

# Pet Project: See it through

Responsibility is showing you can be trusted with what is expected of you



## MEMORY VERSE

"Suppose you can be trusted with something very little. Then you can also be trusted with something very large."

Luke 16:10a, NIV

## Talk About the Bible Story

Open the Bible together and read Proverbs 6:6-8 or watch the video together on the Parent Cue app.

## Engagement Questions

- Is there a certain kind of work you enjoy doing?
- What are some ways you can help yourself remember to **work hard** without being asked?
- How does our hard work show love to God and others?

## Faith and Character Activity

Scan the QR code below for activities to guide kids at every phase to trust Jesus in a way that changes how they see God, themselves, and the rest of the world.



Scan the QR code to get started

## Prayer

"Dear God, thank You for the way You made us and the ability You've given us to **work hard**. Please highlight the needs around us so that we can show responsibility this week without being asked. Thank You that when we work hard, it can show others how much you love them. Amen."

## Weekly Parent Cues

# Elementary

ENGAGE IN EVERYDAY MOMENTS TOGETHER



## Morning Time

As your kid starts their day, compliment them on something you've seen them work hard on recently (school, sport, instrument, etc.). It can be big or small.



## Meal Time

At a meal this week, have everyone at the table answer this question: "What is something you could put some extra effort into—something you want to learn or get better at?"



## Drive Time

While on the go, ask your kid: "Who is someone you know who is a hard worker?"



## Bed Time

Pray for each other: "God, help us work hard at the things you give us to do, and to do our best."

## More Ways to Engage with Your Kid



## Faith & Character Activities



## Worship Song of the Month

## Download the Parent Cue app

AVAILABLE FOR APPLE AND ANDROID DEVICES



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Read: Galatians 6:9

DAY

1



## Hard Work

Look around your house and figure out a way you can help. Ask an adult if they have any ideas if you can't find something to do. Whatever you choose to do, stick with it and work hard to complete the task to the best of your ability!

**LOOK** for ways that you can help others around you!

DAY

2

## To Do: Work Hard

Create a list of chores you can do to help out in your house. Make a list of three things: one that will help someone specific (example: make your lunch), one that will help the house (example: run the vacuum), and one that helps you (example: do your homework and put it away). Work on your list this week.

**ASK** others what they need help with.



DAY

3

## Doing Good

Write out this week's verse and draw a picture of yourself doing something good!

