

## **J S 2 ENGLISH STUDIES FOR WEEK 6, THIRD TERM**

### **Composition: Writing a Dialogue**

Dialogue is a conversation between two or more people. It is a formal discussion whereby a problem is solved at the end

#### **Essentials of a Dialogue.**

1. You need to narrate at the beginning (before the dialogue) and in-between dialogue.
2. Write the name of a characters are written, in verses
3. Dialogues are written in acts and scenes because it represents drama.

#### **Example of Dialogue: From 'The Saint' By Tade Adegbindin**

**AREMU:** (*Grinning*) And that man? The tall dark man.

**BABA AGBA:** Ah, that is Ajala. He is a banker. He works in the bank.

**AREMU:** Where people hide their money?

**BABA AGBA:** Yes, he is now richer than his bank and he is afraid that some people may plot evil against him. He wants orunmila to protect him against evil. He also want his colleagues and friends ot to think of asking too much questions about his wealth.

(*Points*) That woman..., I think you have seen her before?

**AREMU:** No, Baba Agba.

(Refer to 'The Saint' By Tade Adegbindin, pages 3-4.)

### **Vocabulary Development (VD): Word Families- Religion**

Religion has to do with the belief in the existence of a supernatural power. It is also a way of worshipping the supernatural power believed in. Some words associated with religion include:

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| 1. Monotheist | 21. Vestments |
| 2. Polytheist | 22. Cassock   |
| 3. Atheist    | 23. Christmas |

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| 4. Chapel     | 24. Angel                               |
| 5. Cathedral  | 25. Mecca                               |
| 6. Sexton     | 26. Jubril                              |
| 7. Pilgrimage | 27. Kabaah                              |
| 8. Pew        | 28. Cave Hira                           |
| 9. Seminary   | 29. Sultan                              |
| 10. Stipend   | 30. Ablution                            |
| 11. Clergy    | 31. Jihad                               |
| 12. Mass      | 32. Pulpit                              |
| 13. Hymn      | 33. Yoga                                |
| 14. Easter    | 34. Hindus                              |
| 15. Bible     | 35. Synagogue                           |
| 16. Quran     | 36. Law of karma                        |
| 17. Iman      | 37. Hero worship (magic/mystical rites) |
| 18. Salat     | 38. Judaism                             |
| 19. Shrine    | 39. Jumat                               |
| 20. Mosque    | 40. Chaplain, etc.                      |