



Good afternoon, Year 3 ☺

This term, we will be starting a new RE topic called **Reconciliation**. We will be learning all about this special Sacrament of forgiveness, reflecting on some important Bible stories and thinking about the different choices that we make in our lives.

In today's lesson, we will be thinking about **choices** and how God has given us a special gift to make our own choices.

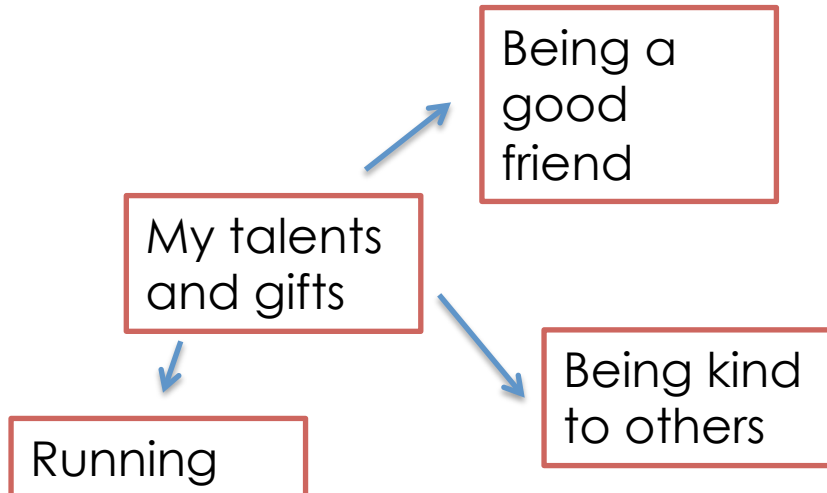


What special gifts has God given to you? What talents do you have?

Remember, you are all **unique** and **special** and have SO many talents 😊.

Task 1: Make a mind map of all the special gifts and talents that God has given you. You might like to use the template on the next page to help you.

Look at my example to help you 😊

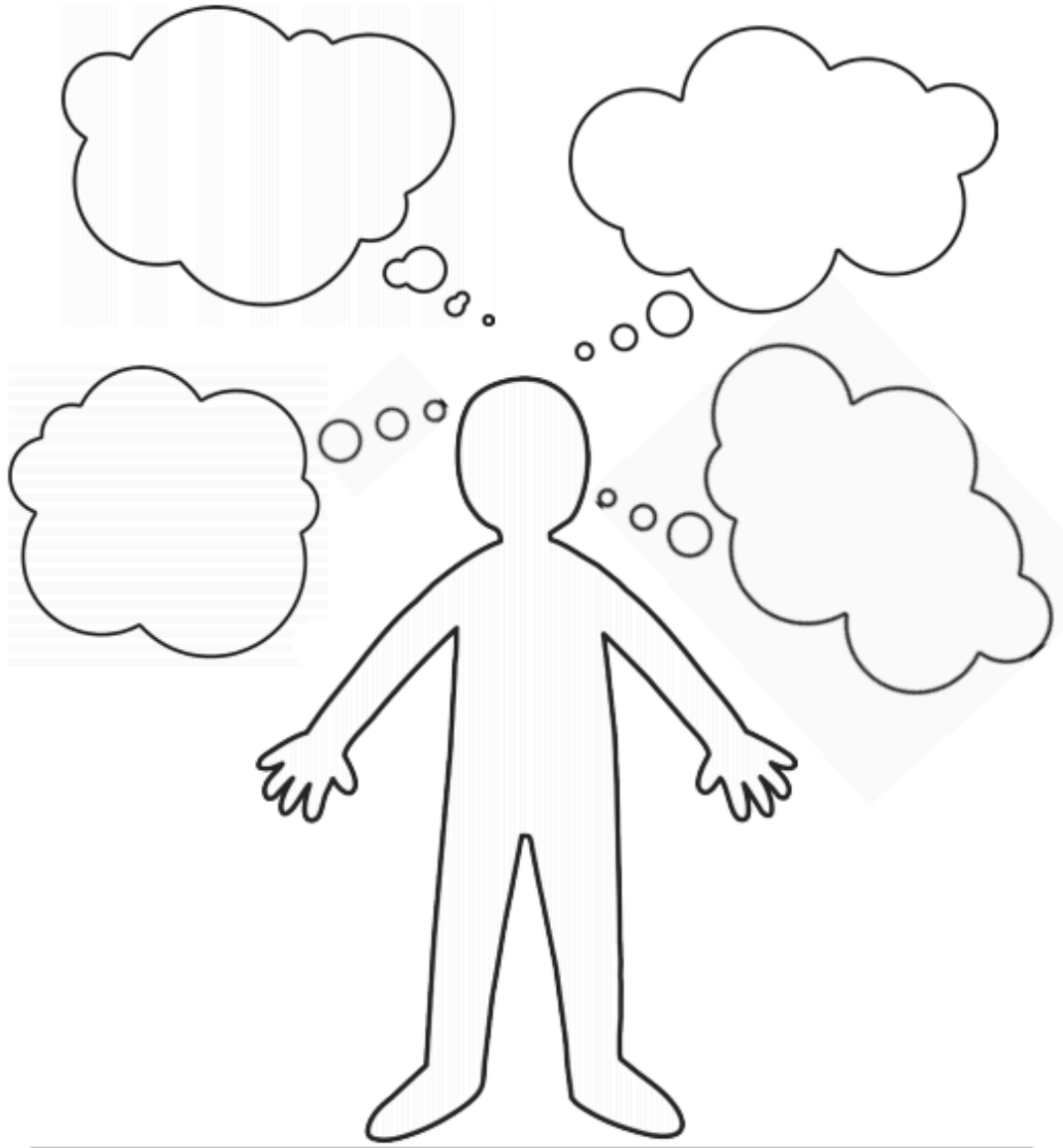


Respect & Cherish It



My talents and gifts

When God created you, he gave you gifts and talents that made you unique.
Draw them around the image below.



