Preschool · Easy

# Dagon Worksheet

Easy: circle the right word · 1 Samuel 5:1–12

Name: _____ Date: _____

## Circle the right word

A grown-up can read each sentence out loud.

1. The Philistines took the ( **ark** / **boat** ) of God.
2. They set the ark by ( **Dagon** / **a tree** ).
3. The men got up ( **early** / **late** ) in the morning.
4. In the morning, Dagon had ( **fallen** / **stood up** ).
5. They carried the ark to ( **Gath** / **Egypt** ).

## Circle the number

6. How many mornings did they find Dagon fallen? **1** / **2** / **5**
7. How many months was the ark with the Philistines? **3** / **7** / **12**

## Trace the verse

Use a pencil to write over the gray letters. Then write the words again on the line below.

Dagon was fallen upon his face

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*1 Samuel 5:3 (KJV)* · Dagon fell down before the ark of the LORD.


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# Answer key

**Circle the right word**

1. The Philistines took the **ark** of God. *(1 Samuel 5:1)*
2. They brought it into the house of Dagon, and set it by **Dagon**. *(1 Samuel 5:2)*
3. They of Ashdod arose **early** on the morrow. *(1 Samuel 5:3)*
4. Dagon was **fallen** upon his face to the earth before the ark of the LORD. *(1 Samuel 5:3)*
5. They carried the ark of the God of Israel about unto **Gath**. *(1 Samuel 5:8)*

**Circle the number**

6. **2.** Two: on the morrow (1 Samuel 5:3), and again on the morrow morning (1 Samuel 5:4). *(1 Samuel 5:3–4)*
7. **7.** The ark of the LORD was in the country of the Philistines **seven** months. *(1 Samuel 6:1)*

**Trace the verse**

"Dagon was fallen upon his face" is part of 1 Samuel 5:3 (KJV). The whole verse is: "And when they of Ashdod arose early on the morrow, behold, Dagon was fallen upon his face to the earth before the ark of the LORD. And they took Dagon, and set him in his place again."

# For the teacher

**Time:** about 10 minutes · **Ages:** 4–6 (preschool and kindergarten)

- **Read it out loud:** read each sentence and both choices, then let kids circle the answer. Kids who can't write yet can point while you circle.
- **Tracing:** kids trace the gray letters with a pencil or crayon, then copy the words on the line. Younger kids can just trace.
- **Talk about it:** Dagon could not stand before the ark of the LORD (1 Samuel 5:3). Ask: *Who is the one true God?*
- **Teach the story first:** use the free Dagon Falls Before the Ark Sunday school lesson at vbshq.com/lessons/dagon-lesson.


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