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## CHRISTIAN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION ACTIVITIES

**GRADE 2** 

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#### **FOREWORD**

The Government of Kenya (GoK) is committed to ensuring that policy objectives for Education, Training and Research meet the aspirations of the Constitution of Kenya 2010, the Kenya Vision 2030, National Curriculum Policy 2018, the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and the regional and global conventions to which Kenya is a signatory. Towards achieving the mission of Basic Education, the Ministry of Education (MoE) has successfully and progressively rolled out the implementation of the Competency Based Curriculum (CBC) at Pre-Primary, Primary and Junior School levels.

The Kenya Institute of Curriculum Development (KICD) reviewed the curriculum and rationalised the number of learning areas in 2024. The review and rationalisation process was informed by several factors, among them, the recommendations of the Presidential Working Party on Education Reforms (PWPER) and reports of the continuous curriculum monitoring and evaluation activities.

The reviewed curriculum designs build on competencies attained earlier by learners. The designs prepare the learner for smooth transition to the next level. The designs will also afford the learner opportunities for developing requisite competencies and enable them to interact with other people and the environment around them.

The key components of the curriculum designs include the National Goals of Education, the essence statement, general and specific learning outcomes as well as the strands and sub strands. Suggested learning experiences, key inquiry questions, core competencies, Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs), values and assessment rubrics are also outlined in the curriculum designs.

It is expected that all Government agencies and other stakeholders in Education will use the designs to plan for the effective and efficient implementation of the Competency Based Curriculum.

Thank you.

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#### **PREFACE**

The Ministry of Education (MoE) rolled out the Competency Based Curriculum (CBC), nationally in 2019, following a national convention in 2017 where the *Basic Education Curriculum Framework* (BECF) was adopted by stakeholders and a national pilot of the curriculum in the Early Years of Education (EYE) in 2018. According to the UNESCO IBE requirements, a curriculum should be reviewed every five years. So, the review of CBC was due from 2023. In view of this, the reviewed curriculum designs will enhance the implementation of CBC since it corporates the lessons learnt from the implementation of CBC so far.

Consistent periodical review of the curriculum is also critical in the realisation of the Vision and Mission of the on-going curriculum reforms as enshrined in the Sessional Paper No. I of 2019 whose title is: *Towards Realizing Quality, Relevant and Inclusive Education and Training for Sustainable Development* in Kenya. The Sessional Paper explains the shift from a content-focused curriculum to a focus on producing an engaged, empowered and ethical citizen.

Therefore, the reviewed curriculum designs will facilitate the inculcation of core competencies in CBC, which are identified as: communication and collaboration, critical thinking and problem solving, creativity and imagination, citizenship, digital literacy, learning to learn and self-efficacy.

The curriculum designs provide suggestions for interactive and differentiated learning experiences linked to the various strands and sub strands and other aspects of the CBC. The designs also outline suggested learning resources and varied assessment techniques. It is expected that the use of these designs will lead to enhanced learning outcomes at various levels, prepare the learner for smooth transition to subsequent grades and make learning enjoyable.

The MoE requests all stakeholders to keep giving feedback on the curriculum designs to inform the review during the next cycle.

Thank you.

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#### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

The Kenya Institute of Curriculum Development (KICD) Act Number 4 of 2013 (Revised 2019) mandates the Institute to develop and review curricula and curriculum support materials for basic and tertiary education and training. The curriculum development process is guided by research, international best practices as well as stakeholder engagement. The Institute conceptualised the Competency Based Curriculum (CBC) in consultation with the Ministry of Education and other stakeholders. According to the *Basic Education Curriculum Framework* (KICD, 2017) the conceptualisation of CBC was informed by 21st Century learning needs, the Constitution of Kenya 2010, the Kenya Vision 2030, the East African Community Protocol, the International Bureau of Education (IBE) Guidelines and the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

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May God bless all the individuals and respective institutions who in one way or another supported the curriculum review process. Indeed, these designs will effectively guide the implementation of the CBC at Primary level, thereby preparing the learner to transition to the Junior School.

Best wishes to all learners and curriculum implementers.

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#### NATIONAL GOALS OF EDUCATION

## 1. Foster nationalism, patriotism, and promote national unity

Kenya's people belong to different communities, races and religions and should be able to live and interact as one people. Education should enable the learner acquire a sense of nationhood and patriotism. It should also promote peace and mutual respect for harmonious co-existence.

#### 2. Promote social, economic, technological and industrial needs for national development

Education should prepare the learner to play an effective and productive role in the nation.

## a) Social Needs

Education should instil social and adaptive skills in the learner for effective participation in community and national development.

#### b) Economic Needs

Education should prepare a learner with requisite competences that support a modern and independent growing economy. This should translate into high standards of living for every individual.

## c) Technological and Industrial Needs

Education should provide the learner with necessary competences for technological and industrial development in tandem with changing global trends.

## 3. Promote individual development and self-fulfilment

Education should provide opportunities for the learner to develop to the fullest potential. This includes development of one's interests, talents and character for positive contribution to the society.

## 4 Promote sound moral and religious values

Education should promote acquisition of national values as enshrined in the Constitution. It should be geared towards developing a self-disciplined and ethical citizen with sound moral and religious values.

## 5. Promote social equity and responsibility

Education should promote social equity and responsibility. It should provide inclusive and equitable access to quality and differentiated education; including learners with special educational needs and disabilities. Education should also provide the learner with opportunities for shared responsibility and accountability through service learning.

## 6. Promote respect for and development of Kenya's rich and varied cultures

Education should instil in the learner appreciation of Kenya's rich and diverse cultural heritage. The learner should value own and respect other people's culture as well as embrace positive cultural practices in a dynamic society.

## 7. Promote international consciousness and foster positive attitudes towards other nations

Kenya is part of the interdependent network of diverse peoples and nations. Education should therefore enable the learner to respect, appreciate and participate in the opportunities within the international community. Education should also facilitate the learner to operate within the international community with full knowledge of the obligations, responsibilities, rights and benefits that this membership entails.

## 8. Good health and environmental protection

Education should inculcate in the learner the value of physical and psychological well-being for self and others. It should promote environmental preservation and conservation, including animal welfare for sustainable development.

