

Disciplemaking with Your School Online in 5 Minutes

Discipleship doesn't have to be in person—it can happen online just as effectively. Whether it's through a class discussion, a group chat, or social media, you can invest in someone's spiritual growth in just five minutes. Here's how:

1. Pray for Wisdom and Open Doors (30 Seconds)

Before you start, ask God to guide your words and open hearts:

"Lord, give me clarity, boldness, and love as I encourage my classmates in their faith. Let this conversation bring them closer to You."

Even online, the Holy Spirit is the one who works in hearts.

2. Check In With Someone (1 Minute)

Send a quick message to a classmate who's a believer (or someone seeking). Ask:

- *"How's your walk with Christ going?"*
- *"What's been encouraging you spiritually lately?"*
- *"Anything I can pray for?"*

Simple questions show you care and keep the door open for deeper conversations.

3. Share a Quick Encouragement (1 Minute)

Post or send a Bible verse, devotional thought, or testimony that might uplift others. Some easy ways to do this:

- Share a verse that impacted you today (*Philippians 4:6 for anxiety, Romans 12:2 for renewal, etc.*).
- Post a short thought about how God is working in your life.
- Send a message like: *"I read this verse today and thought of you—hope it encourages you!"*

Even a small word can be what someone needs to hear.

4. Invite to Something (1 Minute)

Help classmates connect with Christian community:

- *“Want to do a short Bible study together online?”*
- *“Would you be up for a weekly prayer check-in?”*
- *“Hey, my church has a great online service—want to check it out?”*

Discipleship grows in relationships. Even a simple invite can make a big impact.

5. End With a Prayer or Encouragement (1 Minute)

If someone shares a need, pray for them right then and there in a message. Example:

“Lord, I lift up (name) today. Give them peace, wisdom, and strength to follow You. Remind them of Your love and faithfulness. In Jesus’ name, amen.”

If they’re not comfortable with prayer, just say, *“I’m here for you—let me know how I can support you.”*

Keep It Going

Discipleship isn’t just one conversation—it’s a journey. With just five minutes a day, you can encourage and strengthen someone’s faith online.

So start today. Send a message, post encouragement, and trust God with the results!

