

Teacher's Lesson Flow:

When You Come (Ki Tavo) כִּי תָבוֹא

Deuteronomy 26:1-29:8 ~ Isaiah 60:1-22 ~ Acts 16-18 ~ John 8:12

Life Verse Practice: John 8:12 (NKJV)

Then Jesus spoke to them again, saying, "I am the light of the world. He who follows Me shall not walk in darkness, but have the light of life."

5.

Reinforcing the WORD to Build "Banah" lives

- Quickly review Prayer and Praise Words to Thank YHVH God.
- Review Life Verse: John 8:12.
- Review Hebrew letters and vocabulary.
- What do you learn about God by looking at the things He asks you to do?
- Why does God have consequences for disobedience?
- Who was the light that Isaiah said that God was sending through His people that the Gentiles would come to?
- Can you think of someone who needs the light of Yeshua and tell them about Yeshua's love for them?

Start Here

1.

PRAISE "Hallel"

- Practice Prayer and Praise Words to the Lord Including the Fruit of the Spirit Definition and Hebrew Praise Word.
- Life Verse Practice
- Hebrew Writing Practice
- Read Story

Blessing
of Obedience
Or
Cursing
of
Disobedience

4.

New Testament "B'rit Chadashah"

- The promised light (Yeshua)
-John 8:12
- Paul and Timothy
-Acts 16:4-5, 13-14, 23-34

3.

Prophets/Writings "Haftarah"

- God's promises
- Isaiah 60:1-3, 15

Children's work pages begin here!

2.

God's Teachings / "Torah"

- God as Father of Israel told of blessings if they obey -Deut. 26:16-19
- What God wanted Israel to do
-Deuteronomy 26:11,12; 27:1
- The blessings for obedience - Deut. 26:19; 27:3; 28:2, 4-6, 8, 11-13
- But if they disobeyed curses-Deut. 28:16, 20-22,42

Teacher's Special Instructions

We start with a lesson on the Hebrew language. We will both write and speak Hebrew.

We do this for two reasons:

- 1) All students are at the same level in learning a new language, and they enjoy it.
- 2) It gives the students a chance to learn biblical truths embedded in the original language of the Hebrew Scriptures (Old Testament). Start by pointing out they are used to reading from left to right, but Hebrew reads from right to left. They also will need to write Hebrew from right to left.

Materials and Vocabulary:

- a. White board, black board or large easel and paper
- b. Markers
- c. Handouts or writing paper for the students
- d. Pens or pencils for the students
- e. The words used on their Hebrew writing pages are all words that are related to each individual lesson. Generally, a Hebrew word is chosen from the lesson and emphasized each week, both to teach character and increase understanding of the concepts being taught. New words will be in the box on the upper right of this page. Various names of God will also be taught in Hebrew.

New Hebrew words transliterated

Ki Tavo (When You Come)

Orh (Light)

Barach (Blessed)

Preparation:

- a. Choose 2 or 3 Hebrew words from the Hebrew writing page(s). On the board, write the words in English and in the transliterated form given in the left column of the Hebrew writing page(s).
- b. Leave space to write the word in Hebrew.
- c. Explain that the letters they see on the page are written in book print like they might see on a sign, or that they would print themselves.

Procedure:

- a. Demonstrate the writing procedure of two or three Hebrew words on the board. Have the students follow your directions on their work pages. Be sure to point out the special features of each letter.
- b. Then have the students try a few words on their own, or complete the rest of the page. The ability to finish the whole exercise will depend on how much time you have. (2 to 5 minutes time is needed to finish the page.)

Games/Activities: Normally games are played after children's work pages are complete.

Israeli street sign



Prayer and Praise Words

(Thank you ...Bless you...)

GOODNESS: Thank you, Lord that the truth of Your Word in my heart helps me to be pure as Your Holy Spirit guards me.

1. Let's thank God for one thing He has blessed you with this week.
 - Whisper a Thank you to the Holy Spirit for giving you GOODNESS that the truth of God's WORD in your heart helps you to be pure and the Holy Spirit guards you!
 - Shout a Thank you to the Holy Spirit for giving you GOODNESS like YESHUA(JESUS)!