**KNOW** that doing good for others shows them God's love.



DAY

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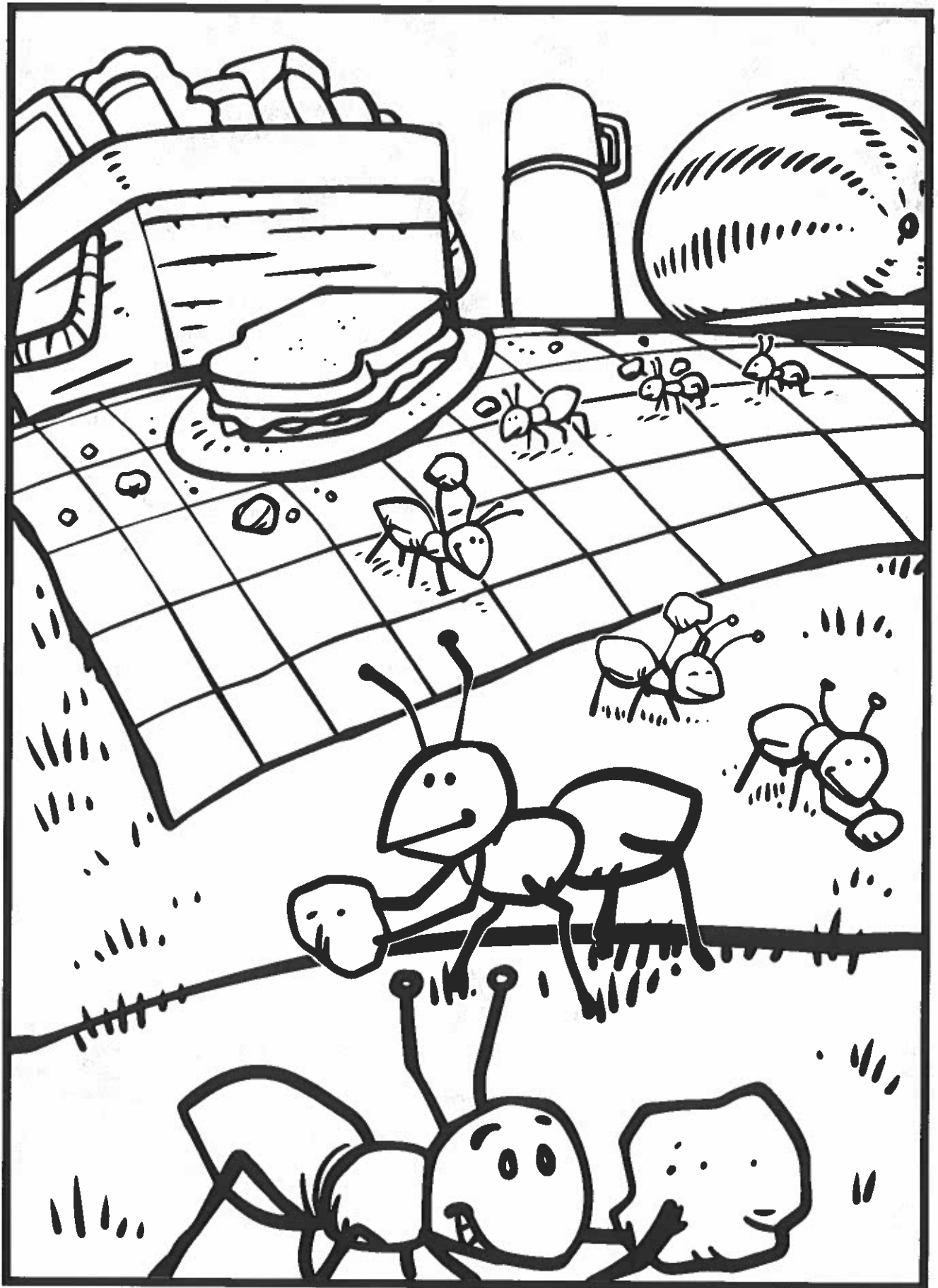
## Do the Work

When we ask God to help us see the needs around us, God will use us. Ask God to help you see what others need and how you can help them. You can pray something like this:

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"Dear God, I pray that I can see others needs today. Help me do what I can to help them and show them Your love. God, help me to be a good friend and work hard to help others. Amen."  
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**THANK** God for showing you how to care for others.

Work hard.



