

Dear Junior Apologetics Competitors,

The following questions and answers are here for you to study and prepare to answer in the Junior Apologetics competition. They have been derived from the first fourteen questions from the Westminster Shorter Catechism for Young Children.

We have selected these questions because they ask you to research core truths about Christianity by looking to God's word. You'll notice that the questions are interrelated. That's a big word that means the questions and their answers go together! Learning about question #1 will help you with your answer to #2 and #3.

We pray that as you study the following questions and answers, you will become more grounded in your faith and the knowledge that God loves you so much and that He has spoken to you in His creation and in His Holy Word.

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Junior Apologetics Questions

During competition, you will receive the question(s) with the answer(s) from the catechism on a slip of paper as the starting place for your speech.

- 1. Who made you?**
God.
What else did God make?
God made all things.
- 2. Why did God make you and all things?**
For his own glory.
- 3. How can you glorify God?**
By loving him and doing what he commands.
- 4. Why ought you to glorify God?**
Because he made me and takes care of me.
- 5. Are there more gods than one?**
There is only one God.
- 6. In how many persons does this one God exist?**
In three persons.
What are they?
The Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.
- 7. Where is God?**
God is everywhere.
- 8. Can you see God?**
No; I cannot see God, but he always sees me.
- 9. Does God know all things?**
Yes; nothing can be hid from God.
- 10. Can God do all things?**
Yes; God can do all his holy will.
- 11. Where do you learn how to love and obey God?**
In the Bible alone.