

SCHOOLS – SESSION 5

CREATIVITY AND INNOVATION

Main Aim: to inspire young people to fill the world with wonder

Attention: Fill the world with wonder

Icebreaker: What's the best thing that has ever been invented and why?

Game: Human objects – challenge teams to make themselves look like a human washing machine or other household appliance. The winner is the group that wins the most rounds and makes the most realistic 'human' version of household objects. Talk about how each group had to think how to be creative and innovate something out of nothing.

Watch: Inaugural poet Amanda Gorman delivering a poem at US President Joe Biden's inauguration.

[Video here.](#)

Q. How does this poem make you feel?

Activity: Speech Writing Challenge - encourage the young people to write a speech for the Queen to use during the Platinum Jubilee - maybe make a video of them reciting it.

Application: How can God inspire us to be more creative?

Key Bible Text: 'We are God's creation. He created us to belong to Christ Jesus. Now we can do good works. Long ago God prepared these works for us to do' (Ephesians chapter 2 verse 10).

Appeal: Fill the world with wonder

IN - We are all creative! What type of creativity do you enjoy and how could you do more of it?

OUT - How could you be innovative in what you do with friends? Could you try a new activity together?

UP - What's one way you could to more creative in your personal time with God?

Prayer Spaces In Schools resources: [Read how](#) magnifying glasses sparked joy, awe and wonder for girls in a Bristol school.

Plenary: What's the ONE THING I can create to help fill the world with wonder?

70 Acts of Service

The Queen has served the UK and the Commonwealth for 70 years. To honour her, let's join together in [70 Acts of Service](#) during 2022.