**The Plagues of Egypt**

The ten plagues of Egypt are described in the book of Exodus, chapters 7-12. The plagues were ten disasters sent upon Egypt by God to convince Pharaoh to free the Israelite slaves from the bondage and oppression they had endured in Egypt for 400 years. When God sent Moses to deliver the children of Israel from bondage in Egypt, He promised to show His wonders as confirmation of Moses' authority ([Exodus 3:20](http://biblia.com/bible/esv/Exodus%203.20)). This confirmation was to serve at least two purposes: to show the Israelites that the God of their fathers was alive and worthy of their worship and to show the Egyptians that their gods were nothing.

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. In the table below, draw a simple image for each of the plagues. Use colour.
2. Write down the Bible verse that describes the plague. Keep this concise.
3. Explain the significance of each plague. What is God trying to communicate to the Pharaoh? Why did He have to perform these miracles?

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| **Illustration of plague** | **Bible verse and significance** |
| 1. | **Bible verse:**  **Significance:** |
| 2. | **Bible verse:**  **Significance:** |
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| 9. | **Bible verse:**  **Significance:** |
| 10. | **Bible verse:**  **Significance:** |