



# We're the Kids in America

## How does the Bible influence Christians?

### 1. What influences you in the behaviours you choose?

- Personal and team values,
- Behaviour Policy
- Holy books and teachings
- Religious and faith leaders.
  - Teachers,
  - Parents
- Family,

### 2. How do Christians view the Bible today?

Christians regard the Bible. **as their holy text.** They follow the rules it contains for living life and can turn to Jesus' teachings for moral guidance. The Bible is considered **sacred.**

### 3. How has the bible changed over time?

The Bible has undergone various changes over time in how it is presented and translated.

Early versions of the Bible were written in languages like Hebrew, Greek, and Latin, which were difficult for most people to understand.

### 4. Why were and are people willing to die for the Bible?

In the Bible, Jesus was crucified to take away our sins. A soldier fights to defend a country. We will discuss if whether anything is worth dying for as a P4C session.

### 5. How is the Bible used in public worship and for personal devotion?

The Bible can be seen as a guidebook where Christians can turn to for advice, guidance and reassurance. Passages from the Bible are read and discussed during regular worship services where the priest will read a certain passage of the Bible. This passage will often have some meaning. It also has a key role during rites of passage and ceremonies including weddings, funerals and baptisms.

### Key Vocabulary

**Holy**—for someone to be holy, they should be devoted entirely to God.

**Translation**—changing words or text from one language into another.

**Worship**- is an act of religious devotion

**Guidance**—advice aimed at resolving a problem or difficulty with respect to the religion

