

# What's Up? Parent letter



Dear Parents,

Your kids have been learning what's up in Guatemala – specifically what's *growing* up! Crops are growing up and so are new believers thanks to the work of IMB missionaries. David and Regina White work with a team at the Chorti Agricultural Development Center, teaching people to effectively grow crops in hard conditions. Most importantly, they tell people about Jesus.



Here are some ways your kids can support missions internationally and serve others:

- Regina White tells Chorti boys and girls Bible stories they have never heard before. At family reading time, swap the storybook for some action-adventure tales that might be unfamiliar to your child. How about Elisha's chariots of fire (2 Kings 6), Gideon's soldiers armed with clay jars and torches (Judges 6–7) or Paul's courage in a shipwreck (Acts 27)?
- Workers from the agricultural center teach Chorti farmers how to compost, protect their seedlings with fences and prevent erosion by planting hedgerows. As the growing season winds down, involve your child in outdoor work by preparing your yard or garden for winter. Better yet, as a family, offer to do seasonal yard work for an elderly adult who needs some strong backs and helping hands!
- Read 2 Peter 3:18. For fun, write each word of the Bible verse on a separate sticky note and hide the notes around your house. Assemble the verse on the family fridge and award a small treat to the person who finds the final note. Talk with kids about things they can do to grow in the knowledge of God.

Check out the resources at [kidsonmission.org](http://kidsonmission.org). Watch the "What's Up?" video clips with your child. Ask your kids what they've learned about the White family.

Thanks for letting us share with kids how to be on mission with God!

