

You've got talent!

What are you good at? What do you enjoy doing and can do well? What would you like to do even better? All these questions are important ones as we try and use our talents to the full, and be the person that God wants us to be.

We are all different and we all have different talents, and one of the mistakes we can make is to try to be like someone else, and value their talents more than we value our own. God wants us to be the best version of ourselves.

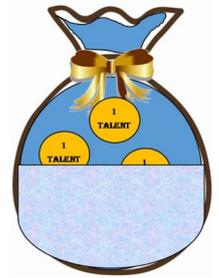
Our story today says that God wants us to use our own talents to the full, and that when we do so and offer these talents to help him, like a proud parent he turns to us and says, 'Well done!'

Story: [The Parable of the Talents](#) - Pursue God Kids

Craft: What are you good at doing? What would you like to be able to improve on with more practise?

Follow the instructions on the attached sheets to make your own bag of talents.

How can you use your talents for the good of others?



Song time: [With God's Power working in us](#) - Duggie Dug Dug

Prayer time

Thank you for all those things that I can do, enjoy doing and can do well.

Thank you for all the other good things that others can do and that I can share in.

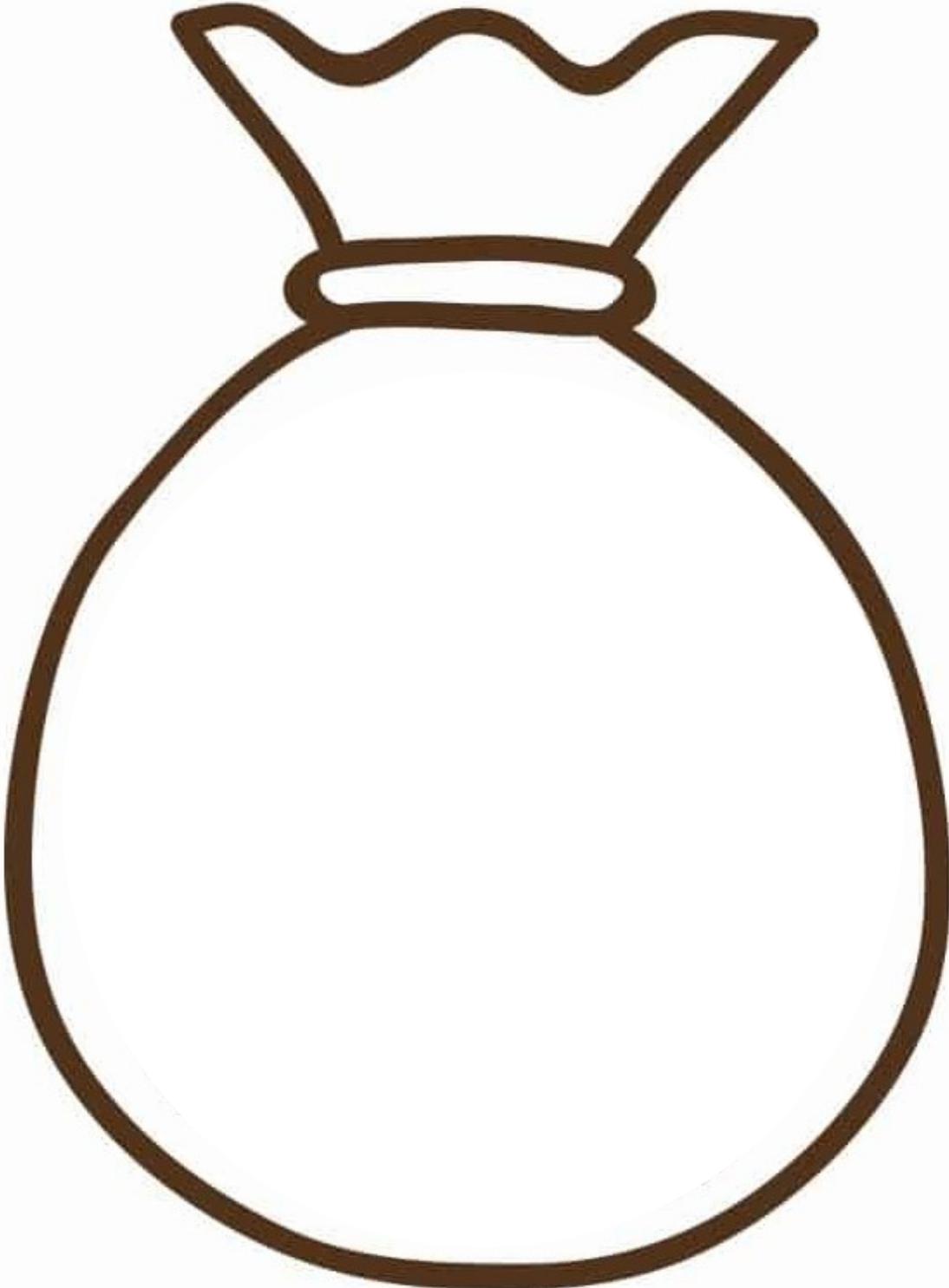
Help me to develop those talents that I have, that will help others and make the world a better place. Amen.

