Teaching Challenge

Purpose

To encourage young people to develop creative teaching skills.

Grade Levels

There are three grade levels in this event: 3-4, 5-6, 7-12.

Process

- Complete all requirements prior to the convention.
- The congregation coordinator should complete a Challenge Form (in the Forms Section).
- Challenge forms should be brought to SELTC Central by 5:00 p.m. the Friday of the convention.

Rules

- Participants should be at least 3 years older than the class he/she is teaching.
- As a helper, the participant must aid the teacher in preparing for the class. This would include cutting out handwork, coloring and preparing visual aids, preparing artwork, etc. The teacher will provide all needed materials. The participant should also attend the class and help the teacher in whatever way is needed.
- As a helper and teacher, the participant must aid the teacher in preparing for the class and teach a small portion of the class, such as the Bible lesson, the application story, etc.
- As a teacher, the participant would be responsible for preparing for the class and teaching the entire class time.
- Participants should complete these tasks with the same class. These tasks should be completed within consecutive weeks, if possible.
- This is an individual event.

Awards

<u>3rd – 4th Grades</u>

Gold – 3 class periods as a helper and1 class period as a helper and teacher (4 weeks)

Silver – 3 class periods as a helper (3 weeks)

Bronze – 2 class periods as a helper (2 weeks)

<u>5th – 6th Grades</u>

Gold – 2 class periods as a helper and 2 class periods as a helper and teacher (4 weeks)

Silver – 2 class periods as a helper and 1 class period as a helper and teacher (3 weeks)

Bronze – 1 class period as a helper and 1 class period as a helper and teacher (2 weeks)

<u>7th – 12th Grades</u>

Gold – 1 class period as a helper, 2 class periods as a helper and teacher, and 1 class period as a teacher (4 weeks)

Silver – 1 class period as a helper and 2 class periods as a helper and teacher (3 weeks)

Bronze – 1 class period as a helper and 1 class period as a helper and teacher (2 weeks)