## VERSES TO LOOK UP:

Colossians 3:23

2 Timothy 2:6

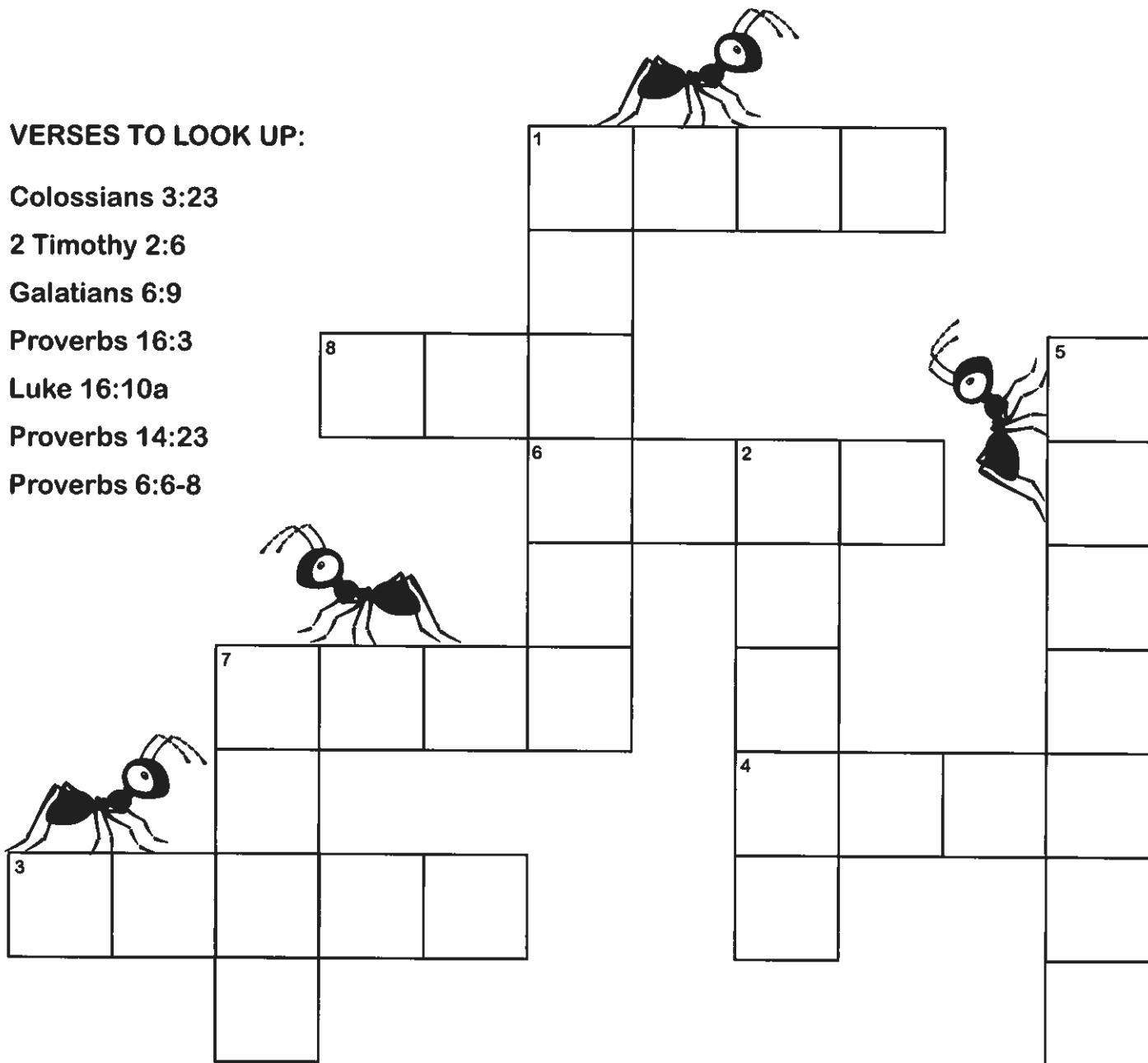
Galatians 6:9

Proverbs 16:3

Luke 16:10a

Proverbs 14:23

Proverbs 6:6-8



## DOWN

1. Those trusted with something \_\_\_\_\_.
2. can also be trusted with something \_\_\_\_\_.
5. If you commit what you're doing to God,  
God will help you \_\_\_\_\_.
7. More \_\_\_\_\_.

## ACROSS

1. We should work for the \_\_\_\_\_.
3. The hardworking farmer should receive  
the \_\_\_\_\_ share.
4. Don't \_\_\_\_\_ up.
6. Less \_\_\_\_\_.
7. Be \_\_\_\_\_ and...
8. work like the \_\_\_\_\_.

