Judah's Kings Jehoahaz & Jehoiakim

- 1. Carefully read through 2 Kings 23:31-24:7, Jeremiah 22:10-23, 2 Chronicles 36:2-8, and Daniel 1-4. Highlight with different colors the words spoken by different people. Underline in yellow each time the name of God is used. Underline in green each time a place is named. Underline in blue each time a person is named. Circle, underline, or color any other repeated phrases. What patterns do you notice?
- 2. Memorize 2 Kings 24:3-4, "Surely this came upon Judah at the command of the LORD, to remove them out of his sight, for the sins of Manasseh, according to all that he had done, and also for the innocent blood that he had shed. For he filled Jerusalem with innocent blood, and the LORD would not pardon."
- 3. Create your own detailed outline of 2 Kings 23:31–24:7, Jeremiah 22:10–23, 2 Chronicles 36:2–8, and Daniel 1–4.
- 4. What does Pharaoh Neco do to Jehoahaz (Shallum)? Why? What do Jeremiah 22:10-17 and Ezekiel 19:1-4 say about this?
- 5. Who makes Jehoiakim king? What was his name before? Why does it change?

6.	Who attacks Jerusalem in the 3 rd / 4 th year of Jehoiakim (2 Chronicles 36:6-7; Daniel 1:1-3)? What does he take? Who does he take?
7.	How long does Jehoiakim remain loyal to Nebuchadnezzar? What does he do after that? What happens in response?
8.	What does Jeremiah predict before Nebuchadnezzar attacks (Jeremiah 25)? What does Jehoiakim do with the prophecy after the attack (Jeremiah 36:9-32)?
9.	What happens in Daniel 1-4? What can we learn from these events?
10	. What can we learn from the lives of Jehoahaz and Jehoiakim?