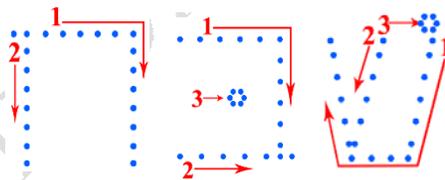
PRAISE is a way to THANK GOD for HIS Goodness to us and others.



Chet

Beit

Sheen



Praise word: Shabach

EXPRESS to Shout

Shabach means "to shout, to address in loud tone, to command, to triumph"

Psalm 145:4 (NKJV)

One generation shall praise Your works to another, and shall declare Your mighty acts.

Life Verse Practice: John 8:12 (NKJV)

Then Jesus spoke to them again, saying, "I am the light of the world. He who follows Me shall not walk in darkness, but have the light of life."

Ki Tavo ~ When You Come In ~ כי תבוא

Deuteronomy 26:1-29:8 ~ Isaiah 60:1-23 ~ Acts 16-18



Obedience brings blessing, and disobedience brings unpleasant or even hard consequences. You know how much your parents love you and want to bless you with good things. When you choose to show your love and respect for them by obeying, your choice will bring blessing. But if you choose to disobey, punishment (consequences) can replace blessing. Did you notice how it is your choice to obey or disobey?

God is our Father and He spoke to His children in Israel just before they entered the land He had promised to give them. God told them all the blessings they would have **IF they chose** to obey Him. The Lord wanted them to do these things:

1. Obey all His Commandments (Deuteronomy 27:1)
2. Rejoice in **all** the Lord has given you – attitude matters! (Deuteronomy 26:11)
3. Give to and share with the Levites, the fatherless, the stranger and the widow. (Deuteronomy 26:12)



What do you learn about God by looking at the things He asks you to do?

Listen to the blessings that would come with obedience to God: Can you pick out 3 that you think are the best?

God said, Your land will flow with milk and honey (Deuteronomy 27:3). You will be set high above all nations (Deuteronomy 26:19). You will be a **holy people set apart for the LORD** (Deuteronomy 26:19). **Blessings will overtake** you (Deuteronomy 28:2). Your children and food will be blessed (Deuteronomy 28:4,5). You will be blessed when you come in and when you go out (Deuteronomy 28:6). Your enemies will be defeated (Deuteronomy 28:7). Your work will be blessed (Deuteronomy 28:8).



God will bless you with **plenty of everything** (Deuteronomy 28:11). You will be blessed with rain and have enough money to lend out Deuteronomy 28:12. God will make you the head and not the tail Deuteronomy 28:13 – **IF YOU OBEY HIS COMMANDMENTS!!!**

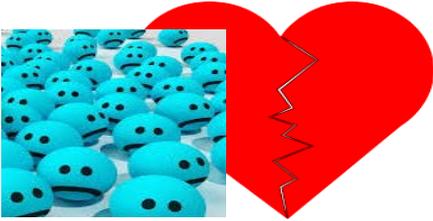
But God also told His children, if you choose to disobey, the opposite of blessing will happen. The opposite of blessing is cursing.

And He said, curses will overtake you Deuteronomy 28:15. You will have trouble in the country and in the city and trouble with your children and animals – 28:16.

You will have confusion and scolding, destruction and sickness (Deuteronomy 28:20-22). There will be no rain in your land, and locusts will eat your trees. (Deuteronomy 28:42) And your enemies will defeat you! OH, NO!!!



Why do you think God has consequences for disobedience? Can you find the love in the consequences?



Even though God's children did disobey Him and suffer the consequences, Isaiah the prophet tells them of the good to come. He said, God is sending the LORD to arise over them, and the Gentiles will see the glory of the LORD upon them. And the Gentiles will come to the light they see. (Isaiah 60:1-3)

Isaiah continues to tell them that even though they were hated and forsaken, God would make them an **eternal excellence and a joy!** (Isaiah 6:15) And the LORD will be to them everlasting light.

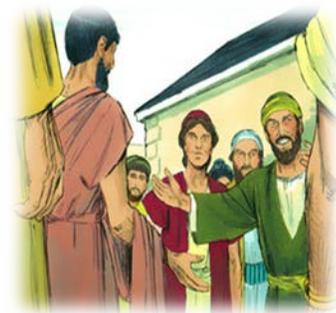
The sad days will end. Your people shall be righteous and inherit the land. And when all this begins to happen the LORD will hasten it – speed up the time it takes to happen. (Isaiah 60 22b) How do you see the goodness of God in Isaiah's words?



