

Key Stage 2

At-Home Holiday Club!

My name is:

My age is:

An interesting fact about myself is:

The Journey Begins (Session 1)

Today's true Bible verses

Mark 4:35-36

'When evening came, Jesus said to his disciples, "Let's go over to the other side of the lake." They left the crowd behind. And they took him along in a boat, just as he was. There were also other boats with him.'



(Picture taken from 'The Storm that Stopped' by Alison Mitchell)



Did you spot it?

What had Jesus been doing all day long?



Sleeping

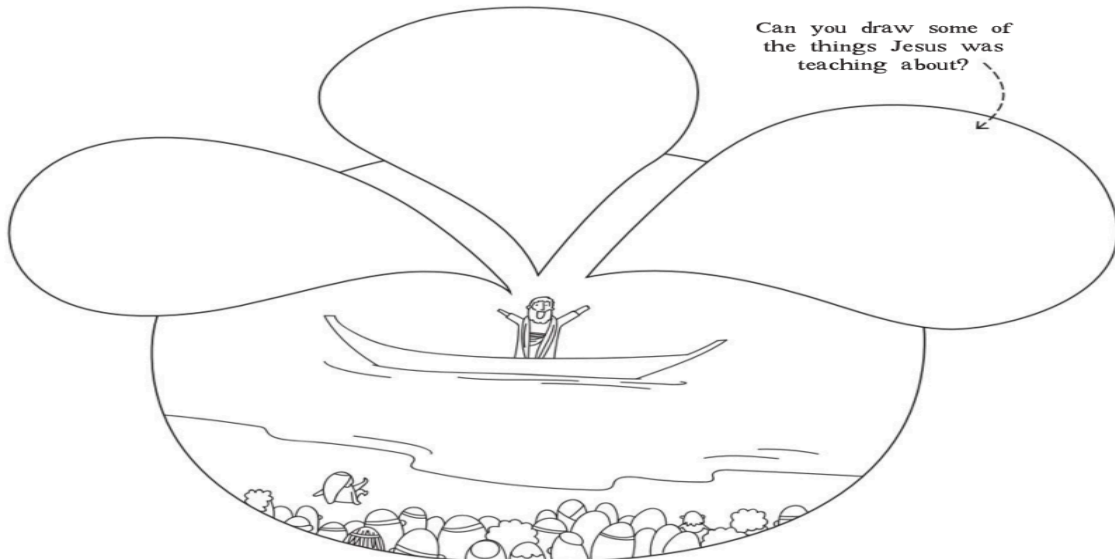
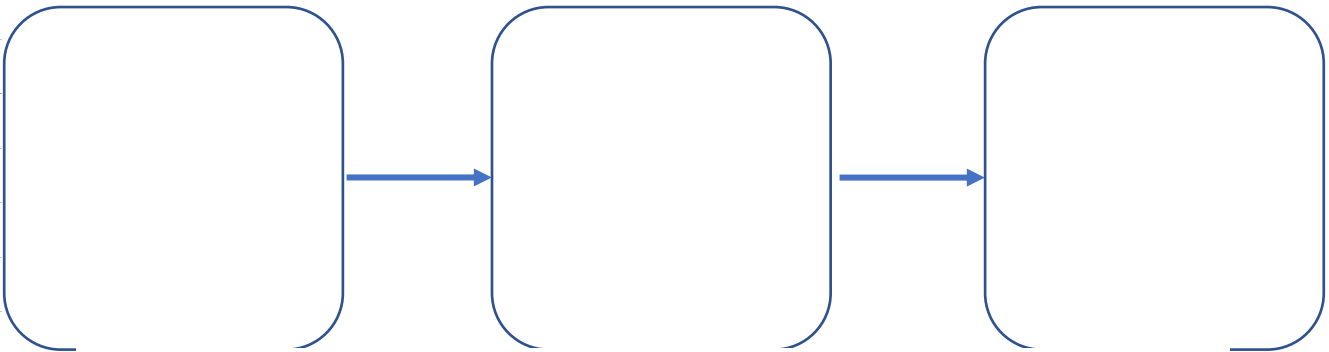


Teaching



Dancing

When Jesus was speaking, what happened to the crowds? Draw 3 stages...



Brain Drain



Can you draw Jesus and all his friends in a boat below? What were they all doing after their long day? Show on their faces how they were feeling.

