



## Bible Exhibition Scotland



### Background

Bible Exhibition Scotland was compiled and built over 20 years ago by a group of Christians. The objective from start to finish is to impress on people the importance and relevance of the Bible to modern day lives.

Since it has begun the Bible Exhibition has travelled many miles throughout the British Isles, from the islands of Shetland to Jersey, Scotland, England, N.Ireland, S.Ireland and Wales. During this time over 400 000 children have experienced the Exhibition. All the workers have been working with children for many years and are fully disclosed.

In 2016 we launched our brand new exhibition which is a lot brighter and looks very modern and appealing.

### Content

The Exhibition is divided into 4 sections. These are:

1. **Who is God ?**
2. **What is the Bible?**
3. **Where did the Bible come from ?**
4. **What's in the Bible ?**
5. **Why should the bible be important to me ?**

*One of the great points about the Bible Exhibition is its relevance to the Christianity strand of RME in the curriculum. The Bible Exhibition itself covers some of these topics:*

- **Life of Jesus**
- **Miracles**
- **Parables**
- **Famous Christians**
- **Bible Characters**
- **Lessons found in the Bible**
- **The Passover**
- **Death and Burial of Jesus**

**Audience**

We would suggest that primary six and seven ages are most suited, as well as first and second year of secondary school. Ideal class sizes should not exceed 30 children if possible.

Usually in the course of a day, around 3 to 4 classes would be able to visit the Exhibition depending on travelling distance, lunch and finishing times of individual schools.

**The Experience**

Your children will be collected by bus or you are free to walk (within reason!) Upon arrival children will be fully briefed and receive a clipboard and pencil ready for their tour.

Each class will be divided into smaller groups and your guide will conduct them round. As they go they need to listen, interact and answer the questions on their clipboard.

Each tour lasts for 50 minutes (approx.). After which they will be given refreshments and have a bit of fun to test their memories in a very competitive quiz! On leaving the exhibition each child will receive an exit pack containing: pencil, bookmark, free bible offer and other things.

All this is provided free for the children and during the visit all teachers and staff are free to join a group or wander round and then enjoy a drink and some home baking.

Here are some examples of the panels which make up the exhibition.



**Feedback**

*An interactive exhibition geared perfectly for primary school children. They enjoyed learning from and listening to their guides. The question sheet provided focus for the children.*

Gemma Harrison – Kingsmills Primary School (Northern Ireland)

*Thank you so much for making the Bible interesting and accessible to the children. The exhibition is very easy to understand and they have really enjoyed it. The adults involved were friendly and enthusiastic. The organisation was very good and we have had a great morning. It has been lovely to see the children enthused by the Bible.*

Lara Satchwell – Hankham Primary School School

*The children thoroughly enjoyed their visit. It was very interesting and brought the bible to life for them. It gave them a brilliant first hand experience of happenings from Bible time.*

Frances Greer – Carr Primary (Northern Ireland)

*The energy and enthusiasm displayed by the guides spilled over to the children and they were thoroughly engaged for the whole time we were at the exhibition – NO MEAN FEAT! Excellent, Thank you.*

Caroline Pitcathley – Our Lady & St Annes Primary