



## Religious Education

Year: Class 3    Teacher: Miss Brack

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Our RE topic for this half term focuses on choices and understand it is important to examine our conscience in order to make a good choice and minimise bad effects for ourselves and others.

This week I would like you to think about your conscience and how it helps you make good choices.

Watch this video clip of Pinocchio and Jiminy Cricket to help you to think about what your conscience is.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DOZzNOkcEgM>

Read the story of the 'Two Sons' (See Resources). Here are some points to think about after you have read the story:

- What choices did both sons make?
- Why do you think they made these choices?
- How do you think they felt?
- Were there any consequences?
- How do you think the father felt about his two sons?
- Why did the father react like this?

Many Christians pray every day for the help they need to make good choices. Every day, usually before going to sleep, many Christians 'examine their life' ('conscience'). This means that they think about what has happened during the day and how they have tried to be the kind of person that God who loves them, wants them to be.

They think about what they have done during the day – the good choices they have made for which they say thank you, and the bad choices for which they are sorry. The wrong choices which are done on purpose are sins – that is something that spoils or breaks friendship with God and with other people. Sin is anything that breaks God's law of love. It is always something that has been done on purpose, not accidentally, or it is something we should do and purposely do not do it.

**Task:** Make a prayer card using the two example prayers (see resources) that you could use each evening to help you examine your conscience and say sorry for the bad choices.



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