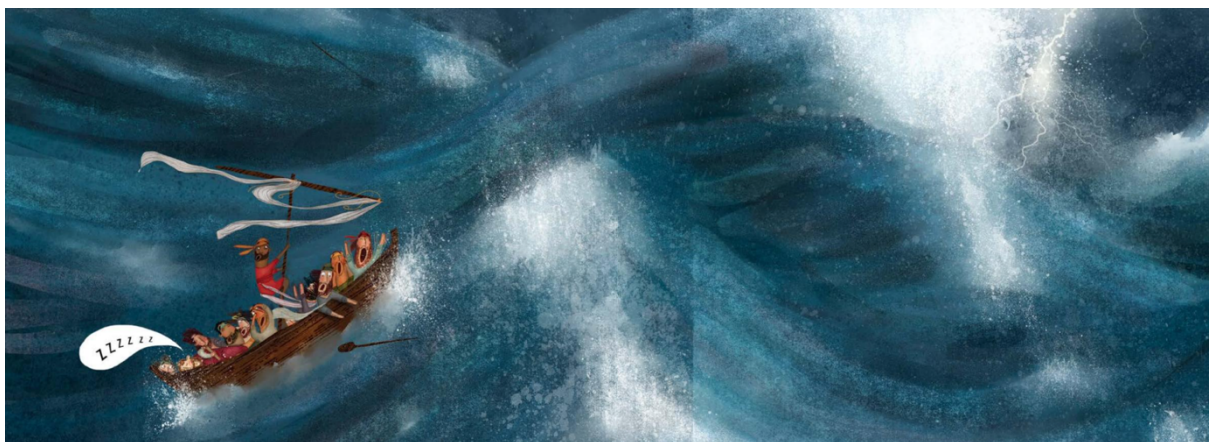
Can you add in what was happening in the background and all around them - what was the weather like? What was the sea like?

The Storm Rages (Session 2)

Today's true Bible verses

Mark 4:37-38

'A wild storm came up. Waves crashed over the boat. It was about to sink. Jesus was in the back, sleeping on a cushion. The disciples woke him up. They said, "Teacher! Don't you care if we drown?"'



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Did you spot it?

In this part of the Bible story, there were quite a lot of surprises!

What was the surprising thing that happened to the weather and the sea? Think of some descriptive words to describe it...

Before:

After:

See if you can describe in detail what happened to the disciples, how did they feel before and after? Why did they feel these ways?

Before:

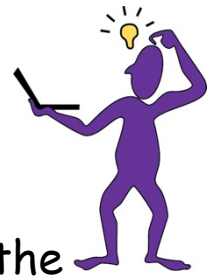
After:

The other surprise was how Jesus reacted to the storm!

If A is the first letter of the alphabet, its number will be 1. B = 2, C = 3. Figure out the word below to find out Jesus' reaction.

19 12 5 5 16 9 14 7

Brain Drain



So Jesus was sleeping, but all of his friends (the disciples) were panicking.

Can you think why Jesus wasn't afraid and why he stayed asleep?

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2.

Look back at the verses we've looked at today. What did Jesus' friends ask Jesus? How might Jesus answer that question? Draw or write below what Jesus might do next!



