

# Year 7 Bible Project

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Form \_\_\_\_\_

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### A. What is the Bible?

1) What is the Bible?

Answer the question using the following words and pictures to help.



Christians



Book



Jesus



Prayer

The Bible is .....

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It contains .....

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2) Draw an image of the Bible here and decorate.



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B. How is the Bible divided up?

1) Complete the table by sorting these books into Old and New Testament.

Wisdom      Ephesians      Revelation      Exodus      Numbers  
 Act of the Apostles      Jeremiah      Ruth

Old Testament	New Testament

2) Read Exodus 20: 1-17

3) What is God giving to Moses in this reference?



In Exodus 20:1-17 God is giving Moses the .....

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4) What type of writing is this? Circle the correct answer:

**Prophecy**                      **Law**                      **Gospels**                      **Letters**

5) How do you know this?

I know this because .....

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6) Write down the 10 things that God gave Moses in the space below.

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| 3. | 8.  |
| 4. | 9.  |
| 5. | 10. |

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C. How to... find a Bible reference.

The Bible is divided up into t\_\_\_ sections. The Old and the N\_\_ T\_\_\_\_\_.  
These sections are then divided into b\_\_\_\_. These are then divided into  
c\_\_\_\_\_. Then these are divided into v\_\_\_\_\_.

A reference looks like this: Lk. (Luke) 1:26

My Choice of Style

Find a bible passage that you like.

Write down its reference: .....

Write down what style of writing it is: is it fiction, law, history, proverb, poetry, prophecy,  
teaching ? .....

What makes it this style?

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Explain what this passage is telling you.

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Explain why you like it.

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D. How the Old Testament was written.

Using the information fill in the gaps to EXPLAIN in order how the Old Testament was written

The Old \_\_\_\_\_ came into existence because the Jews began to experience \_\_\_\_\_ suffering such as being exiled. Because of this the Jews began to \_\_\_\_\_ to God for his help and forgiveness.

In response to their prayers \_\_\_\_\_ sends the Jews a prophet who tells them:

*"Do not fear! God is still with you! Turn away from your sins, and all will be well!"*

Eventually the Jews decided to \_\_\_\_\_ this information down, so their \_\_\_\_\_ could learn to trust in God too.

**WORD BANK** pray                      Testament                      children

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God                      write                                      suffering

Describe a bad or difficult experience you have had, just as the Jews learnt to turn back to God after bad things happened to them.

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What did you learn from this experience ?

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## E. How the New Testament was written



It is through the writers of the New Testament that we **know** about Jesus.

The first four books of the New Testament are known as **Gospels** which means 'good news'. A gospel therefore, is a book which tells the 'good news' about Jesus. It included details about the **things he said** as well as **what he did**.



**TASK:** Complete the following in silence using full sentence answers.

1) Who is the central character of the New Testament?

The central character of the New Testament is.....

2) What are the names of the first four books of the New Testament? (Unscramble the words)

Mathwet

karM

eLuk

ohnJ

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3) What are these Gospels about?

The Gospels are about.....  
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Ext 1: Why do you think some of the stories about Jesus are different? (How many people wrote them?)

The gospel stories about Jesus are different from each other because  
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Ext 2: Why do you think these Gospels were written?

I think the Gospels were written to .....  
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## F. Inspiration of the Bible

What does it mean to say that "the Bible is inspired"?

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Explain two ways that prove the Bible is inspired.

One way that proves the Bible is inspired is.....

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An example of this is when

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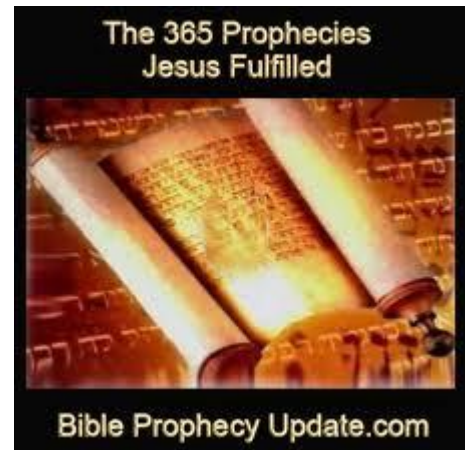


Another way that proves the Bible is inspired is that it can .....

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An example of this is when the Bible predicted that Jesus.....

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Another example is when the Bible writers wrote that Jesus

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G. The Authority of the Bible



The Bible is never mistaken when it teaches about matters of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ .

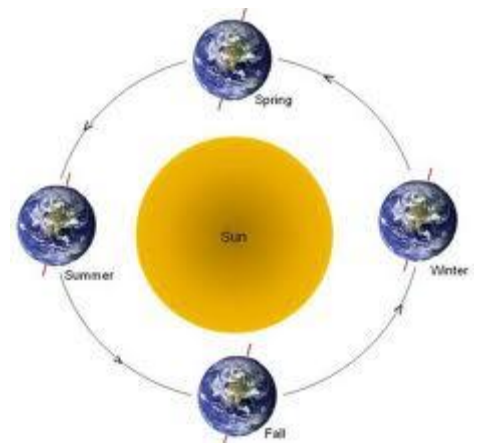
An example of a statement about faith is

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An example of a statement about morals is

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

The Bible can be wrong about \_\_\_\_\_ because it was written by people who did not have so much scientific knowledge as we do now . For example, the Bible is wrong when it says that the sun goes around the \_\_\_\_\_ , or when it says that people could live \_\_\_\_\_ years. This is not scientifically possible.



The Bible has authority to tell us what to believe and how to live, because it is \_\_\_\_\_ by the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit cannot \_\_\_\_\_, so Bible teaching about faith and morals is absolutely true.

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## H. How and Why do Christians use the Bible?

1. Match the pictures to how the bible is used. (Look at the images to start you off)



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1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_

Private prayer and meditation to hear God speaking to you

Bible study to learn about God

Swearing an oath in court

Reading in Church for Mass and other services

2. Choose one of the ways above and DESCRIBE in detail how it is used in that way.

The Bible is used by many people in many different ways. One way that the Bible is used is \_\_\_\_\_ . This is when \_\_\_\_\_

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This is important to do because \_\_\_\_\_

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