



Can we trust the Bible? (Grades 6-8) Answer Sheet

Activity: in the space shown below, copy the scripture shown in the box and then answer the questions. Important note: please make sure your copy has the same words as the original on each line.

“In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. Now the earth was formless and empty, darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the Spirit of God was hovering over the waters.”

Genesis 1:1-2

| | <u>original</u> | <u>copy</u> |
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| 1. Count the number of letters on each line | | |
| Line #1: | <u>37</u> | _____ |
| Line #2: | <u>38</u> | _____ |
| Line #3: | <u>37</u> | _____ |
| Line #4: | <u>38</u> | _____ |
| Line #5: | <u>7</u> | _____ |
| | 157 | |
| 2. Add up the total number of letters : | <u>157</u> | _____ |
| 3. Count each “h” in both the original and your copy: | <u>12</u> | _____ |
| 4. Count each “n” in both the original and your copy: | <u>12</u> | _____ |
| 5. Count each “t” in both the original and your copy: | <u>14</u> | _____ |