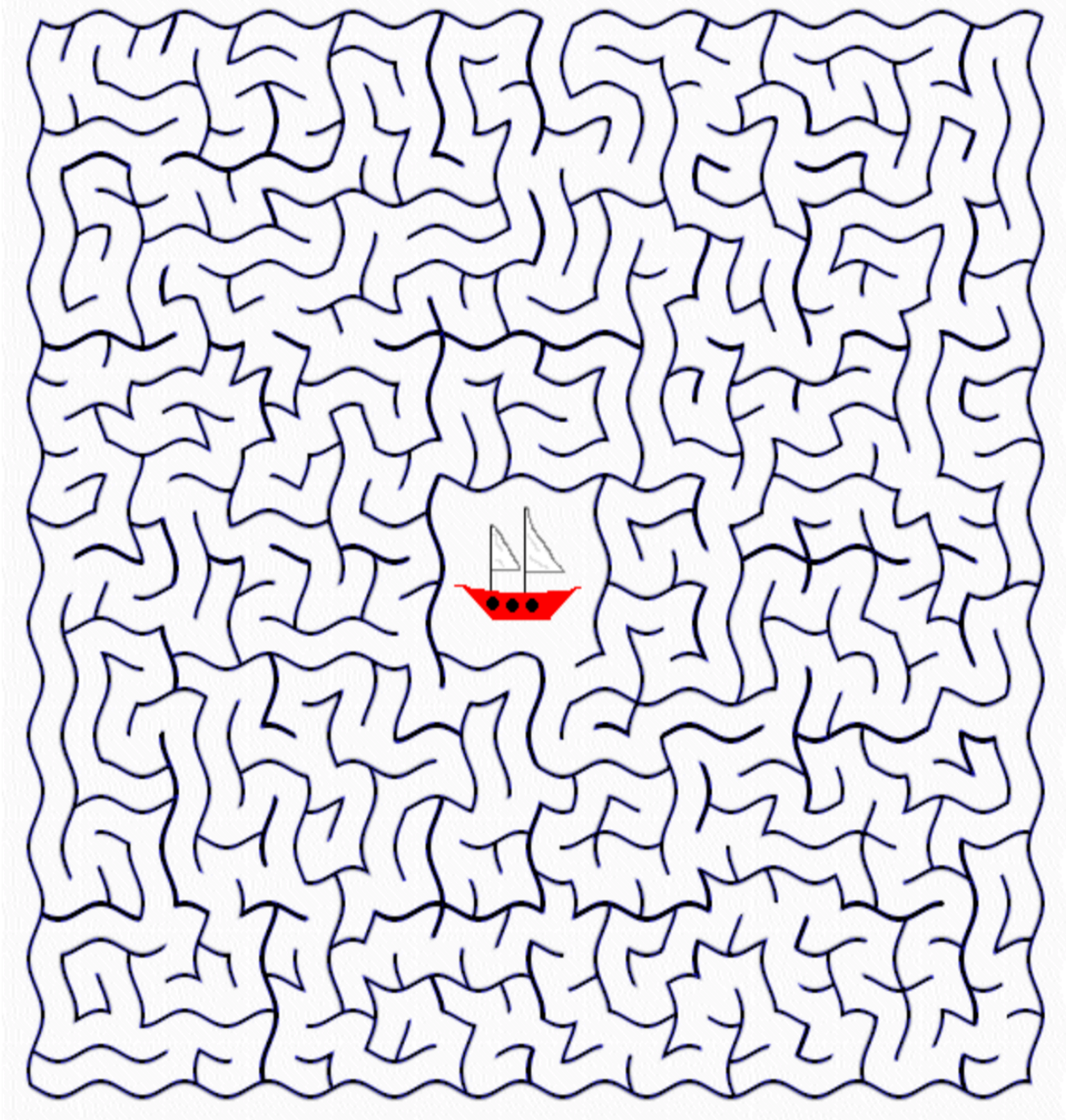
When you feel scared or worried, who or what do you turn to? Draw or write it below.



Use the meter on the side of the page to show how bad the wind, waves, sinking and panicking was!
If you think it's really bad, you could draw a picture of a wave reaching right up to the red part of the bar, or a picture of the men panicking, or create a graph!



Find your way from the outside of the sea, through
the storm to the boat in the middle!
How quickly can you do it?



The Wind and Waves Obey (Session 3)

Today's true Bible verses

Mark 4:39-41

'He got up and ordered the wind to stop. He said to the waves, "Quiet! Be still!" Then the wind died down. And it was completely calm. He said to his disciples, "Why are you so afraid? Don't you have any faith at all yet?" They were terrified. They asked each other, "Who is this? Even the wind and waves obey him!"'



(Picture taken from 'The Storm that Stopped' by Alison Mitchell)



Did you spot it?

Jesus used only three words, what were his words? Draw a comic strip of what Jesus said and how the wind and waves responded to his words!



How the wind and waves obeyed showed how powerful and mighty Jesus is!



Brain Drain



Figure out the puzzle below to find out obeys Jesus...

Jesus Calmed the Storm Word Scramble



Unscramble each of the clue words. Take the letters that appear in the circle boxes and unscramble them to find the answer to the last phrase.

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What obeys Jesus?

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All of nature listened to Jesus' three words and it obeyed him! That is INCREDIBLE!

Jesus wanted his friends to know who he really was... what is Jesus' secret identity that his friends discovered?

Use the code to figure out which letter matches to each number.