#### LESSON ALLOCATION AT LOWER PRIMARY

S/No	Learning Area	Number of Lessons Per Week
1.	Indigenous Language Activities	2
2.	Kiswahili Language Activities / Kenya Sign Language Activities	4
3.	English Language Activities	5
4.	Mathematical Activities	5
5.	Religious Education Activities	3
6.	Environmental Activities	4
7.	Creative Activities	7
8.	Pastoral/Religious Instruction Programme	1*
Total		31

#### LEVEL LEARNING OUTCOMES FOR PRIMARY SCHOOL EDUCATION

By the end of Primary Education, the learner should be able to:

- a) Use verbal and or non-verbal cues to convey information in varied contexts.
- b) Demonstrate mastery of number concepts to solve problems in day to day life.
- c) Use appropriate social skills, moral and religious values to positively impact the society.
- d) Develop individual talents and interests for self-efficacy.
- e) Make informed decisions as local and global citizens of a diverse, democratic society in an interdependent world.
- f) Devise innovative strategies for environmental conservation and sustainability.
- g) Apply digital literacy skills for learning and enjoyment.
- h) Appreciate the country's rich and diverse cultural heritage for harmonious living.

# CHRISTIAN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION ACTIVITIES GRADE 2

#### ESSENCE STATEMENT

Christian Religious Education is the study of God's self-revelation to human beings through the Bible, the person of Jesus Christ and the Holy Spirit. This learning area builds on the competencies introduced at Pre-Primary Level. Christian Religious Education aims to equip the learner with moral values, life skills and attitudes that assist them to live peacefully with others. This is in line with the National Goal of Education number (IV) which states that education should promote sound moral and religious values.

These values include obedience, sharing, responsibility, honesty and respect among others. The skills to be developed include, praying, reciting scriptures/memorising, interpreting scriptures, leadership skills, self-esteem, self-awareness, assertiveness and decision making.

The life approach method will be used to facilitate the learning of Christian Religious Education. This implies that the teacher begins the lesson by exploring the experiences of the learner and guiding him or her to discover the religious significance of those experiences in relation to the Christian faith. The concepts taught at this level will lay a strong moral, spiritual and intellectual foundation for the learner as they transition to Upper Primary.

#### **GENERAL LEARNING OUTCOMES**

By the end Primary Education, the learner should be able to:

- a) Demonstrate an awareness of the love of God as their sole creator and heavenly father.
- b) Utilize the teachings of the Holy Bible in their interaction with others to form harmonious relationships.
- c) Apply the teachings of Jesus Christ in their day-to-day lives to promote social equality and responsibility.
- d) Acquire moral values and life skills to be able to overcome the challenges in day-to-day life.
- e) Appreciate the Church as a place of serving God and instilling a sense of responsibility in the learner.

## SUMMARY OF STRANDS AND SUB-STRANDS

Strand	Sub strands	Suggested Number of lessons
1.0 Creation	1.1 Self awareness	4
	1.2 My Family	4
	1.3 Creation of Sky, Sun, moon and Stars	5
2.0 The Holy Bible	2.1 Bible as Guide	3
	2.2 Divisions of the Bible	4
	2.3 The call of Samuel	5
	2.4 Daniel in the Den of Lions	5
	2.5 The Widow of Zarephath	5
3.0 The Early Life of	3.1 The Birth of Jesus Christ	5
Jesus Christ	3.2 Kindness of the Wise Men	4
	3.3 Jesus Calms the Storm	4
	3.4 Miraculous Catch of Fish	4
	3.5 Healing the man with a Withered Hand	4
	3.6 Easter	3

4.0 Christian Values	4.1 Sharing	3
	4.2 Obedience	3
	4.3 Honesty	3
	4.4 Thankfulness	3
	4.5 Forgiveness	4
	4.6 Responsibility	4
	4.7 Work	3
5.0 The Church	5.1 Prayer	4
	5.2 The Holy Spirit	4
Total		90

## **NOTE:**

The suggested number of lessons per sub-strand may be less or more depending on the context.

**STRAND 1.0: CREATION** 

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific learning outcomes	Suggested learning experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
1.0	1.1 Self-	By the end of the	The learner is guided to:	Why are you a
Creation	Awareness	sub-strand, the learner should be	<ul><li>recite Psalms 139:13,</li><li>in pairs mention what they like about themselves,</li></ul>	special creation?
	(4 lessons)	<ul> <li>able to:</li> <li>a) state what they like about themselves,</li> <li>b) list five different chores they do at home,</li> <li>c) appreciate their physical appearance.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>draw pictures of what they like about their physical features,</li> <li>in pairs observe and state in front of the class their similarities and differences (Genesis 1:27),</li> <li>be ordered from the shortest to the tallest and play games that give an advantage to both,</li> <li>in pairs list the chores they do at home,</li> <li>role-play different chores they do at home,</li> <li>sing a song about their physical appearance, 'Mwili wangu ni wa ajabu sana nani aliyeniumba mimi nashangaa</li></ul>	

- Self-efficacy: the skill of knowing self is exhibited as they mention what they like about themselves.
- Imagination and Creativity: the skill of exploration is enhanced as learners play games that give an advantage to their uniqueness.

## **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:**

Gender Awareness: knowing self and appreciating their gender either as a boy or girl.

#### Values:

Responsibility: hard work is portrayed as learners engage in assigned roles and duties.

- Language Activities: they learn new words.
- Creative Activities: learners role-play different chores they do at home.

Strand	Sub- Strand	Specific learning outcomes	Suggested learning experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
1.0 Creation	1.2 My Family (4 lessons)	By the end of the sub-strand, the learner should be able to: a) name family members to promote a sense of belonging, b) state items shared at home to foster family unity, c) identify four items that should not be shared at home for healthy living, d) appreciate members of the extended family for harmonious co-existence.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to: <ul> <li>in turns read Acts 10:2,</li> <li>name members of their extended family,</li> <li>draw and colour members of their extended family,</li> <li>share experiences of how they relate with members of the extended family,</li> <li>mention items they share at home,</li> <li>list items that should not be shared at home,</li> <li>say why they should not share the items listed.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Why is family unity important?

Learning to Learn: the skill of working independently is enhanced as learners draw and colour members of their extended family.

## **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:**

Health education: the learner lists items that should not be shared at home and gives reasons.

#### Values:

Unity is demonstrated as the learners share experiences of how they relate with members of the extended family.

## **Link to other Activity Areas:**

Health and Nutrition: the learner lists items that should not be shared at home and gives reasons.

Language Activities: speaking skills are enhanced as they learn new vocabulary and express themselves confidently.

