

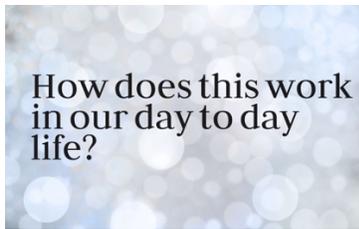
# Proverbs 2 Handout



**Proverbs 22: 17-18 Listen carefully and hear the words of the wise, and apply your mind to my knowledge; for it will be pleasant if you keep them in mind (incorporating them as guiding principles): let them be ready on your lips (to guide and strengthen yourself and others).**

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**Proverbs 17:27**

**27 He who restrains his words has knowledge, and he who has a cool spirit is a man of understanding.**

**Proverbs 2:12–17**

**12 Wisdom will save you from the ways of wicked men, from men whose words are perverse,**

**13 who leave the straight paths to walk in dark ways,**

**14 who delight in doing wrong and rejoice in the perverseness of evil,**

**15 whose paths are crooked and who are devious in their ways.**

**16 It will save you also from the adulteress, from the wayward wife with her seductive words,**

**17 who has left the partner of her youth and ignored the covenant she made before God.**

**Proverbs 15:1 – A gentle answer turns away wrath, but a harsh word stirs up anger.**

**Matthew 7:24**

**24 “Therefore everyone who hears these words of mine and puts them into practice is like a wise man who built his house on the rock.**

**Matthew 7:26**

**26 “Everyone who hears these words of Mine and does not act on them, will be like a foolish man who built his house on the sand.**



Take the  
time to  
build a  
**STRONG**  
**FOUNDATION.**

**25 The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house; yet it did not fall, because it had its foundation on the rock.**

While the storm  
is bad, the boat is  
better.

**26 But everyone who hears these words of mine and does not put them into practice is like a foolish man who built his house on sand.**

**27 The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house, and it fell with a great crash.”**

**Proverbs 10:25 When the whirlwind passes, the wicked are no more, but the [uncompromisingly] righteous have an everlasting foundation.**

**Proverbs 10:19**

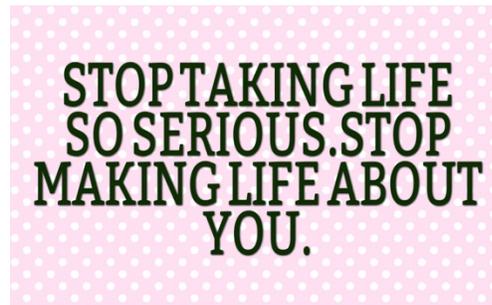
**When words are many, sin is not absent, but he who holds his tongue is wise.**

**Proverbs 12:18**

**Reckless words pierce like a sword, but the tongue of the wise brings healing.**

**Proverbs 19:11**

**Sensible people control their temper; they earn respect by overlooking wrongs.**



**Proverbs 29:11**

**A fool gives full vent to his anger, but a wise man keeps himself under control.**