



Assessing 'Discern' Branch 5: To the ends of the earth

Reference	Question	RED Skill & exemplification <i>Pupil 'meets' or 'does not meet'</i>
Y1, wk 4 Q2	If you were one of the friends on that day, what do you think you would feel or say, and why?	Say what they wonder about and suggesting answers, imagining how they and others are feeling. <i>e.g. If I was one of Jesus' friends, I think I would feel amazed and a bit sad because Jesus was going up to Heaven. I might say, 'Where is He going?' or 'Will we see Him again?'</i> <i>I would wonder what we should do next. I think Jesus' friends might feel happy too, because Jesus was going back to Heaven.</i>
Y2, WK 5 Q1	I wonder how it feels when someone shows me the fruits of the Holy Spirit?	Say what they wonder about and suggesting answers, imagining how they and others are feeling. <i>e.g. I wonder if it feels happy and calm when someone shows me the fruits of the Holy Spirit. If someone brings peace, it can help end arguments and make people friends again.</i> <i>If someone shows patience, it helps us wait kindly and not get cross. If someone shows generosity, it helps us share what we have. I think this would make me and other people feel loved and peaceful.</i>



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Y3, wk 4 Q3	I wonder what the disciples hope the Holy Spirit will do for them when He comes.	Express a judgement with relevant reasons, having considered different preferences. <i>e.g. I think the disciples hoped the Holy Spirit would help them be brave, because Jesus had gone back to Heaven and they might have felt worried or unsure what to do next.</i> <i>Some of them might have wanted the Holy Spirit to help them understand Jesus' words better. Others might have wanted comfort because they missed Jesus. I think Mary would have helped them pray and wait, because she trusted God and knew Jesus very well.</i>
Y4, wk 5 q1	What if the Church stopped caring for the poor and the sick, how might people respond?	Play with possibilities, asking 'what if?' questions, suggesting answers and imagining consequences and implications for themselves and others. <i>e.g. If the Church stopped caring for the poor and the sick, I think lots of people would feel forgotten and upset. They might wonder, 'Why is the Church not helping us anymore?'</i> <i>Some people might say the Church was not acting like Jesus, because Jesus cared for people who were ill, lonely or poor. Others might try to help instead, but it could still make people think the Church had forgotten its mission.</i>



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		<i>I think it would matter because Christians are meant to show Jesus' love by serving others, not just by talking about it.</i>
Y5, wk 4	If a saint you know had chosen not to follow Jesus, would that choice be just as good as following Him? What might people have missed from their example, and why?	Appreciate differing points of view are not all equally valid. <i>e.g. If St Carlo Acutis had chosen not to follow Jesus, I do not think that choice would have been just as good, because young people would have missed his example of loving the Eucharist.</i> <i>Some people might say it would not matter because he could still have been clever or kind with technology. But I think following Jesus helped him use technology in a better way, by helping people understand the Eucharist.</i> <i>I think that you can be young, enjoy computers, and be faith-filled at the same time.</i>
Y6, wk 5 q1	How did saints in the past show courage in following Jesus?	Articulate the reasons which might lead to judgements different to their own, recognising that some questions are difficult to answer. <i>e.g. St Oscar Romero showed courage by following Jesus even when it was dangerous. He spoke out for poor people and people who were being treated unfairly, even though powerful people did not want him to.</i>



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		<i>I think he was courageous because he could have stayed quiet to keep himself safe, but he chose to defend people who were suffering. Someone else might judge it differently and say he should not have got involved in politics or taken such a big risk.</i> <i>I think this is a difficult question because courage is not always easy. For St Oscar Romero, following Jesus meant standing up for justice, even when it cost him his life.</i>
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