



## Other Learning and Small Group Resources

[Small Group Study for Adolescents: Building Character: A Study Guide for Adolescents and Teens](#), developed by Mona Lindeman and Susan Ward

This nine-week Study Guide is designed for pre-teens and teenagers to explore what it means to be a person of character. The study is designed to be led by pre-teens or teens in a group on their own, but would work equally well with an adult leading, or to undertake as a family. During the study, participants find out what God has to say about certain character traits and think about how they might build those traits into their own character. The study is based on the book *Character Matters! Raising Kids with Character that Lasts*, by John Yates and Susan Alexander Yates, and explores the following character qualities: integrity, self-discipline, a servant's heart, faith, a teachable spirit, compassion, courage, and joy. The studies use a variety of methods to teach the traits, ranging from children creating artwork to participating in role plays. **[This free resource may be downloaded here.](#)**