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific learning	Suggested learning experiences	Suggested Key
		outcomes		Inquiry Question(s)
1.0 Creation	1.3 Creation of the sky, sun, moon, and stars (5 lessons)	outcomes  By the end of the sub-strand, the learner should be able to:  a) recognise God as the creator of the sky, sun, moon, and stars,  b) draw the sun, moon, and stars to appreciate God's creation,	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>observe pictures of the sun, moon, and stars (Genesis 1:14-19),</li> <li>observe the sky and tell what they see during the day and at night,</li> <li>draw and colour the sun, moon, and stars,</li> <li>cut and mount pictures of the sun, moon, and stars on a chart,</li> <li>sing a song on creation, 'Bwana Mungu nashangaa kabisa</li> <li>in groups, write the verse in Genesis</li> </ul>	Inquiry Question(s) Why is God's creation peculiar?
		c) respect God as the creator of everything.	1:16 on flashcards and display it in class.	

Learning to Learn: the skill of speaking engagingly is exhibited as learners tell what they see during the day and at night.

## **PCIs**

Environmental Awareness: learners observe the sky and tell what they see during the day and at night.

## Values:

Responsibility is portrayed as learners write Genesis 1:16 on flashcards and display it in class.

## SUGGESTED ASSESSMENT RUBRIC

LEVEL	<b>Exceeds Expectations</b>	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches	<b>Below Expectations</b>
INDICATOR			Expectations	
Ability to state what they like about themselves.	Learner states what they like about themselves with ease.	Learner states what they like about themselves.	Learner makes efforts to state what they like about themselves.	Learner states what they like about themselves with prompts.
Ability to list five chores they do at home.	Learner lists five chores they do at home citing relevant examples.	Learner lists five chores they do at home.	Learner lists four to three chores they do at home.	Learner lists two to one chore they do at home.
Ability to name family members to promote a sense of belonging.	Learner exhaustively names family members to promote a sense of belonging.	Learner names family members to promote a sense of belonging.	Learner names some family members to promote a sense of belonging.	Learner names family members to promote a sense of belonging with prompts.
Ability to identify four items that should not be shared at home for healthy living.	Learner identifies four items that should not be shared at home for healthy living and cites relevant examples.	Learner identifies four items that should not be shared at home for healthy living.	Learner identifies three to two items that should not be shared at home for healthy living.	Learner identifies one item that should not be shared at home for healthy living.

Ability to recognise	Learner recognises God	Learner recognises	Learner makes efforts to	Learner with support
God as the creator of	as the creator of the sky,	God as the creator of	recognise God as the	recognises God as the
the sky, sun, moon,	sun, moon and stars,	the sky, sun, moon	creator of the sky, sun,	creator of the sky,
and stars and reveres	reveres Him and	and, stars and reveres	moon, and stars and	sun, moon, and stars
Him.	encourages peers to do	Him.	reveres Him.	and reveres Him.
	so.			
Ability to draw the	Learner skilfully draws	Learner draws the	Learner attempt to draw	Learner with
sun, moon, and stars to	the sun, moon, and stars	sun, moon, and stars	the sun, moon, and stars	assistance draws the
appreciate God's	to appreciate God's	to appreciate God's	to appreciate God's	sun, moon, and stars
creation.	creation.	creation.	creation.	to appreciate God's
				creation.

#### STRAND 2.0: THE HOLY BIBLE

Stran d	Sub- Strand	Specific learning outcomes	Suggested learning experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
2.0 The Holy Bible	2.1 The Bible as a Guide (3 lessons)	By the end of the substrand, the learner should be able to:  • list the importance of reading the Bible  • state how often they read the Bible  • appreciate the Bible as a guide in daily life	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>in groups, list the importance of reading the Bible,</li> <li>list the number of times they read the Bible as a family,</li> <li>watch a video clip of children reading the Bible,</li> <li>in groups sing a song about the Bible, 'My Bible and I, ooh',</li> <li>read and recite Psalms 119:105.</li> </ul>	Why should you read the Bible?

## **Core Competencies to be developed:**

Communication and Collaboration: the skill of teamwork is demonstrated as learners list the importance of reading the Bible.

## **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:**

Social Cohesion is enhanced as learners in groups sing a song about the Bible.

## Values:

Respect is demonstrated as learners perform tasks in groups and respect each other's opinions.

- Mathematical Activities: learners record the number of times they read the Bible,
- Creative Activities: learners sing the song, 'My Bible and I'.

Holy the Bible stra	the end of the sub- and, the learner	The learner is guided to:	Why is it
(4 lessons) a) b)	ould be able to: state the number of books in the Old Testament,	<ul> <li>state the number of books in the Old Testament,</li> <li>use flashcards and write the first two books in the Old Testament,</li> <li>compose songs using different languages on the first two books in the Old Testament,</li> <li>in groups read and sing a common Psalms e.g. Psalms 100:4, 'I will enter His gates with thanksgiving in my heart',</li> <li>in pairs play a game on the number of books</li> </ul>	important to know the Books of the Bible?

- Learning to Learn: the skill of learning independently is developed as learners use flashcards to write the first two books in the Old Testament.
- Communication and Collaboration: the skill of teamwork is enhanced as learners in pairs play the game on 'number of books' in the Old Testament.

## Link to Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:

Social Cohesion: our diversity is enhanced as learners compose songs in different languages.

#### Values:

Patriotism is exhibited as learners compose songs using different languages.

- Creative Activities: learners compose songs and play a game on the number of books in the Old Testament.
- Language Activities: learners read the Bible and express ideas fluently.

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific learning outcomes	Suggested learning experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry
2.0 The Holy Bible	2.3 Bible Story: The Call of Samuel (5 lessons)	By the end of the sub-strand, the learners should be able to:  a) retell the call of Samuel as guided by the scriptures, b) mention the lesson learnt from the call of Samuel, c) desire to obey God's commandments.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to;</li> <li>in pairs picture-read 1Samuel 3:3-10,</li> <li>sing a simple song about the call of Samuel,</li></ul>	Question(s) How did Samuel respond to the call of God?

## **Core competencies:**

- Communication and Collaboration: the skill of teamwork is displayed as learners role-play and sing songs.
- Imagination and Creativity: the skill of exploration is exhibited as learners sing about the call of Samuel.

## **Link to PCIs:**

Social Cohesion: guiding values in life are developed as learners read the story on the call of Samuel and the virtues he exemplified at a young age.

## **Link to Values:**

Responsibility is enhanced as learners offer leadership and guidance to others during classroom activities.

