

Books of the Bible Objective Exercises

Overview

The purpose of these exercises is to build learners' background knowledge before playing [Books of the Bible Jeopardy](#).ⁱ

True/False

- A. Depending on their prior knowledge, learners respond to the following true/false statements with Bibles open or closed, individually or with a partner. They may also need to check a dictionary.

Decide whether the following statements are true or false.

- _____ 1. The Bible is a collection of 62 total books.
- _____ 2. The Bible is divided into two main categories: the Old Testament and the Gospels.
- _____ 3. The first main category has 35 books.
- _____ 4. The second main category has 27 books.
- _____ 5. "Testament" means covenant or contract and refers to the agreement between God and humans.

- B. If the exercise was done with books closed, individuals or pairs check their answers by looking at the content pages of their Bibles and a dictionary on their phones.

- C. The teacher checks to make sure all learners figure out the correct answers.



Multiple Choice

- A. Depending on their prior knowledge, learners respond to the following true/false statements with Bibles open or closed, individually or with a partner. They may also need to refer to a [books of the Bible graphic](#).

Choose the best answer.

1. The first four books of the New Testament are the _____.
 - a. Gospels
 - b. Letters
2. Psalms and Proverbs are two of the books of _____ in the Old Testament.

- a. songs
 - b. poetry
3. _____ is the only book of prophecy in the New Testament.
- a. Ephesians
 - b. Revelation
4. The books of prophecy in the Old Testament are divided into two categories: _____ prophets and _____ prophets.
- a. big, little
 - b. major, minor
5. The Books of Law or the Pentateuch refer to the first _____ books of the Old Testament.
- a. 5
 - b. 7
6. The only book of history in the New Testament is _____.
- a. Acts
 - b. Luke
7. The Old Testament has _____ books of history.
- a. 12
 - b. 8

B. If the exercise was done with books closed, individuals or pairs check their answers by looking at the content pages of their Bibles and possibly also the books of the Bible graphic.

C. The teacher checks to make sure all learners figure out the correct answers.

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