

“PRINCIPLES FOR PREACHING AND TEACHING”
FIRST MISSIONARY CHURCH
TEACHER TRAINING WORKSHOP
(Session 3)

PRINCIPLES FOR PREACHING AND TEACHING

10. POINT(S).

11. PARABLES.

Reading (Read/Write):

Listening (Auditory):

Seeing (Visual):

Doing (Kinesthetic):

12. PARTICIPATION.

The Parable of the Sower (Matthew 13:1-9)

13. PURPOSE.

14. PRACTICE.

15. PROVIDE OPPORTUNITIES TO SHOW WHAT THEY HAVE LEARNED.

TEACHING/PREACHING PRINCIPLES

1. Explanation

2. Illustration

2. Application

**TEACHER'S JOB DESCRIPTION
FIRST MISSIONARY CHURCH**

JOB SUMMARY

Since the responsibility of a Christian educator is to reach people for Christ and teach them the truths of God's Word, the Sunday School teacher is a key individual in seeing this purpose fulfilled. Proverbs 15:2 (TLB) states: "A wise teacher makes learning a joy."

DUTIES

1. Be an example to your students by faithfully attending church services.
2. Maintain a daily personal devotional life.
3. Have a genuine concern for people.
4. Teach with the goal of spiritual transformation and growth in the lives of class members.
5. Be faithful in teaching class.
6. Be prompt in attendance. Be at least 15 minutes early, for prayer, preparation, meeting class members, etc.
7. Show concern for your students through phone calls, cards, etc., especially during times of a class member's personal need and special observances (birthdays, graduations, etc.).
8. Use existing teaching materials or develop your own materials, subject to approval by the Board of Elders.
9. Participate in all staff meetings as well as training sessions/workshops as they are available.
10. Cooperate with the church elders and other teachers.
11. Seek to lead students to Christ and train them to reach others. Encourage class members to serve Christ.
12. Notify your assigned and approved substitute teacher *in advance* if unable to teach the class.
13. Keep accurate attendance records.
14. Use a variety of teaching methods.
15. Know age-group characteristics of class.
16. Evaluate class sessions, teaching methods, your own spiritual growth, etc.
17. Keep the church secretary informed about conversions, special activities, necessary supplies, etc.

ORGANIZATIONAL RELATIONSHIP

Teachers are appointed by the Board of Elders and are responsible to them.

QUALIFICATIONS

The Sunday School Teacher shall be a Spirit-filled Christian, gifted by the Holy Spirit, actively supporting the local church, a member of First Missionary Church, and in agreement with the doctrine and policies of the church and the Missionary Church, Inc.