

Uncle Arthur tells the story of a girl who had fun shouting at a wall and listening to the echo; her mother then told her she must listen to the echo at home. The echo turned out to be her little brother who liked copying his big sister, especially when she said things like, "I don't want any of those horrid potatoes", and "I hate greens!"

When she realised what was happening, Mary determined to give her brother only good words to echo. *(Bedtime Stories Volume 1, page 77)*



There is a way that seems right to a man but in the end it leads to death. Proverbs 14:12

# The Priests

## Sabbath

Do you have a uniform? What is it for?

School     Pathfinders     Sports: \_\_\_\_\_

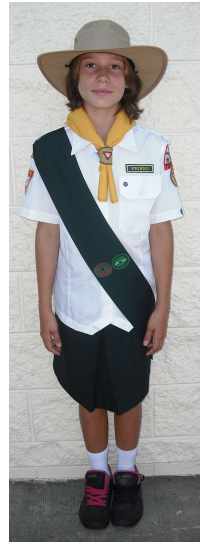
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A uniform shows that you belong to a group but in many cases it also teaches things about what the group believes.

The pathfinder uniform shows which classes the Pathfinder has completed and what honours they have chosen to study and complete.

The club name shows which club they are a part of; the colour of the scarf and epaulettes show whether they are a junior pathfinder, senior pathfinder or staff member.

The world patch shows that Pathfinders are found all over the world.



The Pathfinder triangle has the following symbolism:



- Red for the blood of Jesus
- Gold for the riches of heaven
- White for the purity and righteousness that Christ offers us.
- Blue for loyalty to God
- A sword to remind us we are in a spiritual battle.
- A shield to remind us that God is our protection

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Refer: Exodus 28; 29; Leviticus 8; 10:1-11 NLT; *Patriarchs and Prophets* p350, 351, 359, 362; *The Bible Story* vol2 p188-192

## Sunday

God chose the tribe of Levi to look after the Sanctuary, and Moses' brother Aaron, and his family were chosen to be the priests.

The priests were to wear a plain white robe and a white head covering. White is the colour of purity and reminded them of the purity or sinlessness of Jesus.



The High Priest, Aaron, had a special uniform.

Over his white robe he wore a blue, sleeveless, tunic with bells and pomegranates, like little balls or pompoms, around the bottom. Blue was the colour of the law and the tinkle of the bells could be heard as the High Priest moved about in the Sanctuary.



Over the blue tunic, he wore the ephod which was a bit like a vest, made with blue, purple, red and gold thread - the same colours as the curtains of the Sanctuary; colours that represented Jesus as our King, Saviour and example of how to follow God's law.

The breastplate was held over the ephod - close to the priest's heart - by gold chains; it had twelve gems and the name of a tribe of Israel was carved on each gem. Two large gems sat on the High Priest's shoulders and they also had the names of the tribes carved on them.

The High Priest also wore a gold crown with the words "Holy to the Lord" on it.

## Friday

There is another responsibility that grows as you get older: the responsibility of being a good example. Brothers, sisters, cousins, friends... chances are there are people who see what you do and try to copy at times.

Tick the ones which you have:



Brothers



Sisters



Cousins



School friends



Church friends



Neighbours



Younger kids at school



Younger kids at church



Younger neighbours



Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Do they copy you?

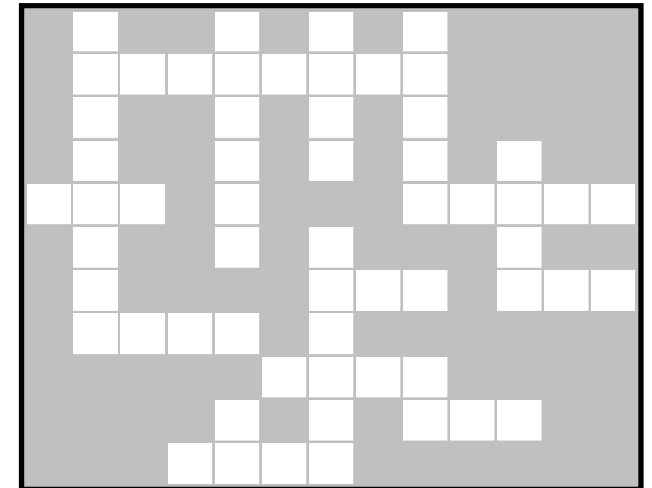
Are you setting a good example?

Ask your parents and teachers what they think too.

Older people will be watching you too. If people know that you go to Church, that you are a Christian, then people will be watching you to see what a Christian is like.

Fit the words from Matthew 5:16<sup>NLT</sup> into the grid.

"Let your good deeds shine out for all to see, so that everyone will praise your heavenly Father."





## Tuesday

Each part of the High Priests clothing had meaning. Look up the missing words in the verses below and draw an arrow to the part of the Priests clothes that they teach us about; then fit the missing words into the crossword.



↙ Psalm 51:7<sub>NLT</sub>, "Purify me from my sins, and I will be \_\_\_\_\_ (9 across); wash me, and I will be \_\_\_\_\_ (5a) than \_\_\_\_\_ (13a)."   
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↙ Numbers 15:37-40<sub>NIV</sub> "...with a \_\_\_\_\_ (4d) cord on each tassel. You will have these tassels to look at and so you will \_\_\_\_\_ (11a) all the \_\_\_\_\_ (3a) of the \_\_\_\_\_ (12d)"   
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↙ Isaiah 1:18<sub>NLT</sub> "Though your sins are like \_\_\_\_\_ (1d), I will make them as white as snow; though they are \_\_\_\_\_ (7d) like crimson, I will make them as white as wool." And Hebrews 10:10<sub>NIV</sub>, "made holy through the \_\_\_\_\_ (2d) of the body of \_\_\_\_\_ (10d) \_\_\_\_\_ (9d) once for all."   
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↙ Mark 15:17-18<sub>NIV</sub>, "They put a \_\_\_\_\_ (6a) robe on Him... And they began to call out to Him, "Hail, \_\_\_\_\_ (8a) of the Jews!"   
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## Wednesday

The priests had a very important job: they had to show the people what Jesus was like. Instead, two of Aaron's sons got drunk and didn't show respect in the Sanctuary.

Find the underlined words in the grid.

Do you remember learning how your responsibilities and privileges grow as you get older? - You can do more things with your friends, but you also have more chores to do. We have also talked about consequences – the punishment for a child might be timeout or missing a privilege, but an adult could get a fine or time in prison, or lose their job.

Did you know that different adults can have different levels of responsibilities, privileges and consequences? Think of a fireman compared to a salesman or a doctor compared to a shop assistant. What differences can you think of?

|                  | Fireman or Doctor | Salesman or Shop Assistant |
|------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|
| Responsibilities |                   |                            |
| Privileges       |                   |                            |
| Consequences     |                   |                            |

People who are in positions of power or leadership, have more responsibilities, more privileges and, if they make bad decisions, more consequences and punishment.

