## Get wise!

As they walked home from the school concert in the dark, the family could hear the call of a Boobook owl. "Bo-book, bo-book" it called quietly. "I wish I could see it," whispered Sean as he searched the dark shadows in the trees.

"Why do people say owls are wise?" asked Vickie. "I'm not really sure", said Grandma, "but there is an old nursery rhyme that says —

'A wise old owl lived in an oak.
The more he saw, the less he spoke.
The less he spoke, the more he heard.
Why can't we all be like that wise old bird.'

I think people taught it to children to teach them the wisdom of listening."



## Wise – making good sense, making good use of what you know.

## Listen to God! Proverbs 2:1-13

All wisdom comes from God but we must seek it. The best place to find wisdom is God's book the Bible.

As you read the verses in Proverbs, see if you can work out what you get by being wise and what wisdom will help you keep away from.

## Talk to God

Lord God, thank you that you are wise and can make us wise. Please help us to listen to what you say in the Bible. Help us to learn from it and become wise.

See how wise you are - crack the code.

The Bible says in Colossians 3:16

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