Preschool · Easy

Rehoboam Worksheet

Easy: circle the right word · 1 Kings 12:1–20

Name: _____ Date: _____

Circle the right word

A grown-up can read each sentence out loud.

1. All Israel came to make Rehoboam (**king** / **baker**).
2. The people asked for a (**lighter** / **heavier**) yoke.
3. The old men said to speak (**good** / **mean**) words.
4. Rehoboam listened to the (**young** / **old**) men.
5. The king answered the people (**roughly** / **kindly**).

Circle the number

6. How many days did Rehoboam tell the people to go away? **1** / **3** / **7**
7. Rehoboam asked the old men and the young men. How many groups is that? **1** / **2** / **5**

Trace the verse

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

speak good words to them

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1 Kings 12:7 (KJV) · Good words are kind words.

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Answer key

Circle the right word

1. All Israel were come to Shechem to make him **king**. *(1 Kings 12:1)*
2. "Make thou... his heavy yoke which he put upon us, **lighter**." *(1 Kings 12:4)*
3. "Speak **good** words to them." *(1 Kings 12:7)*
4. He consulted with the **young** men that were grown up with him. *(1 Kings 12:8)*
5. The king answered the people **roughly**. *(1 Kings 12:13)*

Circle the number

6. **3.** "Depart yet for **three** days, then come again to me." *(1 Kings 12:5)*
7. **2.** He consulted with the old men (verse 6) and with the young men (verse 8). *(1 Kings 12:6, 8)*

Trace the verse

"speak good words to them" is part of 1 Kings 12:7 (KJV). The whole verse is: "And they spake unto him, saying, If thou wilt be a servant unto this people this day, and wilt serve them, and answer them, and speak good words to them, then they will be thy servants for ever."

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:** The old men said to "speak good words to them" (1 Kings 12:7). Ask: *What good words can you say to someone today?*
- **Teach the story first:** use the free Rehoboam and the Divided Kingdom Sunday school lesson at vbshq.com/lessons/rehoboam-lesson.

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