What was the light that God was sending through His people that the Gentiles would come to? Yeshua answers that question. He said, **I am the Light of the world.** He who follows Me shall not walk in darkness, but have the light of life. (Jn. 8:12)

In Hebrew the word for light is (ohr)  (reysh, vav, aleph)

Taking the Hebrew meanings of each of the letters, the word means God, the Man, is the head. He is the Light.



In the book of Acts, the apostle Paul was on a missionary trip to take the Light of the world to Gentiles in the nation of Turkey. Some people there had accepted Yeshua as their Savior and were strengthened by keeping God's ways, and they grew in number daily. (Acts 16:4,5)

On Shabbat, Paul, Timothy and Silas who were traveling together, talked with people about the Lord as they sat by the river. A lady named Lydia was sitting by the river and listened to what they had to say. As they spoke of the Lord, He opened Lydia's heart, and she accepted the Lord as her Savior. (Acts 16:13-14)

Then Paul and Silas were put in jail because they were telling people about Yeshau. Even though in prison, Paul and Silas prayed and sang hymns to God, and suddenly, a **great earthquake** shook everything – the prison doors opened and the prisoners' chains fell off!! (Acts 16:20-24)





The keeper of the prison was trembling and asked Paul and Silas, What must I do to be saved? They responded, Believe on the LORD Yeshua the Messiah , and you will be saved, you and your household...And immediately he and all his family were baptized.

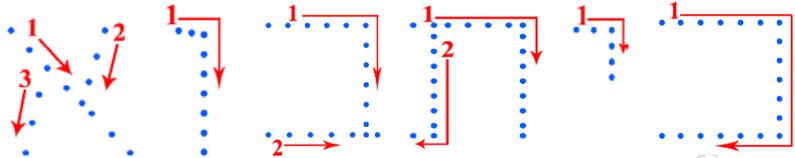
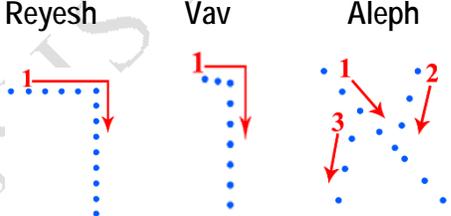
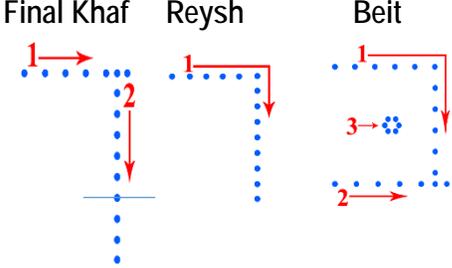
The Jews, Paul, Silas and Timothy, were taking the light of Yeshua to the Gentiles – just as God’s word said.

Can you remember what country Paul, Silas and Timothy were in?

Can you think of someone who needs the Light of Yeshua and tell them about Yeshua’s love for them?



Blessings of Obedience or Cursing of Disobedience

Hebrew/English	<p style="text-align: center;"> ← Write and read Hebrew from right to left. ← Start here </p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Ki Tavo (When you come in)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Aleph Vav Vet Tav Yood Caaf</p> 
Practice Writing	
<p style="text-align: center;">Orh (Light)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Reyesh Vav Aleph</p> 
Practice Writing	
<p style="text-align: center;">Barach (Blessed)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Final Khaf Reysh Beit</p> 
Practice Writing	

Obedience brings blessing - Disobedience brings cursing



Which one do you choose to show each day?

Israel was told the blessings if they chose to obey the LORD God.



TORAH (God's Teachings/Law) Deuteronomy 26:16-19 (NKJV)

¹⁶ "This day the LORD your God commands you to observe these statutes and judgments; therefore you shall be careful to observe them with all your heart and with all your soul.

¹⁷ Today you have proclaimed the LORD to be your God, and that you will walk in His ways and keep His statutes, His commandments, and His judgments, and that you will obey His voice.

¹⁸ Also today the LORD has proclaimed you to be His special people, just as He promised you, that you should keep all His commandments,

¹⁹ and that He will set you high above all nations which He has made, in praise, in name, and in honor, and that you may be a holy people to the LORD your God, just as He has spoken."

WOW GOD! What SUPER BLESSINGS!



