teaching Video

Focus your small group on the video • Follow campus procedure to collect offering
90 sec



Worship Teaching Video

Focus your small group on video • Stand with your kids when video prompts you to
1 min



Worship Music Videos

Sing and dance along • Encourage your small group to join in
≈ 6 min

- Do It Again
- For Your Glory



Emcee Activity Koneksi

Focus your small group on emcee
30 sec



Small Group Activity

Have fun doing activity with your small group
9 min

You'll Need

Per Kid	Nothing
Per Group	Nothing

After Activity

Kids Keep	Nothing
You Keep	Nothing

To Do

Say: Heroes are strong, but they have problems and weaknesses, too. Not Jesus! He's the best hero, ever, and even helps us overcome our own weaknesses! Let's play a game about that—but watch out for the weakness attack!

1. **Stand** in a circle with plenty of space between kids.
2. **Read** a superhero action from the **Superhero activity supplement** on the back of this guide.
3. Kids **act out** the action you read until you give them the next command.
4. If you say, "weakness attack," kids must **drop** to the ground (if they're able to) and **freeze**.
5. Kids **unfreeze** when everyone **says** the point together: *God can help me change my thinking.*
6. **Play** as long as time allows. Let kids lead or add their own superhero actions if they'd like.

Try these challenges:

- Read actions quickly.
- Whisper actions.
- Alternate quickly between two actions many times to create a predictable pattern and then surprise kids with a weakness attack.



Emcee Point Koneksi

Focus your small group on emcee
30 sec



Konnect HQ Teaching Show

Focus your small group on video as you watch it together
≈ 20 min



Konnect HQ ABCs

Focus your small group on video • Help kids say admit, believe, and choose with video
1 min



Emcee Wrap-Up Koneksi

Focus your small group on emcee
30 sec



Small Group Talk & Prayer

Get kids talking • Pray with your small group • Build relationships
≈ 10 min

Review the Point: God can help me change my thinking.

Review the Verse: **Locate Bibles** in the room, **look up** the verse together, and **talk about** what's the same and what's different if it's in a different translation.

Romans 12:2 NLT ... let God transform you into a new person by changing the way you think.

- What's interesting about this Bible verse to you?
- Choose a Question to Get Your Group Talking**
- The Bible is an ancient book. How do you think it's helpful for kids today?
 - When is the Bible hard for you to understand, and when is it easy for you to understand?
 - What do you think is so important about reading the Bible with other people and talking about it?

Wrap Up

- **Pray** together.
- **Play** a game like *Thumb Wars* or *Telephone*.

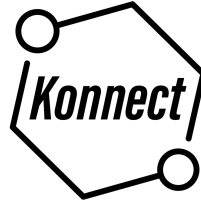
Leader Tip

Did you know that www.leaders.life.church is filled with outstanding small group leader training? Click the button for Konnect. Browse the articles on the Konnect Training and the Leader Training pages this week. Set a goal to read through one that interests you.



Check Out

Greet parents • Praise kids • Stay in small group until check out ends
≈ 10 min



SUPERHERO ACTIVITY SUPPLEMENT

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Note: *If a kid in your group has a disability that makes doing these actions difficult or impossible, let them give the commands. You can whisper ideas from this list to them if needed.*

Superhero Actions

- Fly through the air
- Leap over a building
- Kick away an evil enemy
- Chop danger in half
- Change into an eagle
- Climb a tree to save a kitten
- Blink out lasers from your eyes
- Stomp on injustice
- Change into a T-rex
- Change into a rocket ship
- Jump to the moon and back
- Blast away evil
- Run in place faster than lightning
- Change into a wolf
- Rescue a baby from falling
- Make lightning strike all around you
- Blow things over like a giant wind
- Shoot ice from your fingertips
- Change into a cobra
- Use arm blasters to put out a fire
- Swim across an ocean
- Catch a giant boulder
- Change into a giant tidal wave
- Melt into a liquid