- Language Activities: learners read the Bible and communicate fluently and confidently.
- Creative Activities: learners sing and role-play the call of Samuel.
- Mathematical Activities: learners mention the number of times Samuel was called by God.

Strand	<b>Sub-Strand</b>	Specific learning	Suggested learning experiences	Suggested
		outcomes		Key Inquiry
				Question(s)
<b>2.0</b> The	2.4 Bible Story:	By the end of the	The learner is guided to:	Why was
Holy	Daniel in the den	sub-strand, the	<ul> <li>picture-read the story of Daniel in the den of</li> </ul>	Daniel thrown
Bible	of lions	learner should be	lions, Daniel 6:6-12, 19-22,	in the den of
		able to:	• watch a video on the story of Daniel in the den	lions?
	(5 lessons)	a) retell the story	of lions,	
		of Daniel as	• in groups role-play the story of Daniel in the	
		guided by the	den of lions,	
		Bible text,	mention the number of times Daniel prayed to	
		b) list four lessons	God,	
		learnt from the	• mention lessons learnt from the story of Daniel,	
		story of Daniel,	• share experiences of when they said No! to	
		c) apply lessons	things that do not please God,	
		learnt in day-to-	• in pairs, share instances they pray at home,	
		day life,	school, or church,	
		d) desire to	• say and write a simple prayer to God for His	
		depend on	protection and guidance,	
		God's	• sing the song, 'Trust and obey for there is no	
		protection.	other way	

Communication and Collaboration: learners speak clearly and effectively as they read the story of Daniel in the den of lions.

## **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:**

Child rights and responsibility is nurtured as learners share experiences of when they said No! to things that do not please God.

## Values:

Responsibility is enhanced as learners share instances they pray at home, school, or church.

- Mathematical Activities: learners record the number of times Daniel prayed,
- Language Activities: learners read the Bible and write a simple prayer to God for His protection and guidance.

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific learning outcomes	Suggested learning experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry
				Question(s)
2.0 The	2.5 The Bible	By the end of the sub-strand, the	The learner is guided to:	1. Why did
Holy	Story:	learner should be able to:	• picture-read 1Kings 17:7-16,	Elijah go to
Bible	The Widow of	a) retell the story of the widow	• watch a video clip on the miracle; 1	Zarephath?
	Zarephath	of Zarephath,	Kings 17:7-16,	2. How did the
		b) identify lessons learnt from	<ul> <li>mention in groups two lessons</li> </ul>	widow get
	(5 lessons)	the miracle,	learnt from the miracle,	enough flour
		c) desire to depend on God's	<ul> <li>in pairs draw and colour bread,</li> </ul>	and oil?
		provision.	<ul> <li>sing a song on trusting God.</li> </ul>	

Learning to learn: the skill of coming up with new ideas is nurtured as learners draw and colour bread.

## **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:**

- Health Education: nutrition and hygiene is reinforced as learners watch a video clip on the multiplication of flour.
- Social Cohesion: the importance of living together is enhanced as learners mention in groups two lessons learnt from the miracle.

#### Values:

Love: compassion is nurtured as learners mention lessons learnt from the miracle.

## **Link to other Activity Areas:**

Creative Activities: learners sing, draw and colour the bread.

## SUGGESTED ASSESSMENT RUBRIC

LEVEL	Exceeds	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches	<b>Below Expectations</b>
INDICATOR	Expectations	_	Expectations	_
Ability to list the	Learner lists the	Learner identifies the	Learner identifies some	Learner identifies the
importance of reading	importance of	importance of	importance of reading	importance of
the Bible.	reading the Bible and	reading the Bible.	the Bible.	reading the Bible
	cites relevant			with constant
	examples.			guidance.
Ability to state the	Learner with ease	Learner states the	Learner partially states	Learner states the
number of books in the	states the number of	number of books in	the number of books in	number of books in
Old Testament.	books in the Old	the Old Testament.	the Old Testament.	the Old Testament
	Testament.			with constant
				assistance.
Ability to identify the	Learner explicitly	Learner identifies the	Learner identifies the	Learner identifies the
first two books in the	identifies the first	first two books in the	first book in the Old	first book in the Old
Old Testament.	two books in the Old	Old Testament.	Testament.	Testament with
	Testament.			assistance.
Ability to retell the	Learner retells the	Learner retells the	Learner retells the Bible	Learner retells the
Bible stories as guided	Bible stories as	Bible stories as	stories as guided by the	Bible stories as
by the scriptures.	guided by the	guided by the	scriptures but omits	guided by the
	scriptures in details.	scriptures.	minor details.	scriptures but omits
				major details.

Ability to list lessons	Learner lists lessons	Learner lists lessons	Learner lists lessons	Learner lists lessons
learnt from the Bible	learnt from the Bible	learnt from the Bible	learnt from the Bible	learnt from the Bible
stories.	stories in details.	stories.	stories but omits minor	stories but omits
			information.	major information.
Ability to apply lessons	Learner applies	Learner applies	Learner makes an effort	Learner applies
learnt from the Bible	lessons learnt from	lessons learnt from	to apply lessons learnt	lessons learnt from
stories.	the Bible stories in	the Bible stories in	from the Bible stories	the Bible stories in
	day-to-day life and	day-to-day life.	in day-to-day life.	day-to-day life when
	encourages peers to			prompted.
	do so.			

STRAND 3.0: THE EARLY LIFE OF JESUS CHRIST

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific learning outcomes	Suggested learning experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
3.0 The Early Life	3.1 The Birth of	By the end of the sub-strand, the learner should be able to:	The learner is guided to: <ul><li>in turns picture-read Luke 2:15-20,</li></ul>	Why is the birth of Jesus Christ
of Jesus Christ	Jesus Christ	a) relate the joy of the shepherds as guided by the scriptures,	<ul> <li>watch a video clip about the shepherds,</li> <li>observe pictures of shepherds worshipping baby Jesus,</li> </ul>	important to all humankind?
	(5 lessons)	<ul><li>b) describe the dedication of baby Jesus,</li><li>c) appreciate the birth of Jesus Christ our Saviour by obeying Him.</li></ul>	<ul> <li>sing songs related to the birth of Jesus Christ,</li> <li>picture-read Luke 2:22-24,</li> <li>draw and colour pictures of a dove and a pigeon (Luke2:24),</li> <li>in groups, role-play the dedication of baby Jesus (Luke 2:22-24).</li> </ul>	

- Communication and Collaboration: the skill of teamwork and recognising the ideas of others is portrayed as learners work in groups.
- Learning to Learn: the skills of self-discipline and motivation to learn is shown as learners role-play and sing songs related to the birth of Jesus Christ.

