

Scripture reference: The Beginning: A Perfect Home

Story summary: God created everything and it was good.

Optional Lesson Strengthening: Lead the children in a fun game to help get them moving and thinking about our great God who creates something out of nothing. Tell the kids you're going to play a game similar to Simon Says, and they'll need to pay close attention! There will be three possible things you will ask them to do. If you say, "God said, 'Let there be light!'" they should jump up and wave their hands over their heads. If you say, "God said, 'Let there be water!'" they should move their arms in a swimming motion. If you say, "God said, 'Let there be animals!'" they should make an animal noise or move like an animal. In order to do the action, the kids need to hear you say, "God said." If you don't say this first, the kids should remain still. Any kids who start doing the action anyway are out. Play until one child remains, and feel free to play a few rounds.

- What was easy about this game? What was hard?
- How is this game similar to listening for God?
- How does God talk to us today?

Our God simply spoke and things started happening. All of creation listened to what God had to say. We can continue listening for God's voice because we know we're a part of The Big God Story, which began with creation and continues today!

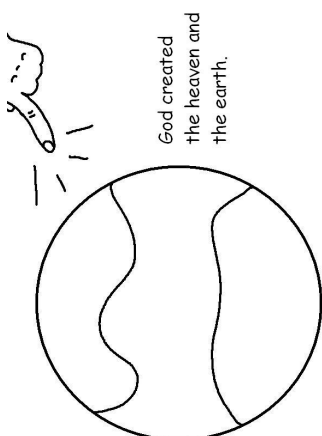
Activities:

What you need:

- Template
- Colouring in crayons or pencils
- Eraser

Further discussion: Knowing that God made us is one of the most important messages in the whole Bible. Sometimes we can get discouraged and frustrated. We can get down on ourselves when we feel like things aren't going well. We get sad when we feel like our best isn't good enough. We get frustrated when we can't do the things we want to do. When life gets you down, go back to Genesis 1. Remember that you were created by a creative God. Remember that he made this whole world for us. Remember that he made you in his image.

Pre-primary



Gr 1-2

Draw a line to help each character find the place God created for it to live.



Gr 3-4

Creation Activity Worksheet

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Across

- God created the man on this day (4)
- The earth was this before the creation (7)
- God created these on the 5th day (5)
- God created these on the 3rd day (5)
- The name of the Garden the man and woman lived in (4)
- God created this on the 1st day (5)

Down

- The name of the man that God created (4)
- God did this on the 7th day (6)
- The name of the woman that God created (3)
- God created the woman by taking this from the man (5)
- God created land creatures on this day (5)

