

KS2 Unit 9 Lesson 2 – Jesus, a role model for Christians

Context: To identify the leadership qualities of Jesus through understanding and reflecting on what the Gospels tell us about Jesus through the study of religious texts.

Overview: to summarise the leadership qualities that inspired his followers to follow him then and now; to live their lives under his guidance and encourages believers of the Christian faith in modern society to

Essential core: Recall stories from the Bible. Understand what Christians believe these stories say about who Jesus is.

Resources: Children's Bible

<http://request.org.uk/restart/2013/12/10/jesus-teaching-the-sermon-on-the-mount/>

<http://request.org.uk/restart/2015/11/23/zacchaeus-meets-jesus/>

<http://request.org.uk/restart/2015/11/12/feeding-of-the-5000-people/>

<http://request.org.uk/restart/2015/09/22/the-man-who-said-thank-you-the-healing-of-the-10-lepers/>

<http://request.org.uk/jesus/miracles/jesus-miracles-jairus-daughter/>

INTRODUCTION: Opening Question – what kind of things did Jesus say?

Elicitation task – children to discuss as a whole class discussion (recorded for reference) how Jesus had inspired others to lead their lives. Watch this video and talk about the things that Jesus **said**.

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TASK: Mixed ability group work – research their given story and character – talk about some of the things that the Bible says Jesus **did**. What qualities are being portrayed? Why has Jesus example inspired people today?

- (Luke 8:40-56) Jesus Raises a Dead Girl and Heals a Sick Woman

<http://request.org.uk/jesus/miracles/jesus-miracles-jairus-daughter/>

- (Luke 7:11-17) Jesus raises a widow's son

- Jesus heals 10 men with leprosy.

<http://request.org.uk/restart/2015/09/22/the-man-who-said-thank-you-the-healing-of-the-10-lepers/>

- Jesus feeds a hungry crowd

<http://request.org.uk/restart/2015/11/12/feeding-of-the-5000-people/>

- (Luke 19:1-8) Zacchaeus the tax collector

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- (Mark 10:13-16) The little children and Jesus

(This list can be shortened to suit the needs of the class)

To hold a class discussion. What were Jesus priorities in life? What are ours? Why does his example still inspire people today? Photograph this for evidence in the children's workbooks.

Preparation for next lesson:

Arrange visit from a Christian leader from the local Christian community.

Children to prepare questions they would like to ask in order to answer why Jesus is still an inspirational leader today?

FORMATIVE ASSESSMENT:

Why did people follow Jesus? Why is Jesus an inspirational leader? What do the Bible accounts say about **who** Jesus is?