

HUMAN SEXUALITY—LESSON 7

KINDERGARTEN

In this lesson, we will discuss reconciliation shared in our families and how we are each gifts from God.

GRADE 1

In this lesson, the students will learn that through love and marriage, families give birth to children and help each member of the family to grow. Mothers and fathers give love to one another and their children, and because they love, they care for their families in many ways.

GRADE 2

In this lesson the children learn that there are many different kinds of families, but that all families want good things for each other. Children learn that families share love and life, welcome each member, and help one another grow and learn. Families stand by each other—they are loyal and faithful.

GRADE 3

In this lesson, the children will be helped in learning to appreciate these concepts: My friends' faith in me helps me to grow; I help my friends grow; Christians pray faithfully.

GRADE 4

The aim of this lesson is to help children realize that marriage involves giving oneself totally and permanently to one's partner, and permanency helps to make total self-giving possible.

GRADE 5

This lesson is aimed at instilling in your child a deeper appreciation for the role and importance of commitment and fidelity in marriage, as it is understood by the Church, and a deeper appreciation of the qualities that are part of marriage when it is viewed as a permanent and fruitful relationship. We will be sending home a follow-up activity as we have in the past.

GRADE 6

The aim of this lesson is to help students realize that sexuality is an integral part of all states of life, not just married life. In addition, this lesson is aimed at deepening the students' understanding of the nature of marriage. To note that Jesus saw marriage in terms of the profound purposes intended by God and to understand that the Church, therefore, sees marriage as sacramental. Discussion activities will be sent home following this lesson.