1. Have you told the LORD that HE is your GOD today?
YES or NO
2. Have you said HIS commandments are HIS Voice to you?
YES or NO
3. Do You choose to obey HIS commandments with your thoughts, attitudes, words, and actions?
YES or NO
4. Will you ask the HOLY SPIRIT for help, strength and courage to choose the LORD's Voice and do what is right?
5. When you make a mistake, and do the wrong choice, have you decided to quickly come to Yeshua and ask HIS forgiveness for your sin.
YES or NO

The LORD wanted Israel to:

A. Obey all His Commandments

TORAH God's Instructions/Laws) Deuteronomy 27:1-3 (ESV)



²⁷ Now Moses and the elders of Israel commanded the people, saying, "Keep the whole commandment that I command you today.

² And on the day you cross over the Jordan to the land that the LORD your God is giving you, you shall set up large stones and plaster them with plaster.

³ And you shall write on them all the words of this law, when you cross over to enter the land that the LORD your God is giving you, a land flowing with milk and honey, as the LORD, the God of your fathers, has promised you.

B. Rejoice (be glad, be happy) in all the LORD has given you – **Attitude matters!**

TORAH God's Instructions/Laws) Deuteronomy 26:11 (ESV)

¹¹ And you shall rejoice in all the good that the LORD your God has given to you and to your house, you, and the Levite, and the sojourner who is among you.



C. Give, Share and Care for others!

TORAH God's Instructions/Laws) Deuteronomy 26:12-13 (NKJV)

¹² "When you have finished laying aside all the tithe of your increase in the third year—the year of tithing—and have given *it* to the Levite, the stranger, the fatherless, and the widow, so that they may eat within your gates and be filled, ¹³ then you shall say before the LORD your God: 'I have removed the holy *tithe* from *my* house, and also have given them to the Levite, the stranger, the fatherless, and the widow, according to all Your commandments which You have commanded me; I have not transgressed Your commandments, nor have I forgotten *them*.'

BRIT CHADASHAH (New Testament) James 1:27 (NIV)

²⁷ Religion that God our Father accepts as pure and faultless is this: to look after orphans and widows in their distress and to keep oneself from being polluted by the world.



1. Underline what you would do.

What do you learn about the LORD God by looking at the things HE asks you to do?

God is kind and caring to strangers, those who serve in God's house, the fatherless/orphans and widows.

fill-in the circle below and Read Aloud the things promised to Israel:

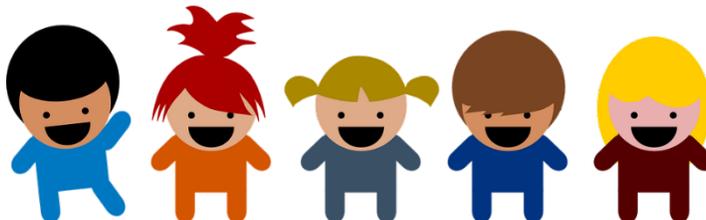
TORAH (God's Instructions/Laws) Deuteronomy 27:3, 26:19, 28:2-13

- Your land will flow with milk and honey.
- You will be set high above all nations.
- You will be holy people set apart for the LORD.
- Blessings will overtake you.
- Your children will be blessed.
- Your food will be blessed.
- You will be blessed when you come in and when you go out.
- Your enemies will be defeated.
- Your work will be blessed.
- God will bless you with plenty of everything.
- You will be blessed with rain.
- You will have enough money to lend out.
- God will make you the head and not the tail.



If you OBEY HIS COMMANDMENTS!

1. Do you think these promises can belong to you today?
2. Do you think you must obey God's Instructions to receive these blessings?
3. What blessings do you need today?
4. What blessings does your family need today?
5. What blessings do your friends and neighbors need today?



But the LORD God said if you choose to disobey, the opposite of blessing will happen.



TORAH (God's Instructions/Laws)
Deuteronomy 28:15-16,19-20,22, 42

¹⁵ "But if you will not obey the voice of the LORD your God or be careful to do all his commandments and his statutes that I command you today, then all these curses shall come upon you and overtake you.

¹⁶ Cursed shall you be in the city, and cursed shall you be in the field. your flock

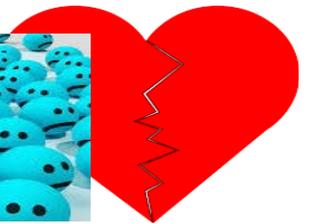
¹⁹ Cursed shall you be when you come in, and cursed shall you be when you go out.

