


Multiple Intelligences

Multiple Intelligences is a learning theory that celebrates individual learning styles. MI suggests that all people are smart in 8 different ways. While we may have a preference for learning in one or two ways, all of us are capable of learning in of each of the eight ways. To reach all students and to encourage the development of all 8 intelligences, teachers need to present learning experiences in a variety of ways. This variety gives learners an environment in which to excel and grow!




The 8 Intelligences are:

Verbal/Linguistic
Logical/Mathematic
Visual/Spatial
Musical/Rhythmic
Bodily/Kinesthetic
Naturalist
Interpersonal
Intrapersonal



Want to know more?



What is Workshop Rotation Sunday

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The Workshop Rotation Model

1st-4th grade students concentrate on one story from the Bible over a three week period. The story is explored each week from a different angle. Students participate in a different workshop each week, actively experiencing Bible truths through a variety of learning styles. Workshops are active, creative, and because kids are enjoying themselves, they say it is fun!



"Fun is not the goal,
it is the by-product!"

By the end of three weeks your child may have experienced life in Bible times through making flatbread, visiting a marketplace, playing Bible times games, and exploring maps and diagrams on the computer. Children learn and retain much more of what they are taught when they learn through doing.

Workshop Leaders teach the same workshop for three consecutive weeks. This allows volunteers to become experts in one area and helps cut down on preparation time. They can also choose a workshop that is of interest to them, so it is fun for the Leader and for the learner!

Terms you'll want to know...

God's Garden

God's Garden is what we call our Sunday School ministry at Immanuel. We believe that it is our ministry to help plant and nurture seeds of faith in the hearts of children, but that God causes those seeds to grow and mature.

Gardener

A Gardener is your child's group leader. The same adult meets with your child at the beginning of the Sunday School hour each week. Gardeners accompany children to their workshops, help them participate and build relationships with the children.



How do I know where to go?

Children meet their Gardeners in Fellowship Hall at the beginning of Sunday School each week. Each group has its own flag pole and meets by it.

At the end of Sunday School your child will be in a Workshop room. There are two charts—one at the Children's Ministry Center, one near the west door—that will tell you which room your child's group is in.

Parents please do not collect your student until the workshop leader opens the door. The closing of a rotation lesson is critical to completing the instruction. Thanks.

Workshops include:

Mary and Martha's Bed & Breakfast:

Hear and see the story in a Bible times house.

Temple: Study in a temple setting just like Jesus did!

Kingdom.com: Explore and create in our computer lab.

Hollywood: Watch and discuss a video while munching popcorn in the theater

Galilean Gourmet: Explore the Bible through food!

Creation Station: Create artwork of all kinds to express what you've learned

Matter of Faith: God's creation is full of mystery and surprise—discover it here!

Moved by the Spirit: Sing, dance, compose praises to God!

Faithful Fun: Use your body to understand Bible challenges & teachings.



Hope to see you soon!