Preschool · Easy

# Writing on the Wall Worksheet

Easy: circle the right word · Daniel 5:1–31

Name: _____ Date: _____

## Circle the right word

A grown-up can read each sentence out loud.

1. Belshazzar made a great ( **feast** / **boat** ).
2. Fingers of a man's hand wrote on the ( **wall** / **floor** ).
3. The king was ( **troubled** / **happy** ).
4. ( **Daniel** / **Samson** ) read the writing.
5. Daniel was clothed with ( **scarlet** / **rags** ).

## Circle the number

6. How many lords came to the king's feast? **10** / **100** / **1000**
7. How many words were written on the wall? **2** / **4** / **6**

## Trace the verse

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

Thou art weighed in the balances

*Daniel 5:27 (KJV)* · weighed in the balances = put on God's scale


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# Answer key

**Circle the right word**

1. Belshazzar the king made a great **feast** to a thousand of his lords. *(Daniel 5:1)*
2. The hand wrote upon the plaister of the **wall** of the king's palace. *(Daniel 5:5)*
3. Then was king Belshazzar greatly **troubled**. *(Daniel 5:9)*
4. **Daniel** said, "I will read the writing unto the king." *(Daniel 5:17)*
5. They clothed Daniel with **scarlet**. *(Daniel 5:29)*

**Circle the number**

6. **1000.** He made a great feast "to a thousand of his lords." *(Daniel 5:1)*
7. **4.** The writing was "MENE, MENE, TEKEL, UPHARSIN" (four words). *(Daniel 5:25)*

**Trace the verse**

"Thou art weighed in the balances" is part of Daniel 5:27 (KJV). The whole verse is: "TEKEL; Thou art weighed in the balances, and art found wanting."

# 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:** God sent Daniel to read the writing on the wall (Daniel 5:17). Ask: *Why should we be humble before God?*
- **Teach the story first:** use the free Handwriting on the Wall Sunday school lesson at vbshq.com/lessons/handwriting-on-the-wall-lesson.


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