CC-1: The Nature and Works of the Gods

Comparison Chart 1 Parent/Teacher Copy	Pagan Gods and Goddesses	The God of the Bible
Character Qualities of the Creator(s)		
How the World was Created		
How Man was Created		
Why Man was Created – His Purpose		
What is the Value or Worth of Man		
What do Babylonian and Hebrew laws reveal about their gods? (Lesson 15)		
In the pagan and biblical origin stories, what roles does power play? (Lesson 18)		

CC-2: View of Nature

Comparison Chart 2 Parent/Teacher Copy	Polytheism	Monotheism	Naturalism	Pantheism
What is Nature?				
How Does Man Respond to Each View of Nature?				
Is Nature More Important or Less Important than Man?				

CC-3: The Great Flood

Comparison Chart 3 Parent/Teacher Copy	Gilgamesh's Flood	Noah' s F lood
What similarities do you see between these two stories?		
Why was mankind wiped out?		
Why were Utnapishtim's and Noah's families saved?		
What do these stories reveal about the character of the gods/God?		

CC-4: Worship: Seven Days a Week

Comparison Chart 4 Parent/Teacher Copy	Ancient POLYTHEIST	Old Testament Monotheist
Why did they practice a 7-day week?		
What did they do each day of the day that expressed their worship?		
What bears the image of the gods/ God?		
Define idolatry and rest in the correct column. (Lesson 6)		
Why would a true polytheist never rest and a true monotheist never commit idolatry?		

CC-5: Worship Through Sacrifice

Comparison Chart 5 Parent/Teacher Copy	Ancient Polytheist	Old Testament Monotheist	New Testament Monotheist
Reasons for Sacrifice: (lesson 7)			
For polytheists, list the general reasons why they offered sacrifices.			
For monotheists, summarize the reason for each of the Bible's eight great sacrifices. Note sacrifices seven and eight under N.T. Monotheists. (lesson 7)			
How important are repentance and obedience in relation to sacrifice? (lesson 8)	Does Not Apply		
Summary: Summarize the reasons for monotheist sacrifice. (lesson 8)			

CC-6: Worship Through Prayer

Comparison Chart 6 Parent/Teacher Copy	Ancient Polytheists	Hebrew Monotheists
What did both ancient polytheists and monotheists believe about prayer that was true? Include the types of prayers that both groups prayed.		
Note the first major differences in their beliefs about prayer: Who they were praying to.		
Note the second major difference in their beliefs about prayer: What did each believe about the power of prayer?		
Why were pagan prayers idolatrous?		

CC-7: Consequences of Idolatry vs. True Worship

Comparison Chart 7 Parent/Teacher Copy	Polytheism	Monotheism	Modern Idolatry
How and why is Human Sexuality impacted by each worldview?			
How and why is the Value of Human Life impacted by each worldview?			
How and why is one's view of Demonic Power impacted by each worldview?			

CC-8: Hammurabi's Code and Mosaic Law

Comparison Chart 8 Parent/Teacher Copy	<i>Instructions:</i> Due to the volume of information, answer all questions in paragraph form.
1) Compare Hammurabi's view of his gods and his achievements to Moses' view of God and his achievements.	
2) Record the purposes of both laws.	
3) Note what type of laws do not exist in Hammurabi's Code and the reason why.	
4) What similarities and differences exist between the laws dealing with marriage, murder, and thieves?	
5) How were "An eye for an eye" laws implemented differently in both cultures?	
6) Briefly define how the rebellious child was dealt with and why Israel's law had such severe punishments for that sin.	

CC-9: Suffering of the Babylonian and Biblical Job

Comparison Chart 9 Parent/Teacher Copy	Babylonian "Job"	Biblical Job
Describe the character of the sufferer.		
What is the reason behind his suffering?		
How is the sufferer restored?		
What does suffering teach him about the gods/God?		
Compare the purpose of and use of power by the sorcerer with God's powerful words to Job.		

CC-10: The Afterlife and The Resurrection

Comparison Chart 10 Parent/Teacher Copy	Polytheists	OT Monotheists	NT Monotheists
What or how did the gods/God provide for the afterlife for each group?			
What important stories did each have involving "resurrection"?			
What was resurrected through each story?			
Through what rituals were these stories reenacted, and who received renewed power or strength through them?			