

Y7: Nature of God and natural disasters

Start Date: 3/1/2022 Due 30/1/2022

Your task this term is to create a news report about the story of The Flood in the Bible. You need to present two views. View 1-it was an act of God. View 2-it was a natural disaster.

You need to include

- when and where it happened
- who it affected
- how it affected them
- how people responded
- why some people believe it was caused by God and what it makes them think about God
- the scientific and geographical explanation for why the natural disaster happened

Newspaper reports include

- facts and statistics
- quotes from eyewitnesses
- quotes from experts

The Flood in the Bible

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qzYjy6lhRag>

<https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Genesis%206%3A9-9%3A17&version=NIV>

<https://www.biblewise.com/kids/read/young/noahs-ark2.php>

Causes of flooding - science and geography

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zgycwmn/revision/1>

<https://education.nationalgeographic.org/resource/flood>

Example layouts:

The image shows three different newspaper layouts for 'The Daily News'. Each layout includes a masthead with the newspaper's name, a date, and a price. The first layout on the left has a large headline 'The scoop of the day' and a sub-headline 'The latest updates to get you through the day'. The middle layout features a large headline 'AMAZING HEADLINE HERE!' and a sub-headline 'This is an wonderful opportunity to grow your skills!'. The right layout has a headline 'GOOD TIMES TODAY!' and a sub-headline 'What is Lorem Ipsum?'. Each layout includes a main article area with placeholder text and a small image. The right layout also includes a sidebar with social media links for Twitter, Instagram, YouTube, and Facebook.

Recommended planning

	Tasks to complete
Week Beginning 2/1/2023	Research Bible story
Week Beginning 9/1/2023	Research scientific / geographic explanation
Week Beginning 16/1/2023	Design news paper layout and draft article
Week beginning 23/1/2023	Write up final draft of newspaper article
Week beginning 30/1/2023	Hand in newspaper article