

# Takehome

## Take-Home Assignment: Understanding Leviticus 25

Dear Students and Families,

Today, we explored Chapter 25 of the Book of Leviticus, which talks about important concepts like the Sabbath Year and the Year of Jubilee. This assignment will help us better understand these ideas and think about how they can fit into our lives today.

Objective:

Learn about the concepts of rest, fairness, and gratitude as presented in Leviticus 25.

Activities:

1. Create a "Sabbath Year" Plan:

- With your family, plan a day this weekend as a "Sabbath Day." Discuss ways you can rest as a family and do something that brings you joy, instead of work or chores.
- Write down or draw what activities you chose for your special rest day.

2. Family Discussion:

- Read together this short summary:

"In Leviticus 25, God instructs the Israelites to let the land rest every seventh year and to return land to original owners every 50th year."

3. Reflection Questions:

- Why do you think rest is important for people and the land?
- What might "letting things rest" mean for how we treat our toys, games, or electronics?
- How can giving things a break help them last longer or work better?

4. Gratitude Jar:

- Create a "Gratitude Jar" at home. Throughout the week, have each family member write down things they're thankful for on small slips of paper and place them in the jar.
- At the end of the week, gather and read these out loud. Discuss how being grateful relates to the ideas in Leviticus 25.

5. Draw or Write:

- Draw a picture or write a short story about what a "Year of Jubilee" might look like in your family or town. Think about sharing, celebration, and kindness.

Parents and Guardians:

Please use this time to encourage discussion and reflection with your child about the importance of rest, sharing, and gratitude, as taught in Leviticus 25. Use this opportunity to connect the biblical stories to your own family's values and practices.

Remember:

This assignment is meant to be a fun and thoughtful exercise. Enjoy the time together as a family!

Thanks for learning and reflecting together!