## **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:**

- Animal welfare education: introduction to animal welfare; learners draw and colour a dove and a pigeon.
- Patriotism: devotion is enhanced as they role-play the dedication of baby Jesus.

- Creative Activities are reinforced through singing and role-play.
- Language Activities: speaking skills are nurtured as learners read the Bible.

Strand Sub-Stran	Specific learning outcomes	Suggested learning experiences Suggested Inquiry Question	
3.0 The   3.2 Kindne	ss By the end of the sub-	The learner is guided to:	How did the
Early of the Wise	strand, the learner	• in turns, read Matthew 2:11,	wise men show
Life of Jesus Christ (4 lessons)	should be able to: a) list three gifts given to baby Jesus by the wise men, b) demonstrate assertiveness by refusing gifts from strangers, c) appreciate Jesus Christ as a gift from God.	<ul> <li>name gifts that were brought to baby Jesus by the three wise men,</li> <li>draw and colour gifts given to baby Jesus,</li> <li>use flashcards to role-play the exchange of gifts,</li> <li>role-play saying, 'thank you' after receiving gifts from friends and family members,</li> <li>avoid receiving gifts from strangers,</li> <li>list in groups the negative results of receiving gifts from strangers,</li> <li>sing a gratitude song about Jesus' love, 'Jesus love is very very wonderful</li></ul>	kindness?

Learning to Learn: the skill of self-discipline is developed as learners are guided to avoid receiving gifts from strangers.

## **Link to Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:**

Safety and Security is enhanced as learners ensure safety inside and outside the school environment by not accepting gifts from strangers.

#### Link to Values:

Integrity is developed as learners are guided to avoid confidentiality and security breaches by not accepting gifts from strangers.

## Link to other learning activity areas:

Creative Activities: learners draw and colour gifts given to baby Jesus.

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific learning outcomes	Suggested learning experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
3.0 The life of Jesus Christ	3.3 Jesus calms the Storm (4 lessons)	By the end of the substrand, the learner should be able to:  a) narrate the miracle of calming the storm,  b) list lessons learnt from the miracle of calming the storm,  c) desire to trust God when faced with challenging	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to: <ul> <li>in turns picture-read Matthew 8:23-27,</li> <li>watch a video clip on the miracle of calming the storm,</li> <li>in pairs mention challenges that a person can face, for example, sickness, lack of food, clothes,</li> <li>in groups say what they do when faced with difficulties,</li> <li>tell two lessons learnt from the miracle,</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	How did Jesus calm the storm?
		situations.	<ul><li>draw and colour a boat,</li><li>in groups sing a song about calming the storm.</li></ul>	

- Imagination and Creativity: the skill of developing new ideas is enhanced as learners draw and colour the boat.
- Communication and Collaboration: the skill of reasoning is enhanced as learners in groups say what they do when faced with difficulties.

## **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:**

Environmental Awareness is enhanced as they learn about calming the storm.

## Values:

Unity is exhibited as learners in groups sing a song about calming the storm.

- Environmental Activities: calming the storm (weather).
- Creative Activities: learners, sing, draw and colour a boat.

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific learning outcomes	Suggested learning experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
3.0 The	3.4	By the end of the sub-	The learner is guided to:	How did Jesus
life of	Miraculous	strand, the learner	• in turns picture-read Luke 5:3-9,	help the
Jesus	Catch of	should be able to:	• watch a video clip on the miraculous catch of	fishermen?
Christ	Fish (4 lessons)	<ul> <li>a) retell the story of the miraculous catch of fish,</li> <li>b) mention three lessons learnt from the miraculous catch of fish,</li> <li>c) desire to trust in God as portrayed by the fishermen.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>fish,</li> <li>list ways Jesus solved the problem of the fishermen,</li> <li>in pairs tell how the fishermen were able to catch a large number of fish,</li> <li>tell how they exercise faith in God,</li> <li>mention three lessons learnt from the miracle,</li> <li>sing the song 'I will make you fishers of men</li></ul>	

- Digital Literacy: the skill of observing safety precautions when using digital gadgets is portrayed as learners watch a video clip on the miraculous catch of fish.
- Imagination and Creativity: the skill of generating ideas is enhanced as learners draw and colour the fish.

## **Link to PCIs:**

Social Cohesion is enhanced as learners sing using different languages.

## Link to Values:

Unity is nurtured as learners picture-read in turns Luke 5:3-9.

## Link to other Activity Areas:

Creative Activities: learners sing and draw a fish.

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific learning outcomes	Suggested learning experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
3.0 The life of Jesus Christ	3.5 Healing the Man with a Withered Hand (4 lessons)	By the end of the substrand, the learner should be able to:  a) retell the healing of the man with a withered hand,  b) mention occasions they prayed to God for healing,  c) desire to show compassion to others.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>in groups picture-read Matthew 12:9-11,13,</li> <li>in pairs draw a withered hand,</li> <li>watch a video clip on healing the man with a withered hand,</li> <li>role-play how we care for those abled differently,</li> <li>in pairs share experiences on when they prayed to God for healing,</li> <li>write Mathew 12:13 on flashcards and recite it aloud in class.</li> </ul>	How was the man with a withered hand healed?

- Communication and Collaboration: the skill of communication and self-expression is exhibited as learners picture-read Matthew 12:9-11,13,
- Imagination and Creativity: the skill of originality is expressed as learners role-play how to care for those abled differently.

## **Link to Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:**

Non-communicable diseases: learners learn about paralysis and that it is non-communicable.

## Values:

Love is nurtured as learners role-play caring for those abled differently.

- Creative Activities: creative skills are nurtured as learners role-play.
- Language Activities: speaking skills are applied as learners write Matthew 12:13 on flashcards and recite it aloud in class.

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific learning outcomes	Suggested learning experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
3.0 The life of Jesus Christ	3.6 Easter (3 lessons)	By the end of the sub-strand, the learner should be able to: a) recognise the death of Jesus as a sign of total love for humankind, b) list four activities they do in church during Easter celebrations, c) appreciate Jesus Christ's death and resurrection as the way to salvation.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>write 1Corinthians 15:3-4 on flashcards and recite the verse in turns,</li> <li>in pairs mention what happened on Good Friday,</li> <li>view a picture of Jesus nailed on the cross,</li> <li>mention activities they do in church during Easter celebrations,</li> <li>mention what took place on Easter Sunday (Mark 16:5-6),</li> <li>in groups view a picture of the three women who visited an empty grave,</li> <li>draw an empty cross.</li> </ul>	Why is Jesus' death and resurrection important to Christians today?

