



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

1. What is Zip for Kids™? Zip for Kids delivers a truly one-of-a-kind event by providing Christ-centered programming that fits the DNA of your church and community.

2. For what ages is Zip for Kids designed? Preschool through grade six. *Zip for Preschool* (3s-Kindergarten) is a self-contained preschool event with music, worship, Bible story, Bible activities, Bible story videos, and activity tracks designed for your preschoolers. *Zip Essentials* is for grades one through six.

3. In what types of settings can Zip for Kids be used? Use Zip for Kids in any setting you can dream up. It's designed to be customizable and flexible to help you create an event that meets the needs of your church and the interests of your kids. Use it as a day camp, an overnight camp, a weekly camp, a simple VBS, or a specialty camp such as soccer or fine arts. It's also great for Wednesday or Sunday nights, Mother's Day Out, extended care, and mission trips. The possibilities are endless!

4. What kinds of activities are included with Zip for Kids? Zip for Kids sessions are customizable. They may be all large group (platform driven), all small group, or a combination of both. Tracks are NOT part of Bible study large or small group. Tracks are interest based (soccer, duct tape art, etc.). However, Bible debriefs that tie back to the content are included throughout each day's track time in all 16 tracks.

Large Group activities include: Energizers, Huddle ups, Media & Music, Bible Story, Get the Point, and Crowd Games.

Small Group activities include: Intro Activity, Bible Story/Reconnect, Drive the Discussion, Big Questions, and additional activities you can choose based on the amount of time you have.

Tracks: Zip for Kids provides 16 track options, plus Create-Your-Own templates. Tracks include the following categories: Create It, Play It, Perform It, Live It, and Create-Your-Own. The track offerings will vary with each release of Zip for Kids. Check the web site for the current listing of tracks: zipforkids.com

5. How do I get started? What do I need? For grades 1-6, start with the *Zip Essentials*, then add *Zip Media* and *Zip Tracks*. For preschoolers, simply order *Zip for Preschool*. Once you have your resources, explore the options for Bible studies and tracks. Then choose activities based on the interests of your kids and the gifts and mentoring abilities of your leaders.

6. Who can lead Zip for Kids? Adults willing to share their abilities and talents with kids—whether showing kids how to build something or how to perform a cheer, Zip for Kids provides an avenue for adults to guide and mentor kids. Zip for Kids is also great for teens desiring to assist adults with tracks and small groups. NOTE: All adults should complete a background check and be approved to work with children.

7. Do I have to use Zip for Kids inside the church building? No! You can use Zip for Kids anywhere—at a park, on the mission field, in your neighborhood. Use it inside your zip code or out!

8. Why Zip for Kids? Simply put, when you speak the language a kid hears best, he's more likely to connect with the message. Zip for Kids provides an outlet for people to use their gifts to serve God and it's great for developing discipleship relationships in your church as leaders are equipped to connect with kids.