Fine Arts Bible Memory Rules

1. Each contestant will be responsible for the complete list of verses given to them for their grade.

2. The contestant requirements for each grade level are as follows:

   1<sup>st</sup> grade: Memorize 8 verses, the judges will ask for 5 to be recited (of judges choosing)
   2<sup>nd</sup> grade: Memorize 10 verses, the judges will ask for 5 to be recited ("")
   3<sup>rd</sup> grade: Memorize 12 verses, the judges will ask for 7 to be recited ("")
   4<sup>th</sup> grade: Memorize 14 verses, the judges will ask for 7 to be recited ("")
   5<sup>th</sup> grade: Memorize 14 verses, the judges will ask for 10 to be recited ("")

   (All first graders will be required to memorize and recite the same verses, all second graders will be required to memorize and recite the same verses, etc.)

3. When a contestant is given a verse by the judge, he or she will repeat the reference, say the verse and end with the reference.

4. The contestant may request the judge to repeat a reference.

5. Having started to say a verse, the contestant may stop and start over.

6. The judges’ decision is final.

7. Judging will be done by grade level and will be based on the following:

   Errors Made 75%
   Voice Projection 10%
   Intonation (Conviction, Declaration, Heart felt recitation) 15%

8. Contestants must use their grade level verse requirements. They may not chose any verses on their own. All contestants will be required to know the same amount of verses.

9. Once a student has declared their intention of participating in the Bible Memory competition, they will be given their list of verses to memorize. If your child hands in their Fine Arts paperwork and does not receive their list of verses in a timely manner, please contact Mrs. Killingsworth for your child’s list. Any questions may also be directed to Mrs. Killingsworth. (Jenni-Killingsworth@forceychristianschool.org)

10. The sooner you hand in your Fine Arts paper work, the sooner you can study your Bible Verses!