

Topic	Content	Key Knowledge
The person of Jesus Christ*	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jesus Christ's authority as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ the Son of God ○ a teacher of wisdom ○ a liberator 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jesus' divinity as expressed in his: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ knowledge of God ○ miracles ○ resurrection With reference to Mark 6:47–52 and John 9:1–41 • Jesus' moral teaching on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ repentance and forgiveness ○ inner purity and moral motivation With reference to Matthew 5:17–48 and Luke 15:11–32 • Jesus' role as liberator of the marginalised and the poor, as expressed in his: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ challenge to political authority ○ challenge to religious authority With reference to Mark 5:24–34 and Luke 10:25–37
<p>Learners should have the opportunity to discuss issues related to Christian ideas regarding Jesus Christ as a source of authority, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • whether or not Jesus was only a teacher of wisdom • whether or not Jesus was more than a political liberator • whether or not Jesus' relationship with God was very special or truly unique • whether or not Jesus thought he was divine 		
<p>Suggested scholarly views, academic approaches and sources of wisdom and authority <i>Learners will be given credit for referring to any appropriate scholarly views, academic approaches and sources of wisdom and authority, however the following examples may prove useful</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • McGrath, A. (2011) <i>Theology: the Basics</i>, Blackwell, Chapter 4 • Theissen, G. (2010) <i>The Shadow of the Galilean</i>, SCM Press • Chapman, G. (1994) <i>Catechism of the Catholic Church</i> paras. 422–478 		