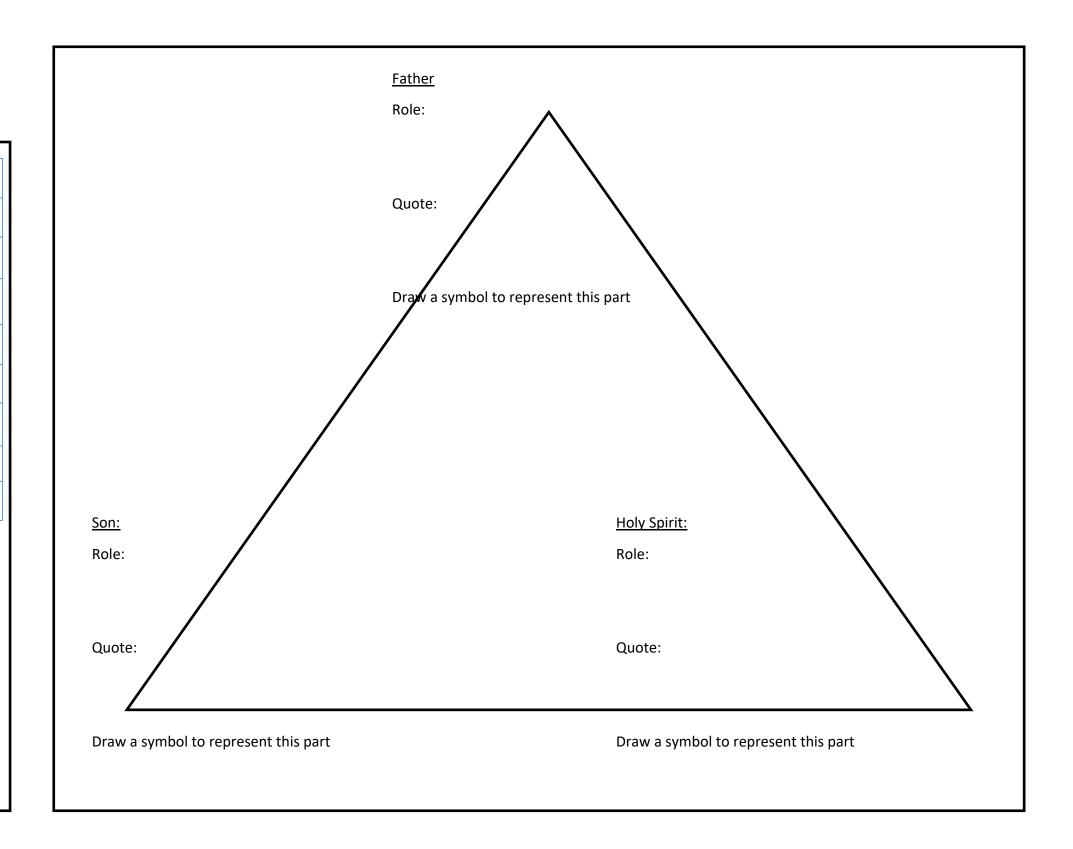
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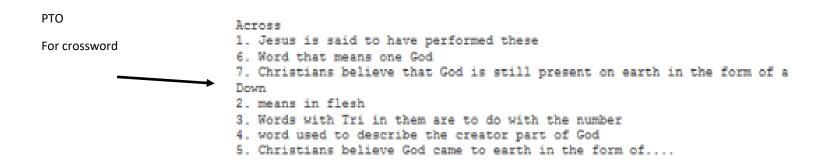
Christianity

A parable is?								
Two examples of parables are:								

Christian Aid:

Fill in the gaps
Christian Aid is a _______ that is run and supported by
_______. Their aim is to put _____
teaching into practise. Jesus taught that his followers should love God and love their ______. For a Christian their neighbour is ______, therefore they should help ______ regardless. Christian Aid was established (set up) after ______ to help the ______ of Europe. They continue to help people around the world regardless of their colour, race or ______. They provide but long term and short term help and therefore help people by ______





Create a list of questions to the following answers:
Question:
All the beautiful things in the world such as a newborn baby, beautiful sunset and chocolate are a sign that someone created the world; such a beautiful world could not have come here by chance.
Question:
The big bang explains HOW the universe came into existence; it does not tell us WHY it came into existence or what caused it.
Question:
There is so much evil and suffering in the world, how could a loving God create such an evil world.
Question:
There is no physical proof that God exists.
Question:
Religious believers feel God's presence through prayer and in their everyday lives; it is proof to them God is real as they experience God.
Question:
Religious believers claim that holy books are proof of Gods existence and tell us everything we need to know about the nature of God and God's relationship with humans. Others believe that holy book are a guide to understanding God but they have been written by humans and so may have inaccuracies and so to fully understand God you must have a personal relationship with him through prayer and/ or meditation.
Question:
Humanity has created the idea of God to help cope with this harsh world. This world is temporary for all of us and we have created the idea of God so that we feel that what happens to us in this life has happened for a reason and the belief in an afterlife comforts us when someone passes away.
Question:
A really important factor in the relationship between God and humanity is freewill. Some atheists will ask why God only appears/ has a relationship with religious believers and not atheists or agnostics; however a religious believer will argue that God gives us freewill and part of this is the choice to have a relationship with God.
Question:
Some people argue that if God treats everyone equally, why does He not answer everyone's prayers?

Match the following key terms:

Atheism	A belief that there is a God who is creator of the universe.
Agnosti- cism	A belief that there is NO God.
Theism	A belief that there is no proof either way whether God exists or not.

Here are some characteristics of God (what God is like) match them up (Colour code them) with the three different parts of God. (Some may apply to more than one part of God and hence are written twice).

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