

## LESSON FOR TODDLERS TO PRESCHOOLERS

**Approach:** Teaching Bible Truth Blended with Basic Learning  
(Alphabet and Phonics; Numbers; Shapes and Colors)

**Lesson:** Recognition of the Letter **Oo**; How it Sounds and How to Write It.

**Sub-topics:** Number one (1) for the chapter in the book of Obadiah;  
Circle and Oblong shapes; and blue color.

**Bible Truth:** We must obey God.

**Bible Connect:** **Obadiah Obeys God.**

**Bible Story:** Obadiah 1:1-21

**Memory Verse:** John 14:15

*"If you love Me, obey Me."*

### Lesson Objectives

By the end of this session, the students must be able to:

1. Recognize the Letter **Oo**, number **1**, **circle and oblong** shapes, and **blue** color;
2. Tell that we must obey God;
3. Recite the memory verse with actions;
4. Say a praise or prayer of thanks for God's love;
5. Participate in craft-making and work on the activities given.

### Teaching Aid

Pictures of the following:

1. Letter Oo
2. Circle shape
3. Oblong shape
4. Blue color
5. Number 1
6. Obadiah
7. God
8. People of Edom (Edomites)

Pictures are viewable in this file:  [Letter O for Obadiah \(Visual Aid\).pdf](#)

### Pre-session Activity

**Prayer Time:**

**Song:** GOD IS LISTENING (Tune: Are you sleeping?)

God is listening (2x)  
When we pray (2x)  
Close our eyes so nicely  
Fold our hands so quietly  
Now, we'll pray (2x)

— OPENING PRAYER —

**Review Time:** Letter N for Nehemiah

*The teacher may ask the children the following questions:*

1. His name begins with the letter N and he helped rebuild the walls of Jerusalem, who is he?
2. Do you believe that God hears our prayers?

**Circle Time:**

*Song:* CIRCLE SONG/

[Make A Circle | Preschool Song | Super Simple Songs - YouTube ...](#)

Make a Circle, small,small,small,big,big,big,small,small,small  
Make a circle big,big,big  
Hello,hello

Make a Circle, round,round, round,round,round,round,round,round  
Make a circle round,round,round  
Hello,hello

Make a circle, up,up,up,down,down,down,up,up,up  
Make a circle, down,down,down  
Now sit down

*The teacher may say to the children,*

Kids, what shape is our mat? It's a circle and its color is—that's right, it's the color blue!

Can you help me identify which objects are blue?

- Show pictures of objects that are blue or place objects that are blue on the mat;
- Allow the children to choose which objects are blue.

But, kids, we have another shape here! It looks like a circle, but it's stretched a little bit. Do you still remember what this is called? It's an OBLONG! Today, we're going to learn about the letter O. The letter O is shaped like an oblong.

**Worksheet (Optional):**

- Tracing activity: Letter **Oo**, Number **1**, **Circle**
- Coloring activity using a blue crayon: Color all the letters Oo, numbers 1, and circle shapes.

**Lesson Proper**

*For teachers' reference:*

*Please read attached file to learn more about Obadiah:* [☰ The Story of Obadiah](#)

**Bible Story Time:**

*Please show your Bible or use the big Bible used in Toddler's Class and tell the children that the book you're holding is called a Bible.*

The Bible has many books! Today, we will study about one book in the Bible. It is the shortest book in the Bible, because it only has one chapter. This book is called OBADIAH. Say it with me kids, OW - BUH - DAI -UH!

Obadiah tells us about the *wicked (evil/very bad)* people who lived in the land of Edom (Edomites). The people in the land of Edom always disobeyed God and fought with the people of Israel (Israelites/God's people). *You may ask the children if fighting with one another is right or wrong or if disobeying God pleases Him.*

God loves His people, so God told Obadiah to warn the people of Edom that what they were doing was wrong. Obadiah loved God! So he obeyed God's Word and told the people of Edom about their wrongdoing.

### Life Application

Do you love your mama/papa/nanay/tatay? Then what do you do to show them you love them? *Allow each student to tell you how they express their love to their parents.*

One way of showing we love them is by being obedient to them/obeying them.

In our bible story today, Obadiah teaches us to obey God. When God tells us to do something, what should we do? We must obey Him! Kids, we must remember that God loves us, and if we love God, we must obey Him.

### Evaluation

The teacher may ask the children the following questions based on the objectives given.

1. What is the shortest book in the Bible that only has one (1) chapter?
2. What did Obadiah teach us in our bible story today?

### Enrichment Activities

*Suggestions for Beginner's Class:*

*Please ensure that the children's craft corresponds to the Bible story or the sub-topics discussed in the lesson.*

*Suggestions for Preschool Class:*

Worksheets and Craft are viewable in this file:  [Letter O for Obadiah \(Activities\).pdf](#)