



Maui Christian Academy

First Grade Memory Verses

2026–2027 School Year (ESV)

**"I have stored up your word in my heart, that I might not sin against you." –
Psalm 119:11**

Welcome to First Grade! Throughout the year, students will memorize Scripture to help hide God's Word in their hearts. Please practice these verses a little each day. Consistent practice makes memorization much easier!



August Memory Verses

John 15:5

"I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing."

Genesis 1:1

"In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth."

Genesis 2:18

"Then the LORD God said, 'It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him a helper fit for him.'"



Due: Thursday, August 27



September Memory Verses

Ephesians 4:32

"Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you."

Hebrews 11:7

*"By faith Noah, being warned by God concerning events as yet unseen, in reverent fear constructed an ark for the saving of his household. ★ **Extra Credit** (By this he condemned the world and became an heir of the righteousness that comes by faith.)"*

Ephesians 6:1

"Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right."  **Due:** Thursday, September

October Memory Verses

Deuteronomy 5:7

"You shall have no other gods before me."

1 Timothy 4:12

"Let no one despise you for your youth, but set the believers an example in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith, in purity."

Joshua 1:9

"Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be frightened, and do not be dismayed, for the LORD your God is with you wherever you go."

 **Due:** Thursday, October 22

November Memory Verses

Matthew 4:19

"Follow me, and I will make you fishers of men."

Exodus 20:12

"Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long in the land that the LORD your God is giving you."

 **Due:** Thursday, November 19

December Memory Verses

Isaiah 9:6

"For to us a child is born, to us a son is given; and the government shall be upon his shoulder, and his name shall be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace."

Luke 2:10–12

10 *"And the angel said to them, 'Fear not, for behold, I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people.'*

11 *'For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord.'*

★ **Extra Credit** 12 *'And this will be a sign for you: You will find a baby wrapped in swaddling cloths and lying in a manger.'*  **Due:** Thursday, December 10



January Memory Verses

Psalm 119:11

"I have stored up your word in my heart, that I might not sin against you."

Psalm 119:105

"Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path."

Isaiah 1:18

"Come now, let us reason together, says the LORD: though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they are red like crimson, they shall become like wool."



Due: Thursday, January 28



February Memory Verses

John 3:16

"For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life."

John 11:25

"Jesus said to her, 'I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me, though he die, yet shall he live.'"

Psalm 100:4

"Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise! Give thanks to him; bless his name!"

Psalm 24:1

"The earth is the LORD'S and the fullness thereof, the world and those who dwell therein."



Due: Thursday, February 25



March Memory Verses

Hebrews 11:6

"And without faith it is impossible to please him, for whoever would draw near to God must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who seek him."

Romans 3:23

"For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God."

John 14:15

"If you love me, you will keep my commandments."



Due: Thursday, March 25



April Memory Verses

Matthew 6:21

"For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also."

Hebrews 4:12

"For the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing to the division of soul and of spirit, of joints and of marrow, and discerning the thoughts and intentions of the heart."



Due: Thursday, April 22



End-of-Year Review

Keep practicing all year long!



August–December Review: Thursday, May 6



January–April Review: Thursday, May 13



Practice a little every day!

A few minutes of daily practice helps God's Word stay in our hearts forever.