

The Apostles Creed

1. Write the Apostles Creed on a large piece of newsprint, numbering the blanks as indicated below, and leaving out the answers.
2. On another piece of newsprint, write the Word Bank which contains the missing words. Write this list in random order.
3. Invite the children to form pairs. Each pair will need a piece of paper and a pencil or pen which they can number 1 to 27 down the left margin.
4. On your signal, the pairs choose the correct words to fill in the blanks. When they think they have completed the task correctly, they raise their hands.
5. Quietly check their work against the Answer Key below. If they completed the puzzle correctly, solicit their help in checking the work of the other pairs as they complete the activity. Pairs who do not complete it correctly go back and try again.

I believe in 1. _____ ,
the 2. _____ almighty,
3. _____ of heaven and earth.
I 4. _____ in 5. _____ ,
his only 6. _____ , our Lord,
He was 7. _____ by the power
of the 8. _____ Spirit
and 9. _____ of the Virgin 10. _____ .
He 11. _____ under Pontius Pilate,
was 12. _____ , 13. _____ and was 14. _____ ..
He 15. _____ to the dead.
On the third day he 16. _____ again.
He 17. _____ into 18. _____ ,
and is seated at the right hand of the 19. _____ .
He will come again to 20. _____
the 21. _____ and the dead.
I believe in the Holy 22. _____ ,
the holy 23. _____ Church,
the communion of 24. _____ ,
the 25. _____ of sins,
the 26. _____ of the body,
and the life everlasting. 27. _____

Answer Key

1. God
2. Father
3. creator
4. believe
5. Jesus Christ
6. Son
7. conceived
8. Holy
9. born
10. Mary
11. suffered
12. crucified
13. died
14. buried
15. descended
16. rose
17. ascended
18. heaven
19. Father
20. judge
21. living
22. Spirit
23. catholic
24. saints
25. forgiveness
26. resurrection
27. Amen