Code key

A 1	J 10	S 19
B 2	K 11	T 20
C 3	L 12	U 21
D 4	M 13	V 22
E 5	N 14	W 23
F 6	O 15	X 24
G 7	P 16	Y 25
H 8	Q 17	Z 26
I 9	R 18	

When Jesus calmed the storm, it showed that

20 8 5 23 9 14 4 19 1 14 4 20 8 5
23 1 22 5 19 15 2 5 25 10 5 19 21 19 .

So Jesus is not an ordinary man, who is he? Fill out this 'secret identity' profile of Jesus...

Name:

Secret Identity:

Powers:

What this means for us:

So what?



Here is the best news EVER – because Jesus is God, we don't have to worry about anything!

Jesus is in control of the whole world, just like he was in control of that crazy storm.

We have nothing to be afraid of. We can trust Jesus; he was and is and always will be in control. He loves us and wants to be our friend!

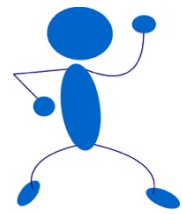
At the beginning of these sessions, who did you think Jesus was?



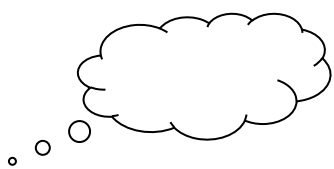
Magician



God



Madman



Make believe



Normal bloke



Loser

Who do you think or know Jesus is now?

Because Jesus is God and he is control of the whole world, write down or draw three things that you don't have to worry about anymore.

Ask Jesus to help you not to worry and to trust him. He would love to be your friend!

1.

2.

3.

THE ONE IMPOSSIBLE THING

Nothing is impossible for God. God can do ANYTHING. He can calm a storm! Stop the sun! Make a pathway through the sea!

Is there anything God can't do?

Just one thing.

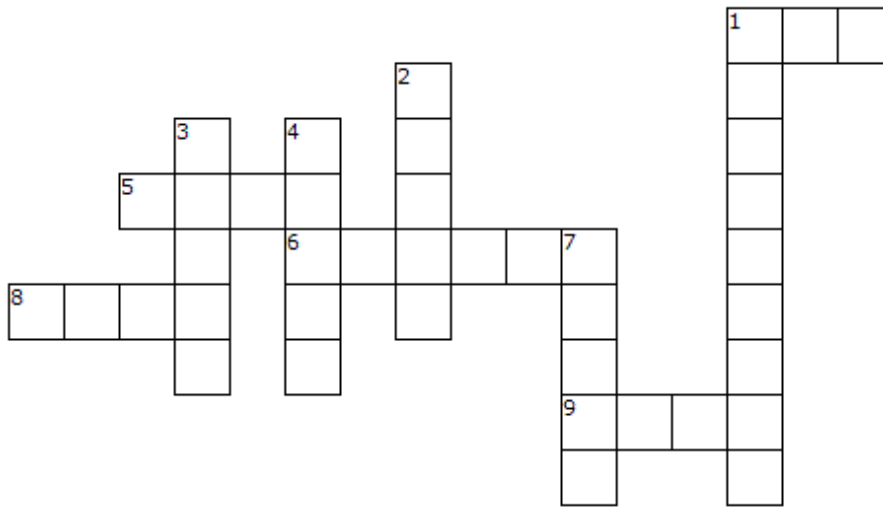
Ever stop loving you.

[God says,] "You are precious in my eyes, and honored, and I love you." ISAIAH 43:4 (ESV)

Peace! Be Still!

When Jesus woke up, he rebuked the wind and said to the waves, "Silence! Be still!" Suddenly the wind stopped, and there was a great calm. Mark 4:39 (NLT)

Based on Mark 4:26-29 (NIV)



ACROSS

1. A period of twenty-four hours
5. A body of water that is surrounded by land
6. To have a feeling of fear
8. A relatively small craft which travels on water
9. A raised movement of water rolling across the surface of the sea

DOWN

1. The original followers of Jesus
2. A violent weather condition with strong winds and heavy rain
3. A high degree of trust or confidence in someone
4. To be calm, without much activity
7. To die by being under water and unable to breathe

PEACE
DISCIPLES

STORM
LAKE

DAY
BOAT

DROWN
WAVE

AFRAID
FAITH

For a final challenge, colour in and then cut up the picture below, to make your own puzzle! Give to someone else to solve!