²⁰ "The LORD will send on you curses, confusion, and frustration in all that you undertake to do, until you are destroyed and perish quickly on account of the evil of your deeds, because you have forsaken me.



Read Aloud the curses that followed Israel if they chose to disobey:

- You will have trouble in the country and in the city.
- You will have trouble with your children.
- You will have trouble with your animals.
- You will have trouble wherever you go.
- You will have confusion and frustration in your work, destruction.
- There will be No rain in your land.
- Locust will eat your trees.
- Your enemies will defeat you.



1. Why do you think the LORD God has consequences for disobedience?

Because disobedience dishonors and disrespects the _____
and it hurts and may even kill _____ or _____.

2. Do you think that disobeying the LORD God has consequences today? YES or NO

Isaiah the prophet tells Israel of the good to come.

HAFTARAH (Prophets/Writings) Isaiah 60:1-3(NKJV)



¹ Arise, shine; For your light has come!
And the glory of the LORD is risen upon you.

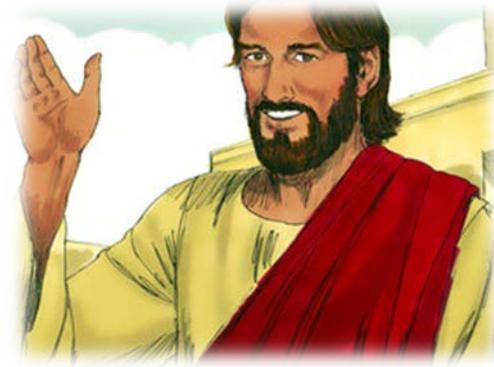
² For behold, the darkness shall cover the earth, And deep darkness the people;
But the LORD will arise over you, And His glory will be seen upon you.

³ The Gentiles shall come to your light, And kings to the brightness of your rising.

God Loves the people of Israel.
God can help the people of Israel.
Does God love you?
Will God help you?

How do you see the goodness of the God in what Isaiah wrote down in Isaiah 60:1-3

- Was God planning good for Israel? Yes or No
- Was God planning good for the other nations? Yes or No
- Was God showing His love, care and willingness to help Israel and the other nations out of darkness (sin and evil) into His light (forgiveness and good)? Yes or No
- Who was the light that God was sending through His people, Israel (the Jews).
to the other nations? _____ (_____)
- Does this promise include you and your family and friends? Yes or No



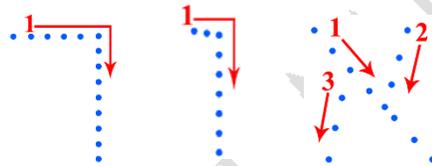
Do you choose to follow Yeshua (Jesus) as the light of life?

BRIT CHADASHAH (New Testament) John 8:12 (NKJV)

Then Jesus spoke to them again, saying,

“I am the light of the world. He who follows Me shall not walk in darkness, but have the light of life.”

Ohr = light



Aleph = God, Vav = man, Reysh = head.

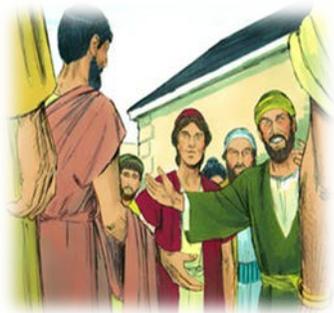
God, the Man, is the head.

He is the Light!



Hebrew/English	Read and write Hebrew Letters <u>from right to left</u> ←		
Ohr/light	Reysh 	Vav 	Aleph

Paul and Timothy are telling others the about the goodness of God and the Light of the World, Yeshua (Jesus), is for them too!



BRIT CHADASH (New Testament) Acts 16:4-5 (NKJV) Read Aloud

⁴ And as they went through the cities, they delivered to them the decrees to keep, which were determined by the apostles and elders at Jerusalem.

⁵ So the churches were strengthened in the faith, and increased in number daily.

(Circle Answer)

1. Paul and Timothy shared with others what God want them to do, when people obeyed what two blessings happened?



Timothy and Silas talked with people about the goodness of the LORD as they sat by the river.