Communication: learners actively listen and communicate effectively as they work in groups.

## **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:**

Social cohesion is enhanced as learners perform different activities in groups.

## Values:

Love is nurtured as they learn about the selfless love of Christ.

- Language Activities: learners recite Bible verses.
- Creative Activities: learners draw an empty cross.

## SUGGESTED ASSESSMENT RUBRIC

LEVEL INDICATOR	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to relate the joy of the shepherds as guided by the scriptures.	Learner illustratively relates the joy of the shepherds as guided by the scriptures.	Learner relates the joy of the shepherds as guided by the scriptures.	Learner partly relates the joy of the shepherds as guided by the scriptures.	Learner relates the joy of the shepherds as guided by the scriptures when prompted.
Ability to describe the dedication of baby Jesus.	Learner describes the dedication of baby Jesus in details.	Learner describes the dedication of baby Jesus.	Learner describes the dedication of baby Jesus but omits minor details.	Learner describes the dedication of baby Jesus but omits major details.
Ability to list three gifts given to baby Jesus by the wise men.	Learner lists three gifts given to baby Jesus by the wise men using illustrations.	Learner lists three gifts given to baby Jesus by the wise men	Learner lists two of the gifts given to baby Jesus by the wise men.	Learner lists only one gift given to baby Jesus by the wise men.
Ability to demonstrate assertiveness by refusing gifts from strangers.	Learner constantly demonstrates assertiveness by refusing gifts from strangers.	Learner demonstrates assertiveness by refusing gifts from strangers.	Learner sometimes demonstrates assertiveness by refusing gifts from strangers.	Learner demonstrates assertiveness by refusing gifts from strangers but requires consistent support.

Ability to narrate the	Learner narrates the	Learner narrates the	Learner narrates the	Learner narrates the
miracles performed by	miracles performed	miracles performed	miracles performed by	miracles performed
Jesus Christ.	by Jesus Christ in	by Jesus Christ	Jesus Christ but omits	by Jesus Christ but
	details		minor details	omits major details.
Ability to list lessons	Learner lists lessons	Learner lists lessons	Learner lists some	Learner lists some
learnt from the miracles	learnt from the	learnt from the	lessons learnt from the	lessons learnt from
of Jesus Christ.	miracles of Jesus	miracles of Jesus	miracles of Jesus Christ.	the miracles of Jesus
	Christ in details.	Christ.		Christ but with
				guidance.

STRAND 4.0: CHRISTIAN VALUES

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific learning outcomes	Suggested learning experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
4.0 Christian Values	4.1 Sharing (3 lessons)	By the end of the substrand, the learner should be able to: a) identify five items shared at school, b) demonstrate kindness by sharing items with others, c) desire to share items to promote harmonious living.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to: <ul> <li>in pairs list various items that can be shared at school,</li> <li>in groups draw and colour items they share at school,</li> <li>in pairs talk about instances they have shared items with those in need,</li> <li>list the importance of sharing with others,</li> <li>role-play sharing items in class,</li> <li>sing a song on sharing,</li> <li>write Hebrews 13:16 on flashcards and read aloud.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Why is it important to share with others?

- Collaboration: the skill of teamwork is portrayed as learners role-play sharing in class,
- Learning to Learn: the skill of developing relations is enhanced as learners carry out activities with peers.

#### **Link to PCIs:**

Social Cohesion: the importance of living together is exhibited as learners role-play sharing items in class.

## Values:

Unity is portrayed as learners work in pairs and talk about instances they shared items with those in need.

# **Link to other Activity Areas:**

Environmental Activities: learners list various items that can be shared at school.

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific learning outcomes	Suggested learning experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
4.0 Christian Values	4.2 Obedience (3 lessons)	By the end of the sub-strand, the learner should be able to: a) list five ways they obey teachers and the children's government, b) discuss reasons for obeying teachers and the	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>write Hebrews 13:17 on flashcards and read aloud,</li> <li>share experiences of how they obey teachers,</li> <li>tell why they should obey teachers and the children's government,</li> </ul>	Why should you obey teachers and other leaders at school?
		children's government, c) practise obedience in their day-to-day lives.	<ul> <li>compose a poem on obedience,</li> <li>discuss how disobedience affects them negatively,</li> <li>sing a song on obedience "trust and obey for there's no other way".</li> </ul>	

Citizenship: the skill of information and communication is enhanced as learners tell why they should obey teachers and the children's government.

## **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:**

Peace Education is nurtured as learners obey rules and regulations.

#### Values:

Patriotism is enhanced as learners obey teachers and the children's government.

## **Link to other Activity Areas:**

Environmental Education: learners share experiences of how they obey their teachers and the importance of obedience in day-to-day life.

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific learning outcomes	Suggested learning experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
4.0 Christian Values	(3 lessons)	By the end of the sub-strand, the learner should be able to: a) tell reasons for telling the truth in their interaction with others, b) demonstrate responsibility by completing their homework on time, c) practise honesty by taking lost and found items to the teacher or parent, d) desire to be honest by not copying other pupils' work.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>read in groups Proverbs 12:17,19,</li> <li>say why they should tell the truth always,</li> <li>in groups tell why they should complete their homework on time,</li> <li>list the negative results of copying other pupils' work,</li> <li>tell why they should not take other people's property without permission,</li> <li>role-play taking lost and found items to the teacher,</li> <li>write Proverbs 12:19 on flashcards and read aloud,</li> <li>sing a song on telling the truth.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Why should you tell the truth always?</li> <li>Why is it wrong to copy other pupils' work?</li> </ol>

- Learning to Learn: the skill of learning independently is nurtured as learners tell why they should complete their homework on time,
- Self-efficacy: is nurtured as learners avoid taking other people's property without permission.

# **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:**

Social cohesion is nurtured as they learn ways of showing integrity by telling the truth always.

#### Values:

Integrity: learners display honesty by taking lost and found items to the teacher.

## **Link to other Activity Areas:**

Environmental Activities learners practise honesty by not taking other people's items.

