



DISCUSSION QUESTIONS



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These discussion questions are intended to support pupils in engaging with what they watch or listen to. They are designed to prompt thinking about purpose, main ideas and supporting details, while also encouraging pupils to demonstrate understanding through answering a range of question types and posing their own.

The questions can be used flexibly in different formats: as a whole-class discussion led by the teacher, in smaller teacher-facilitated groups, or as a carousel activity where pupils reflect individually or in pairs.



Session 1: Jesus Heals a Blind Man

1. How long has the man been blind for?
What kind of challenges do you think he faces in his life?
2. What does the blind man ask of Jesus?
What does Jesus say to him in response? What does he do?
3. Why do you think Jesus tells the man not to tell others about his healing?
4. How do you think the family of the man responded when they learned that he had been given his sight? Thoughts/feelings/actions ?
5. This seems like a positive event, why were some people (the religious leaders) unhappy? How would you react if you heard the news?



Session 2: Jesus Heals a Paralysed Man

1. Why do the paralysed man's friends bring him to Jesus?
Would you go to this kind of effort to help a friend?
Share an example of when you have helped someone to do something that they couldn't do for themselves.
2. What does Jesus say to the paralysed man before healing him?
Why is this surprising to those around him?
3. Do you think physical health or spiritual health is more important?
4. How are the different people in the story feeling after the man was healed?
5. Discuss: the friends / Jesus / the religious leaders / the crowd.



Session 3: Jesus Feeds the 5,000

1. Jesus is teaching a crowd of people.
Reflect: Where? When? What? Who? Why?
2. What are the disciples of Jesus concerned about?
Does Jesus share this same concern?
3. What is the miracle that took place in the story? Why would Christians say that this event proves to them that Jesus is the Son of God?
4. What would have happened if the crowd had not been fed on the mountainside? Was it a good or bad thing that they were given food?



Session 4: Jesus Walks on Water

1. Many of the disciples were experienced fishermen. How do you think they felt:
 - Getting into the boat • Experiencing the storm • Experiencing the storm stopping.
2. What emotions would the disciples have experienced that night? List and discuss. Give an example of a time that you have felt afraid. Did anyone help you?
3. When Jesus comes to the disciples what does he say? How do they respond?
4. Peter walks on water and then he begins to sink.
What is the reason given for this? What is the main idea of this story? What lesson might Christians today take from this story?



Session 5: Jesus Raises Lazarus

1. What is the sad event that has taken place at the beginning of this clip?
How are the friends and family feeling? How does Jesus feel?
2. What are people thinking and expecting as Jesus calls to Lazarus in the tomb?
Discuss: family / friends / religious leaders / Jesus
3. Christians believe that Jesus intentionally delayed his journey to Lazarus so that he would die. Why would he do this?
4. The bible says that after this event many people who witnessed it believed that Jesus was God's son. Christians respond to this story by believing that Jesus had power.
How else might people respond to this story?