Song time: [Gonna Serve](#) - PBC Creation Station

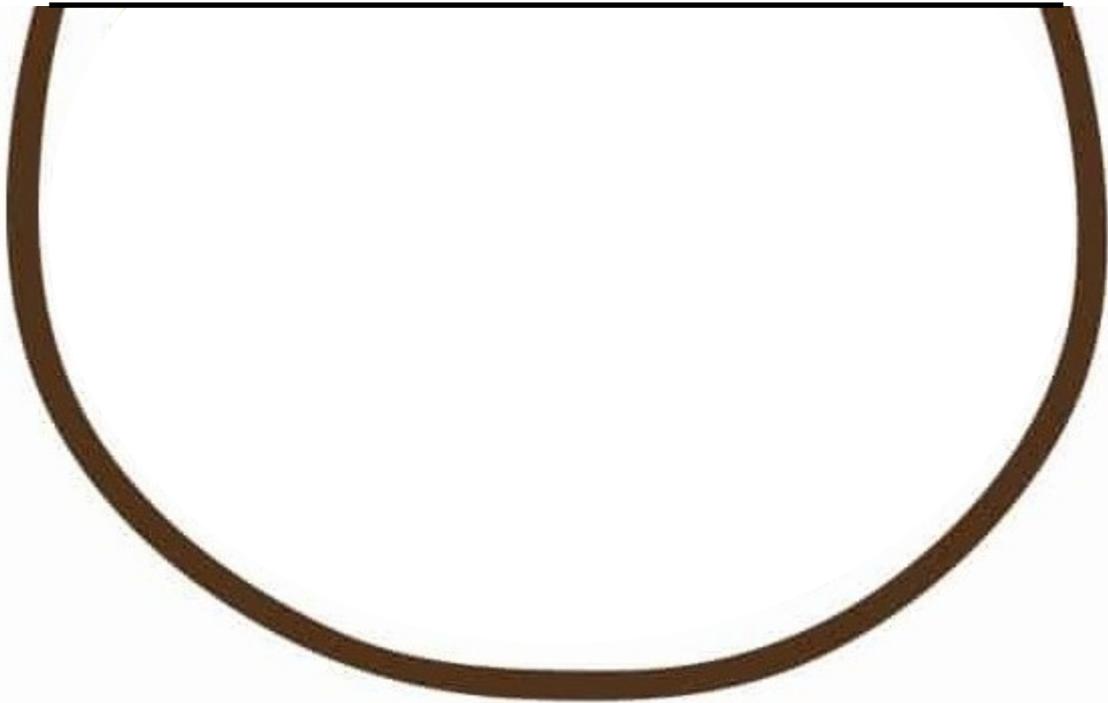


Activity: complete the colouring in sheet and, as you do, think about the different talents that your family and friends have. Tell them the things you think that they are good at and encourage them to use all the talents that they have.

Print or draw the shape of this bag on to card if possible and then cut it out.



Now cut out this shape from wrapping paper or material and stick it on to the front of your bag to make a pocket.



Cut around these coins, or make your own from card. On the back of each coin write one thing that you are already good at or would like to get more practise at. Now put the coins in your money bag. Each week use your bag as a 'lucky dip' and take out one coin. Use the talent written on the back to help someone else or to practise some more. Remember to say thank you to God for the talent he has given to you.