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific learning outcomes	Suggested learning experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
4.0 Christian Values	4.4 Thankfulness (3 lessons)	By the end of the substrand, the learner should be able to: a) list the importance of thanking others, b) demonstrate thankfulness in day-to-day life, c) appreciate God by thanking Him always.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>mention why they should thank other people,</li> <li>role-play situations that require thankfulness,</li> <li>in pairs exchange gifts and practise saying, 'Thank you',</li> <li>in groups write 1Thessalonians 5:18 on flashcards and read aloud,</li> <li>compose poems to thank parents for taking good care of them,</li> <li>sing a song on thanksgiving.</li> </ul>	Why should you be thankful?

Imagination and Creativity: the skill of originality is enhanced as learners role-play and compose a poem.

## **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:**

Social Cohesion is enhanced as they learn the importance of thanking those who show them kindness.

#### Values

Social Justice is nurtured as learners live harmoniously with others.

# **Link to other Activity Areas:**

- Language Activities: speaking skills are applied as learners use polite language (etiquette) like, 'thank you'.
- Creative Activities: learners role-play and compose poems.

Strand	<b>Sub-Strand</b>	Specific learning outcomes	Suggested learning experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
4.0	4.5	By the end of the sub-strand,	The learner is guided to:	Why should you
Christian Values	Forgiveness (4 lessons)	<ul> <li>the learner should be able to:</li> <li>a) practise forgiveness to     foster harmonious living,</li> <li>b) dramatise the story of the     prodigal son,</li> <li>c) desire to forgive others in     their day-to-day lives.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>watch a video clip about the prodigal son (Luke 15:11-22,</li> <li>role-play the story of the prodigal son,</li> <li>write Matthew 18:21-22 on flashcards and read aloud,</li> <li>tell a friend how to avoid hurting others,</li> <li>sing a song on forgiveness.</li> </ul>	forgive others?

- Learning to Learn: the skill of developing healthy relationships is nurtured as learners forgive each other.
- Digital Literacy: the skill of observing safety precautions is enhanced as learners interact with digital devices.

## **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:**

Safety and Security: learners exercise precaution in an environment where they are interacting with digital devices.

#### Values:

Love: learners learn to forgive each other just as the prodigal son was forgiven by his father.

## **Link to Other Activity Areas:**

- Creative Activities: learners role-play the story of the prodigal son,
- Mathematical Activities: the skill of multiplication is applied as they learn to forgive 70 x 7 times.

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific learning outcomes	Suggested learning experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
4.0 Christian Values	4.6 Responsibility (4 lessons)	By the end of the substrand, the learner should be able to: a) mention items they carry to school, b) take care of the items they use in school, c) desire to be responsible by taking care of their items.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>read Colossians 3:23,</li> <li>display and count the items they carry to school,</li> <li>in pairs list the use of each item,</li> <li>say and show others how they take care of items they use at school,</li> <li>sing a song about items they carry to school,</li> <li>draw and colour items they carry to school,</li> <li>say why they should not forget school items at home.</li> </ul>	How do you take care of your school items?

- Self-efficacy: the skill of using resources responsibly is exhibited as learners take care of their items,
- Learning to Learn: the skill of self-reflection is nurtured as learners say why they should not forget school items at home.

## **Link to Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:**

Social cohesion: learners show integrity by being responsible as they take care of their personal property.

#### **Link to Values:**

Responsibility is nurtured as learners care for their own property.

# **Link to Other Activity Areas:**

Creative Activities: learners sing songs, draw, and colour items.

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific learning outcomes	Suggested learning experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
4.0 Christian Values	4.7 Work (3 lessons)	By the end of the sub-strand, the learner should be able to: a) mention how they help parents at home, b) take part in doing simple chores at school and in Church, c) appreciate work by doing simple chores.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>in pairs say how they help parents at home,</li> <li>list the simple chores they do at home,</li> <li>write a poem on "hard work",</li> <li>keep their home, class, and compound clean.</li> </ul>	Why is it important to work?

- Learning to Learn: is enhanced as learners exercise self-discipline and help their parents with simple chores at home.
- Communication and Collaboration: the skill of speaking clearly and effectively is nurtured as learners say how they help their parents at home.

## **Link to Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:**

Environmental Awareness: is portrayed as learners show responsibility by keeping the compound clean.

#### Values:

Patriotism learners assist with chores at home, in class and keep the compound clean.

## Link to other learning activity areas:

- Environmental Activities: learners keep the compound clean.
- Language Activities: writing skills are applied as learners write a poem about work.

## SUGGESTED ASSESSMENT RUBRIC

LEVEL INDICATOR	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify five items shared at school.	Learner illustratively identifies five items shared at school.	Learner identifies five items shared at school.	Learner identifies three to four items shared at school.	Learner identifies one to two items shared at school.
Ability to demonstrate kindness by sharing items with others.	Learner constantly demonstrates kindness by sharing items with others.	Learner demonstrates kindness by sharing items with others.	Learner sometimes demonstrates kindness by sharing items with others.	Learner demonstrates kindness by sharing items with others when prompted.
Ability to list five ways they obey teachers and the children's government.	Learner lists five ways they obey teachers and the children's government and cites relevant examples.	Learner lists five ways they obey teachers and the children's government.	Learner lists three to four ways they obey teachers and the children's government.	Learner lists one to two ways they obey teachers and the children's government.
Ability to mention reasons for telling the truth in their interaction with others.	Learner citing relevant examples, mentions reasons for telling the truth in their interaction with others.	Learner mentions reasons for telling the truth in their interaction with others.	Learner makes an effort to mention reasons for telling the truth in their interaction with others.	Learner mentions reasons for telling the truth in their interaction with others with constant guidance.

Ability to take part in doing simple chores at home, school, and in Church.	Learner constantly takes part in doing simple chores at home, school, and in Church.	Learner takes part in doing simple chores at home, school, and in Church.	Learner sometimes takes part in doing simple chores at home, school, and in Church.	Learner with consistent guidance takes part in doing simple chores at home, school, and in Church.
Ability to demonstrate thankfulness in day-to-day life.	Learner demonstrates thankfulness in day- to-day life and encourages peers to do so.	Learner demonstrates thankfulness in day- to-day life.	Learner sometimes demonstrates thankfulness in day-to- day life.	Learner demonstrates thankfulness in day-to-day life only with prompts.
Ability to practise forgiveness to foster harmonious living.	Learner constantly practises forgiveness to foster harmonious living.	Learner practises forgiveness to foster harmonious living.	Learner sometimes practises forgiveness to foster harmonious living.	Learner practises forgiveness to foster harmonious living when prompted.
Ability to demonstrate responsibility by completing their homework on time.	Learner constantly demonstrates responsibility by completing their homework on time.	Learner demonstrates responsibility by completing their homework on time.	Learner sometimes demonstrates responsibility by completing their homework on time.	Learner demonstrates responsibility by completing their homework on time with support.
Ability to take part in doing simple chores at home, school, and in Church.	Learner constantly takes part in doing simple chores at home, school, and in Church.	Learner takes part in doing simple chores at home, school, and in Church.	Learner sometimes takes part in doing simple chores at home, school, and in Church.	Learner takes part in doing simple chores at home, school, and in Church with prompts.

