

2 Chronicles — Worksheet 2: Answer Key

Josiah's Reforms — marking guide

Use this to mark your own worksheet. For reflection questions, there is no single right answer — check that your response genuinely engages with the passage.

1. How old was Josiah when he became king, and how old when he began seeking God (2 Chronicles 34:1-3)?

He became king at eight years old, and began seeking God at sixteen.

2. What did Josiah begin doing at age twenty, according to 2 Chronicles 34:3?

Purging Judah and Jerusalem of idols and altars to false gods.

3. What did Josiah do once the Book of the Law was found and read to him (summarise from 2 Chronicles 34:19-21, 29-31)?

He tore his clothes in distress, then gathered the people and made a covenant to follow the LORD's commandments with all his heart and soul.

4. What did the people do as a result of Josiah's leadership, according to 2 Chronicles 34:33?

They did not depart from following the LORD, the God of their fathers, all Josiah's days.

5. Reflection: Josiah began seeking God as a teenager. What does his story suggest about being 'too young' to take faith seriously?

Open, personal reflection.