

→ **Attempt the activity below in your Language Book.**

ACTIVITY

Language of Religion

(6 marks)

Study the sample below and answer the questions which follow.

Loving God,

Help us to focus on what we have,
not on what is removed or changed.

Strengthen us when we feel
discouraged
or overwhelmed.

Embrace us so that we know
your **loving presence** within us
and among us.

Walk with us as we bring your love,
and carry your light, into our world.

Source: <https://www.xavier.edu>

Questions

- (i) Explain the purpose of the sample. **(2marks)**
- (ii) Explain the tense used in the sample. **(2marks)**
- (iii) Explain how the use of a feature in the sample justifies the tone. **(2marks)**
- (iv) For practice purposes, also identify the other **features** in the sample.

This will enable you to tackle the different kinds of samples for this variety.

THE END