#### STRAND 5.0: THE CHURCH

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific learning outcomes	Suggested learning experiences	Key inquiry question(s)
5.0 The Church	5.1 Prayer (4 Lessons)	By the end of the sub-strand, the learner should be able to: a) recite the first four lines of the Lord's prayer, b) retell the story of a friend at midnight, c) desire to develop a relationship with God through prayers.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>recite the first four lines of the Lord's prayer; Mathew (6:9-10),</li> <li>sing a song on the Lord's prayer,</li> <li>picture-read Luke 11:5-10,</li> <li>role-play the story of a friend at midnight,</li> <li>in groups, say the importance of prayer.</li> </ul>	Why should you pray always?

## **Core Competencies to be developed:**

Communication and Collaboration: the skill of speaking clearly and effectively is exhibited as learners recite the Lord's prayer.

# **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:**

Peace Education: good neighbourhood is nurtured as learners role-play the story of a friend at midnight.

#### Values:

Social Justice: is enhanced as they learn about the value of sharing from the story of a friend at midnight.

## **Link to Other Activity Areas:**

- Creative Activities: learners sing, dance, and role play.
- Mathematical Activities: learners count and record the number of times they recite the Lord's Prayer.

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific learning outcomes	Suggested learning experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
5.0 The Church	5.2 The Holy Spirit (4 lessons)	By the end of the substrand, the learner should be able to:  a) state the promise Jesus gave to His disciples, b) mention three roles of the Holy Spirit in the life of a Christian, c) appreciate the work of the Holy Spirit in their day-to-day lives.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>mention examples of good promises given by their parents,</li> <li>say whether the promises were fulfilled,</li> <li>in turns read Acts 1:4 and 2:3-4,</li> <li>mention the work of the Holy Spirit (He strengthens-Luke 24:49, guides- Romans 8:14, and unites Christians- Ephesians- 4:3-4),</li> <li>in groups write the work of the Holy Spirit on flashcards and read aloud,</li> <li>sing a song about the work of the Holy Spirit.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>What did Jesus promise His disciples?</li> <li>What is the work of the Holy Spirit?</li> </ol>

Communication and Collaboration: the skill of communication and self-expression is portrayed as learners mention examples of good promises they have been given by their parents.

## **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:**

Social Cohesion is developed as they learn about the work of the Holy Spirit in uniting Christians.

#### Values:

Unity is nurtured as learners work in groups to write the work of the Holy Spirit on flashcards.

## **Link to Other Activity Areas:**

- Language Activities: learners learn new words and express themselves confidently.
- Creative Activities: learners sing a song about the work of the Holy Spirit.

## SUGGESTED ASSESSMENT RUBRIC

LEVEL INDICATOR	Exceeds Expectations	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	Below Expectations
Ability to recite the first four lines of the Lord's prayer.	Learner recites the first four lines of the Lord's prayer with ease.	Learner recites the first four lines of the Lord's prayer.	Learner recites two to three lines of the Lord's prayer.	Learner recites only the first line of the Lord's prayer.
Ability to retell the story of a friend at midnight.	Learner retells the story of a friend at midnight in details.	Learner retells the story of a friend at midnight.	Learner retells the story of a friend at midnight but omits minor details.	Learner retells the story of a friend at midnight but omits major details.
Ability to state the promise given to the disciples by Jesus Christ.	Learner states the promise given to the disciples by Jesus Christ with ease.	Learner states the promise given to the disciples by Jesus Christ.	Learner makes an effort to state the promise given to the disciples by Jesus Christ.	Learner states the promise given to the disciples by Jesus Christ with prompts.
Ability to mention three roles of the Holy Spirit in the life of a Christian.	Learner mentions three roles of the Holy Spirit in the life of a Christian with ease.	Learner mentions three roles of the Holy Spirit in the life of a Christian.	Learner mentions two roles of the Holy Spirit in the life of a Christian.	Learner mentions one role of the Holy Spirit in the life of a Christian.

#### SUGGESTED ASSESSMENT METHODS, LEARNING RESOURCES AND NON-FORMAL ACTIVITIES

Strand	Suggested Assessment Methods	<b>Suggested Learning Resources</b>	Suggested Non –Formal Activities
1.0 Creation	Observation Schedules,	The Children's Bible, Good	Take a nature walk in the
	Written Quizzes	News Bible, Flash cards,	school neighbourhood to
	<ul> <li>Checklists,</li> </ul>	Pictures, Songs, Digital	appreciate God's creation
	<ul> <li>Oral questions</li> </ul>	devices Charts, poems	
The Holy Bible	Word search/ puzzle,	The Children's Bible, Good News	Participate in Bible Trivia
	• Checklists,	Bible ,Flash cards, hymn books,	competitions and quizzes
	<ul> <li>Oral questions</li> </ul>	resource persons, digital devices	
	Written questions		
The Early Life of	Oral Questions,	The Children's Bible, Good News	Role play the miracles of Jesus
Jesus Christ	<ul> <li>Portfolio</li> </ul>	Bible, hymn books, resource	Christ in clubs and societies
	<ul> <li>Observation schedules</li> </ul>	persons, digital devices, poems	
	Written Quizzes		
	<ul> <li>Question and Answer</li> </ul>		
Christian Values	Anecdotal Notes	The Children's Bible, Good News	Visit the sick or the elderly in
	Authentic Tests	Bible, hymn books, resource	the company of parents or
	Word Search/ Puzzle	persons, digital devices, poems	guardians
	<ul> <li>Projects</li> </ul>		
The Church	Oral Questions,	The Children's Bible, Good News	Participate in Sunday
	Portfolio	Bible, hymn books, resource	School/Sabbath School
	Observation schedules	persons, digital devices, poems	activities and share their
	Written Quizzes		experiences with others