BRIT CHADASHAH (New Testament) Acts 16:13-15 (ESV) (Read Aloud)

¹³ And on the Sabbath day we went outside the gate to the riverside, where we supposed there was a place of prayer, and we sat down and spoke to the women who had come together.

¹⁴ One who heard us was a woman named Lydia, from the city of Thyatira, a seller of purple goods, who was a worshiper of God. The Lord opened her heart to pay attention to what was said by Paul.

¹⁵ And after she was baptized, and her household as well, ...

2. Where do you pray: at home? at school? outside?

3. Are you a worshiper of God? (Praise, Thank, Honor, Obey, and follow God)

Yes or No

4. Do you believe in Yeshua (Jesus) Yes or No

5. Have you been baptized in water? Yes or No



Paul and Silas were put in jail because they were telling people About Yeshua (Jesus). Paul and Silas prayed and sang hymns, songs to God in Jail.



BRIT CHADASHAH Acts 16:23-25 (NKJV) (Tell the story)

²³ And when they had laid many stripes on them, they threw *them* into prison, commanding the jailer to keep them securely. ²⁴ Having received such a charge, he put them into the inner prison and fastened their feet in the stocks.

²⁵ But at midnight Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns to God, and the prisoners were listening to them.

1. Do you pray when you are in trouble? Yes or No
2. Do you sing to God when you are in trouble? Yes or No

A great earthquake shook and the jail doors opened And chains fell off Paul and Silas and the other prisoners.



BRIT CHADASHAH (New Testament) Acts 16:27-34 (NKJV) (Tell the Story)

²⁷ And the keeper of the prison, awaking from sleep and seeing the prison doors open, supposing the prisoners had fled, drew his sword and was about to kill himself.

²⁸ But Paul called with a loud voice, saying, "Do yourself no harm, for we are all here."

²⁹ Then he called for a light, ran in, and fell down trembling before Paul and Silas.

³⁰ And he brought them out and said, "Sirs, what must I do to be saved?"

³¹ So they said, "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and you will be saved, you and your household." ³² Then they spoke the word of the Lord to him and to all who were in his house.

³³ And he took them the same hour of the night and washed *their* stripes. And immediately he and all his *family* were baptized.

³⁴ Now when he had brought them into his house, he set food before them; and he rejoiced, having believed in God with all his household.

Can you find the goodness of the LORD to Paul, Silas and to the Prison Keeper?

Do you remember what country Paul, Silas, and Timothy were in?



Can you think of someone who needs the Light of Yeshua?

Can you tell them about God's goodness and Yeshua's love for them?

Yeshua (Jesus) came from God the Father as His Son to die for my sin and your sin.

Yeshua rose from the dead to give you and me His Light and Life,
if we believe and choose to obey His commandments.



Remember what Yeshua said the greatest commandment was?

Love the LORD your God with all your heart, soul and mind.

And the 2nd commandment is like it, Love your neighbor as yourself.

Matthew 22:36-40

God is a good Father, and loves us and cares for us and will help us obey His Word
through the power of the Holy Spirit.

The Holy Spirit reminds us of God's WORD – Truth.

The Holy Spirit helps us with Love, Joy, Peace,
Patience, Kindness, Goodness,
Faithfulness, Gentleness (Humility), and Self-Control.



Barook (Blessing):

May Yeshua bless you in know that the Kingdom of God has come near you.

Teacher note: You can bless the students at the end of the class with this blessing as a whole group or individually.)

Games and Activities Teacher Instructions

For each of the lessons one of the games has been suggested to re-enforce the theme of the lesson. We have used the following games in a variety of ways. You can use the game suggested or choose another which fits your students and your time frame.

A list of general games that can be used for any/all lessons is included on page 193.

ALEPH BET MEANINGS

Review the Hebrew letters 1-10 and their meanings using the Alep Bet Hebrew Letter Practice page 211-212.

BUILD BOB

1. Have a list of questions from the current or the past several lessons.
2. Divide the class into even teams.
3. Ask alternating teams a question. The teams can discuss the answer if they need to. For each correct answer, the team gets to draw a "body part" on the board. The "drawings" consist of stick figures with a round head.
4. There are 6 body parts to be a complete "Bob" – the head, the body, two arms and two legs – If you want the game to go longer, hands and feet can be added. The first team to build Bob wins.

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