

# First Missionary Journey Answer Key

Use this answer key to discuss the students' answers to the First Missionary Journey activity in their Student Guides.

## 1. Syria, Antioch (12:25–13:3)

**Actions:** Saul and Barnabas were commissioned by the church at Antioch under the direction of the Holy Spirit to spread the gospel. John Mark also accompanied them.

## 2. Seleucia (13:4) They sailed from this port to Cyprus.

## 3. Cyprus, Salamis (13:4–5)

**Actions:** They preached in the Jewish synagogue, but no response is recorded.

## 4. Cyprus, Paphos (13:6–12)

**Actions:** Preached to Sergius Paulus (the Roman governor) and cursed a false prophet with blindness.

**Positive Response:** Sergius Paulus believed after hearing the teaching and seeing the miracle.

**Negative Response:** Elymas (Bar-Jesus) the sorcerer resisted the preaching and tried to turn Sergius Paulus away from the faith.

## 5. Perga (13:13) They sailed to this port from Cyprus, and John Mark abandoned them.

## 6. Pisidia, Antioch (13:14–51)

**Actions:** Attended the synagogue and then proclaimed the gospel.

**Positive Response:** The Gentiles received the word, and many believed, and the word of the Lord spread throughout the region.

**Negative Response:** The Jews of Antioch persecuted Paul and Barnabas and kicked them out of the city.

## 7. Iconium (13:51–14:6)

**Actions:** Preached in the synagogue and elsewhere, doing signs and wonders in God's power.

**Positive Response:** A great multitude of the Jews and Greeks believed the gospel.

**Negative Response:** The unbelieving Jews stirred up the city and attempted to stone Paul and Barnabas.

## 8. Lystra (14:6–20)

**Actions:** They preached to the crowds, and Paul healed a crippled man.

**Positive Response:** The crippled man believed.

**Negative Response:** The crowds attempted to worship Paul and Barnabas as gods, but the Jews from Iconium and Antioch persuaded the people to stone Paul, leaving him for dead outside the city.

## 9. Derbe (14:20–21)

**Actions:** They preached the gospel to the city

**Positive Response:** Many became disciples.

## 10. Lystra/Iconium/Antioch (14:21–23)

**Actions:** They returned to Lystra, Iconium, and Antioch to strengthen the believers and appoint elders in each city.

## 11. Perga/Attalia (14:24–25)

**Actions:** They preached the word in Perga and sailed from Attalia.

## 12. Syria, Antioch (14:26–28)

**Actions:** They returned to the sending church and shared all God had done through them.