

# Teaching Children



## **A child learns best when..**

- I am actively engaged in what I'm learning.
- My teacher remembers I have a limited attention span and changes things up frequently.
- There are clear and consistent guidelines.
- I have opportunities to work with others. I am growing in my understanding of what life in community means.
- I have caring adults who show me what Jesus is like.
- My teacher uses encouraging words and genuine praise.
- A variety of learning methods is used in each lesson. Every child has a preferred way of learning.
- I am encouraged to be curious.
- My teacher uses concrete and real world examples. I don't think abstractedly.
- My teacher provides well-planned and intentional Bible study.
- I am challenged to apply and practice what I have learned.
- My teacher understands where I am in my physical, emotional/social, intellectual and spiritual development.
- I can respond to the Holy Spirit's leading. I need to know the Gospel message and be disciplined in my faith.