

# *Walk Through the Bible*

## 2021 Museum Night

**OBJECTIVE:** To give students the opportunity to learn about people of the Bible by researching and presenting a project based on a Bible person of their choice.

### What is Museum Night?

Each year, Linda Vista hosts a Museum Night where students bring history to life. Students research historical figures and then bring their character to life in our museum. This includes writing a speech, creating a backdrop and props, and dressing in costume. As visitors explore each room in the museum, the historical characters take turns coming to life and talking about themselves, their lives, and their accomplishments that made them famous. This is an excellent event to invite family and friends to. We'll walk your children through this process and provide you with details to support them on the homefront.

It is important to start prepping now that project is launched, especially if there is a particular person your student would like to represent, as it is a first-come-first-serve basis and the most popular figures are chosen quickly. There is an approved list of Biblical figures to choose from which to choose, however, additional people will be considered for approval by the faculty as necessary. Once chosen and confirmed with Mrs. Pennock, your student should begin brainstorming their speech and planning the backdrop and props they will want. Backdrops and props should ultimately be made by the students, though TK-2nd grade parents are welcome to lend a hand.



# MUSEUM NIGHT TIMELINE

## **October 8 - Museum Night Kickoff**

Guidelines go home.

## **October 8-15 - Choose your Bible character**

Bible characters, or Adventist historical figures, are chosen on a first-come, first-serve basis. There are no duplicate projects/characters allowed. If someone has chosen your person already, you will need to choose someone else, so please have a backup person or two in mind in case your first choice has already been assigned to another student. Mrs. Pennock has the master list, so students please talk with her.

## **October 15-29 -Research & Writing**

Research your person and begin to write your speech. You will be in-character, so be sure to write as if you were that person. For example: "I am \_\_\_\_\_, and I was born \_\_\_\_\_." Then tell about yourself, what you did, and what you were known for.

Grades K-2: Keep your speeches about 30 seconds.

Grades 3-8: Your speeches should be about 40-45 seconds long.

(Please, no longer than one minute in length!)

## **October 29- November 7 - Backdrop and Costume**

Continue to work your speech. All speeches must be memorized. Begin designing a backdrop. You can create your own, or you may talk with your teacher or Mrs. Pennock for help/inspiration. Most students use ar/ butcher paper to create a paper backdrop that will be hung up on walls or on frames at school for the performance. . Also, get your costume ready as you need to dress like your person. We have a supply of costumes in our storage room that we lend out. Costumes are also first-come, first-serve. For help with a costume or backdrop please see Mrs. Pennock after school on any Tuesday, Thursday, or Friday.

## **November 5 - Backdrops Due**

All backdrops need to be brought to school on Friday, November 5th.

## **November 9 - Dress Rehearsal**

Dress rehearsal will happen in front of the entire school during mid-morning and afternoon. You are expected to be in costume and have your scripts memorized.

## **November 11 - Museum Night!**

Students need to be at the school by 6:00 p.m. to get costumed and ready. Students must be in their spots before 6:30 p.m and remain in their spot until 8:00 p.m.