God has given us many gifts. One of the gifts that God has given us is the **gift of choice**. God gives us this gift **because he loves us**.

Choices are something we have to make all day and everyday.

What choices have you made so far today?



Perhaps... ?

- What to have for breakfast
- What to watch on TV
- What to have for lunch
- What snack to have
- What questions to do in Maths

What choices will you make later on today?



What to have for dinner

What story to have at bedtime

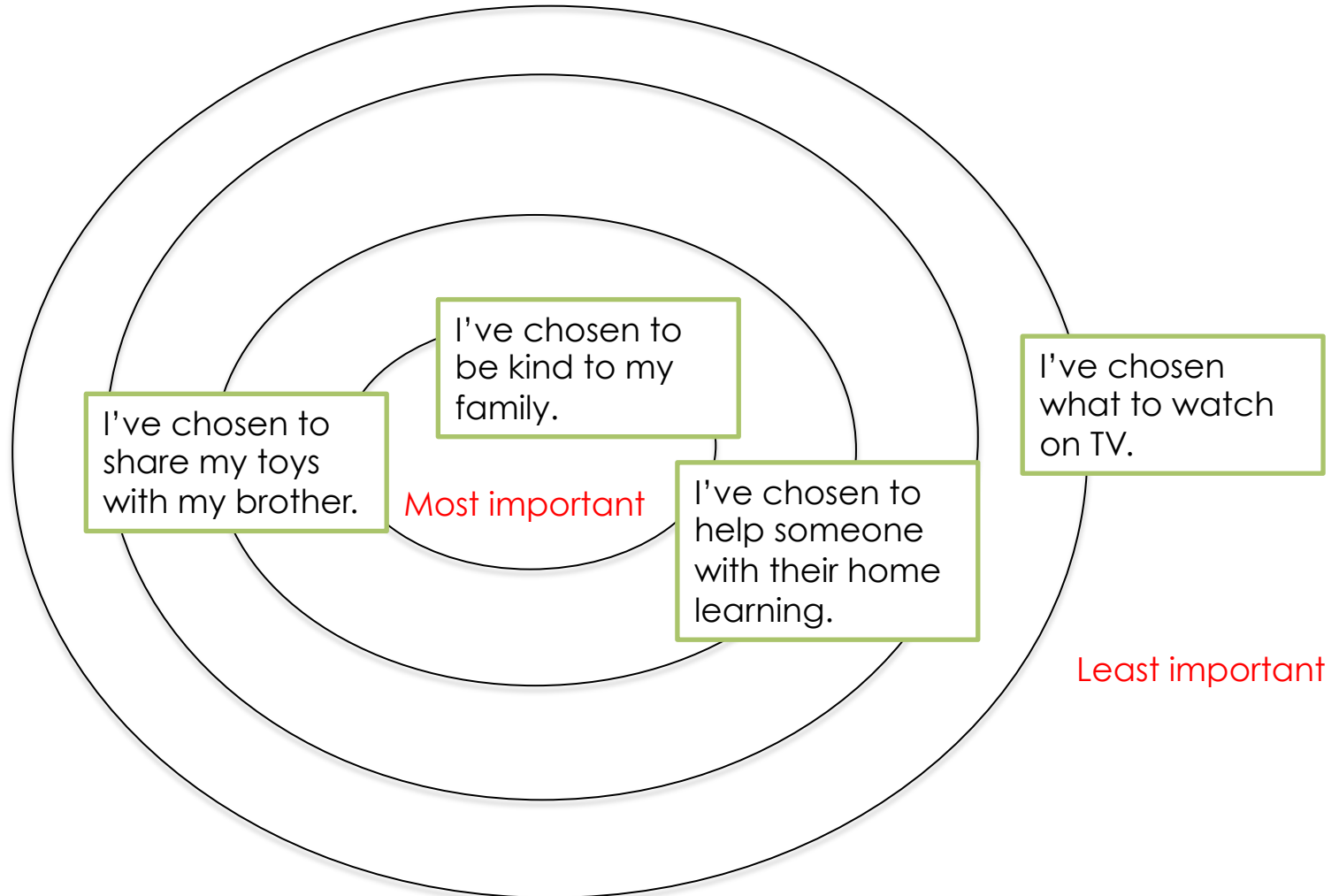


What to play on your tablet/
games console

What game to play with your
family



Task 2: List all of the choices that you have made today/ this week. Think about how important the choices are and place them on the circles below. Don't worry about printing it. Draw your own circles instead. Look at my example to help you.



Some of the choices that we make are more important than others especially the choices that will affect others.
We are now going to spend some time thinking **about good and bad choices.**

Look at the pictures below. What is the **bad choice** that is being made?



Good choices are choices that have a **positive effect** on those around you.

Bad choices are the opposite and can often have a **negative effect**.

Task 3: Decide whether the choices below are good or bad choices.

Draw a table into your book (like the one below) and put the choices into the correct column. You might like to add in some examples of your own too.

- Fighting on the playground
- Letting someone join in your - game who is lonely
- Sharing your toys
- Ignoring instructions from your teacher/ parents
- Laughing at someone who is upset
- Helping someone who is stuck
- Calling someone names
- Using good manners
- Listening carefully to instructions

Good choices:	Bad choices:

Good choices:

Bad choices:

Challenge question: What effect can a good/ bad choice have upon ourselves and others?





Thank you for working so hard.
You are all superstars.
Please send in any photos of your work to
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