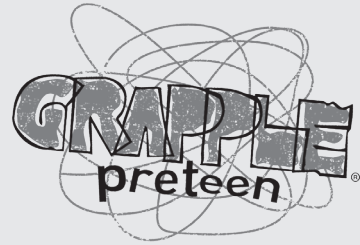


Grapple Parent page

Grapple Question:

If I'm Forgiven, What's the Big Deal About Sin?



Kids Learn:

Confessing Sin and Pursuing God

Dig Into the Bible:

Psalms 32; 51; Isaiah 59:1-2; Romans 6:12-15

There are some sins that don't seem to be a big deal—a little white lie here, a small manipulation of the facts there. It doesn't really hurt anyone, right?

But even one little sin can affect our relationships with God and others. Tell your son or daughter about a time something turned out to be a bigger deal than you expected—maybe you fudged a little on your résumé and your boss found out, or maybe you told a friend you liked her awful new shirt and she ended up buying you the same one for your birthday. Remind your child that even "little" sins can have an impact.