**What to Do:**  
Print on paper. Provide one for each kid.

**VERSES TO LOOK UP:**

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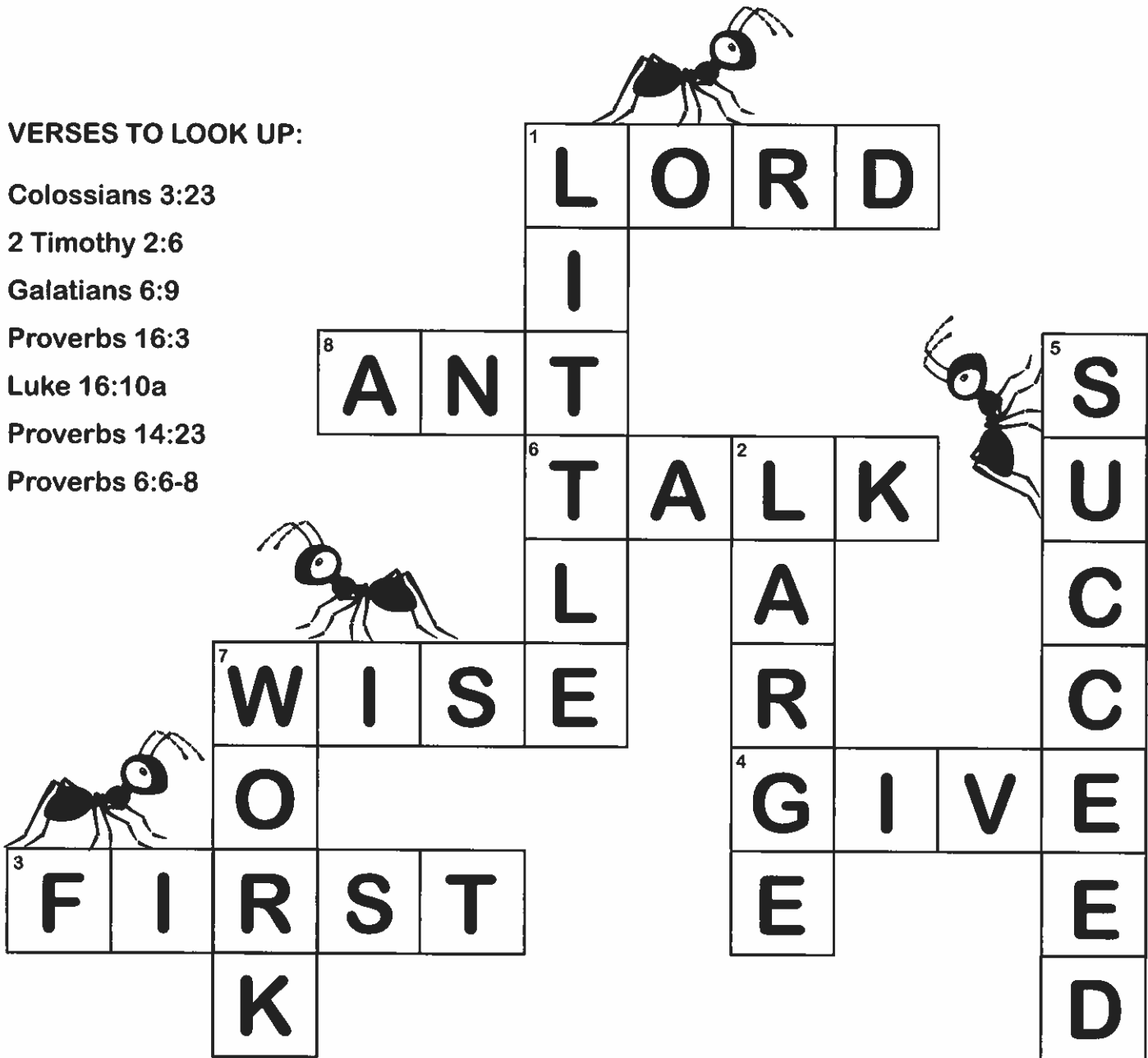
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**DOWN**

1. Those trusted with something LITTLE ...
2. can also be trusted with something LARGE.
5. If you commit what you're doing to God,  
God will help you SUCCEED.
7. More WORK.

**ACROSS**

1. We should work for the LORD.
3. The hardworking farmer should receive  
the FIRST share.
4. Don't GIVE up.
6. Less TALK.
7. Be WISE and...
8. work like the ANT.

**What to Do:**  
Print on paper and provide one for each Small Group.

**"Work Hard Words Answer Key" Activity Page, NlrV**  
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you can**

1

**be trusted  
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**very large.”**

7

**Luke 16:10a  
(NlrV)**

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**What to Do:**

Print on different-colored paper,  
one color set for every three to four kids.

**“Memory Verse Cards” Activity Page, NlrV**

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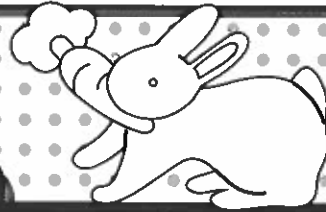
**ALL ABOUT ME...**

**FAVORITE HOBBY:**

**FAVORITE SUBJECT IN SCHOOL:**

**THREE THINGS I'M GOOD AT:**

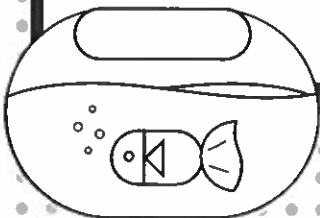
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2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_



