

1 The story of my life

LOOKING BACK – LOOKING AHEAD

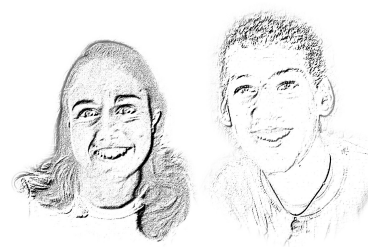
Sometimes it can be very meaningful to look back and give some thought to what you've been through. Now that you're embarking on this new course to get ready to receive the sacrament of Confirmation it is fitting to look back to reflect on your life so far and the encounters you had with Jesus.

A It all started with me being baptised ...

Fill in the details in the ten spaces below ...

I was baptised on _____
(date)

at _____
(place). My godparents were



(name/s)

I learned about Jesus and the life of the Church at _____
(where)

My catechist/teacher was _____
(name)

I celebrated the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time in _____
(year)

at _____
(parish name)

I received Jesus in Holy Communion for the first time in _____ at
(year)

_____ when I was _____ years old.
(parish name)

B Something else ...

Write about any Catholic schools you have been to or any Christian groups you belong to or have been a member of ...

C What do I know?

What have I learned so far?

What do I really believe in?

Write brief points about things you have learned about and things you believe in as a Christian.

D Who is God for me?

Does HE make any difference in my life?

How do I show I'm a Christian?

Write about how your normal daily life is different from that of others who are not Christians.

E CONFIRMATION ? What's that ?

Have you ever seen a confirmation ceremony?

Has anyone in your family been confirmed?

Have you ever spoken to any friends about Confirmation and what it's all about?

Write short notes about anything you know so far about Confirmation.