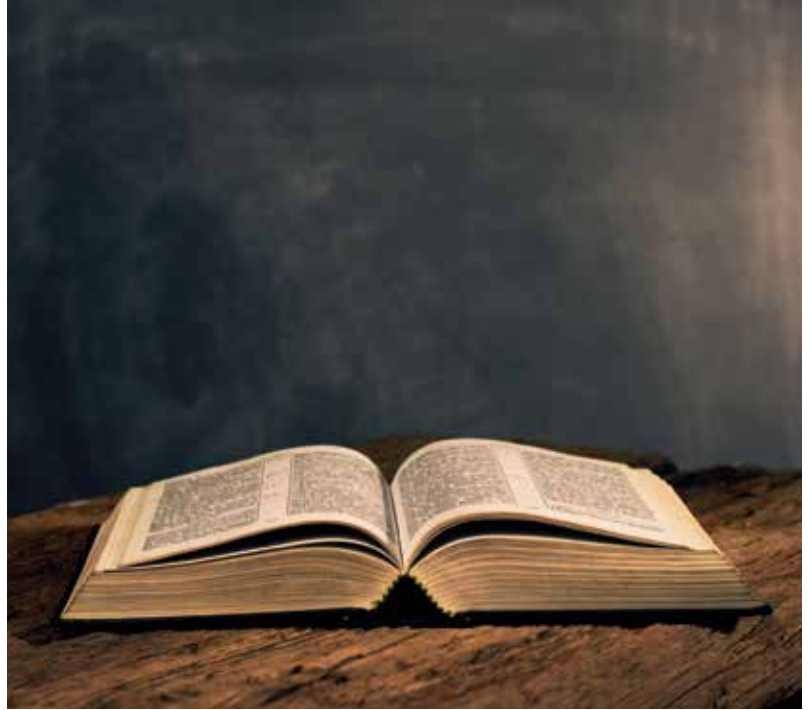


Little Patriots - Course 25

Alexander Hamilton



Memory Verse



James 1:12

Blessed is the one who perseveres under trial because, having stood the test, that person will receive the crown of life that the Lord has promised to those who love him.

Relevant Scripture:

Romans 5:3-4

Hebrews 12:1-2

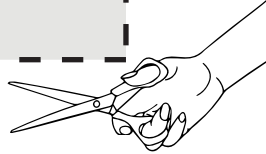
Faith Supplement Instructional Goals

- Integrate biblical teachings on perseverance with lessons from Alexander Hamilton's life, fostering spiritual and character development.
- Help students identify relevant Bible verses on perseverance and connect them to Hamilton's experiences.
- Lead discussion regarding the similarities and differences between secular and biblical perspectives on perseverance.
- Apply biblical principles of perseverance to real-life situations and decision-making processes.
- Reflect on personal values, beliefs, and goals in light of the lessons learned from Hamilton's story and biblical teachings on perseverance.



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Perseverance in Adversity: Learning from Alexander Hamilton

A Mini-Lesson

Objective: Students will learn the importance of perseverance in overcoming challenges through the life story of Alexander Hamilton, and they will reflect on how they can apply perseverance in their own lives.

Introduction: Introduce the concept of perseverance and its importance in overcoming challenges. Provide examples of everyday challenges students may face and discuss how they can respond with perseverance.

Who was Alexander Hamilton?

- Discuss Alexander Hamilton's background and the challenges he faced during his childhood.
- Highlight Hamilton's determination and perseverance in overcoming adversity.

Lessons from Hamilton's Life

- Explore Hamilton's contributions to the founding of the United States despite facing numerous obstacles.
- Emphasize Hamilton's resilience and unwavering commitment to his goals.

Bible Reflection

- Read and discuss the applicable Bible verses on perseverance.
- Reflect on how the lessons from Hamilton's life align with the principles of perseverance found in the Bible.

Application

- Encourage students to think about their own challenges and how they can persevere through them.
- Discuss strategies for maintaining perseverance, such as seeking support from others, staying focused on goals, and trusting in God's strength.

Conclusion

- Summarize the key points of the lesson, emphasizing the importance of perseverance in achieving success.

- Encourage students to apply the lessons learned from Alexander Hamilton's life in their own journeys.

Activity Ideas

1. Group Discussion: Divide students into small groups to discuss specific challenges they have faced and how they persevered through them.
2. Creative Writing: Have students write a short story or journal entry about a time when they demonstrated perseverance in overcoming a challenge.
3. Art Project: Create a collage or visual representation of perseverance, incorporating images and quotes from Alexander Hamilton's life and relevant Bible verses.
4. Role Play: Act out scenarios where characters demonstrate perseverance in different situations, allowing students to empathize with and understand the importance of perseverance.

Assessment

- Assess students' understanding of the lesson objective through their participation in discussions, completion of activities, and reflections on personal experiences of perseverance.