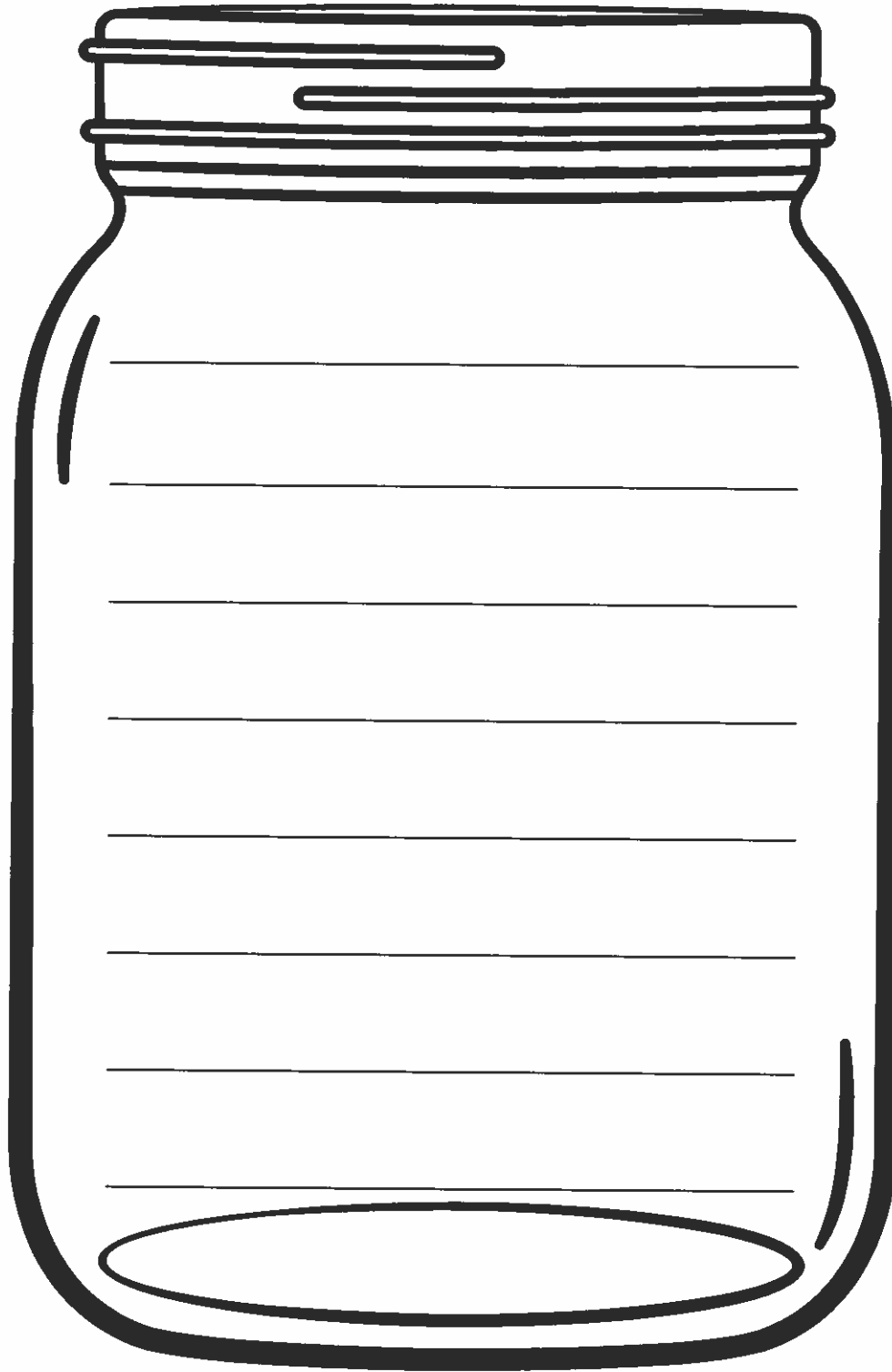
**WHAT MAKES ME  
A GOOD FRIEND?**

**HOW WOULD A FRIEND  
DESCRIBE ME?**

**HOW HAVE I USED  
ONE OF THESE SKILLS  
TO WORK HARD?**



# PET PRAYER JAR



WORK HARD

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**What to Do:**

Print on cardstock. Provide one for each kid.

**"Pet Project Prayers: 3" Activity Page**

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