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WOMAN

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Gr 5

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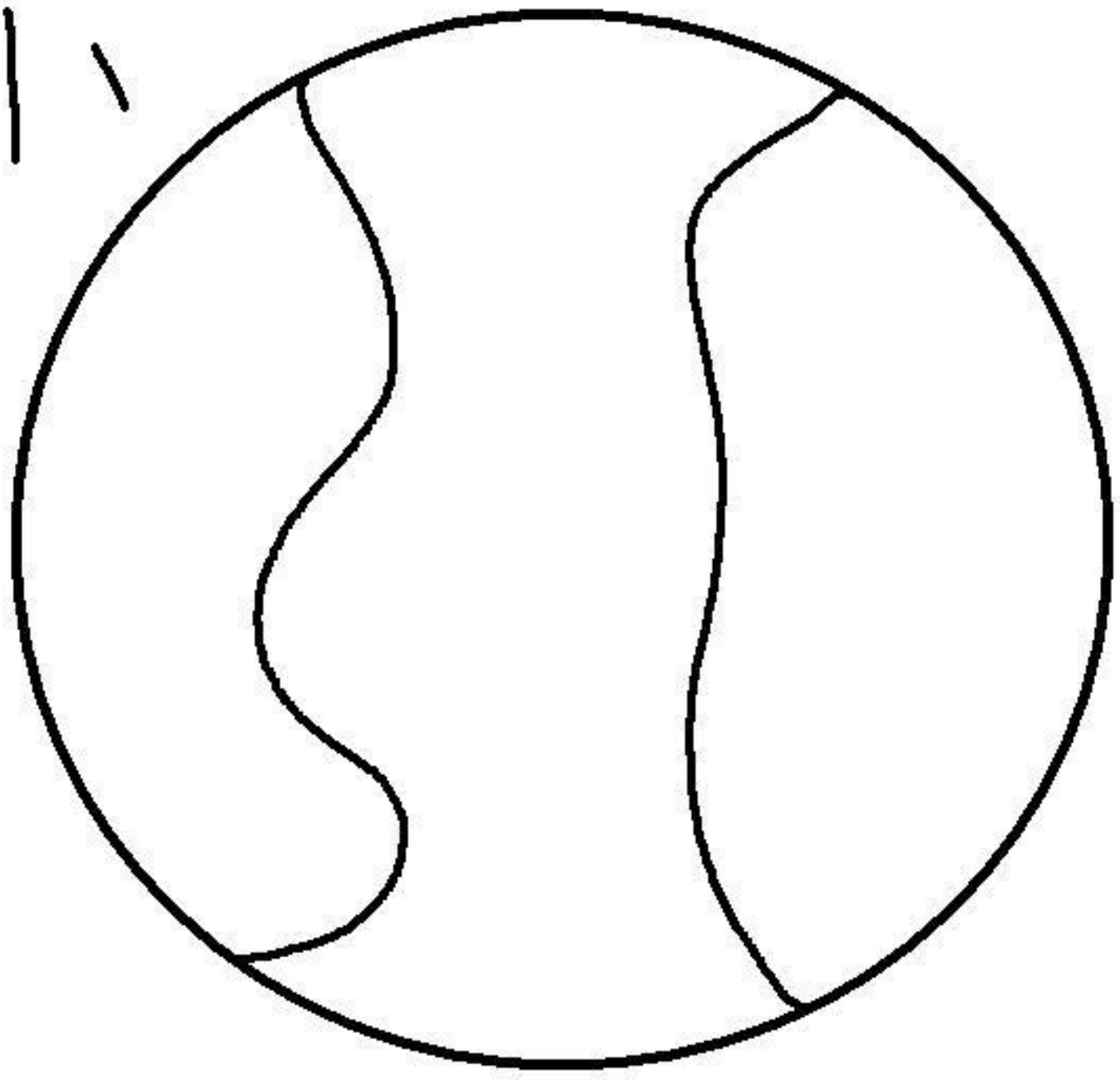
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- God told the creatures to be _____ and increase in number
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- _____ flying creatures created on day five
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- _____ God made the animals according to their _____
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- _____ first woman
- _____ created on day four to rule the night
- _____ created on day two
- _____ God rested on the _____ day
- _____ swimming creatures created on day five
- _____ land animals were created on this day

1. light	5. moon	9. Adam	13. fruit
2. day	6. breath	10. Eve	14. land
3. land	7. fish	11. sixths	
4. sun	8. plants	12. sixth	

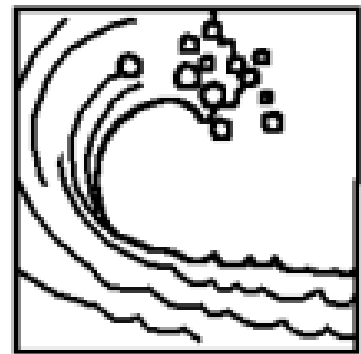
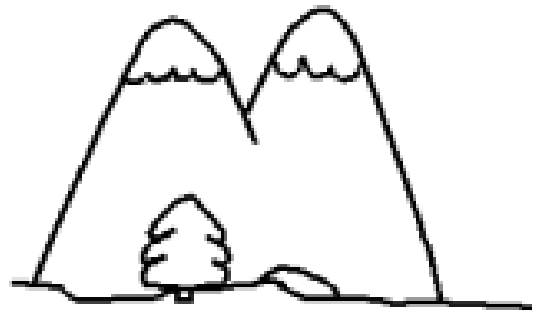
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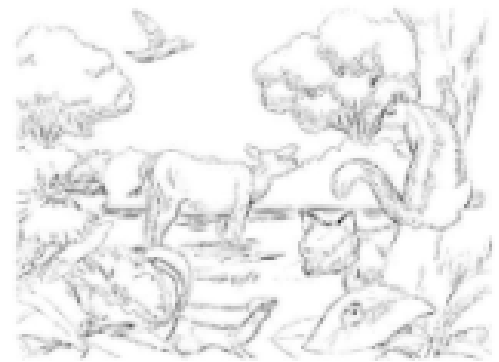


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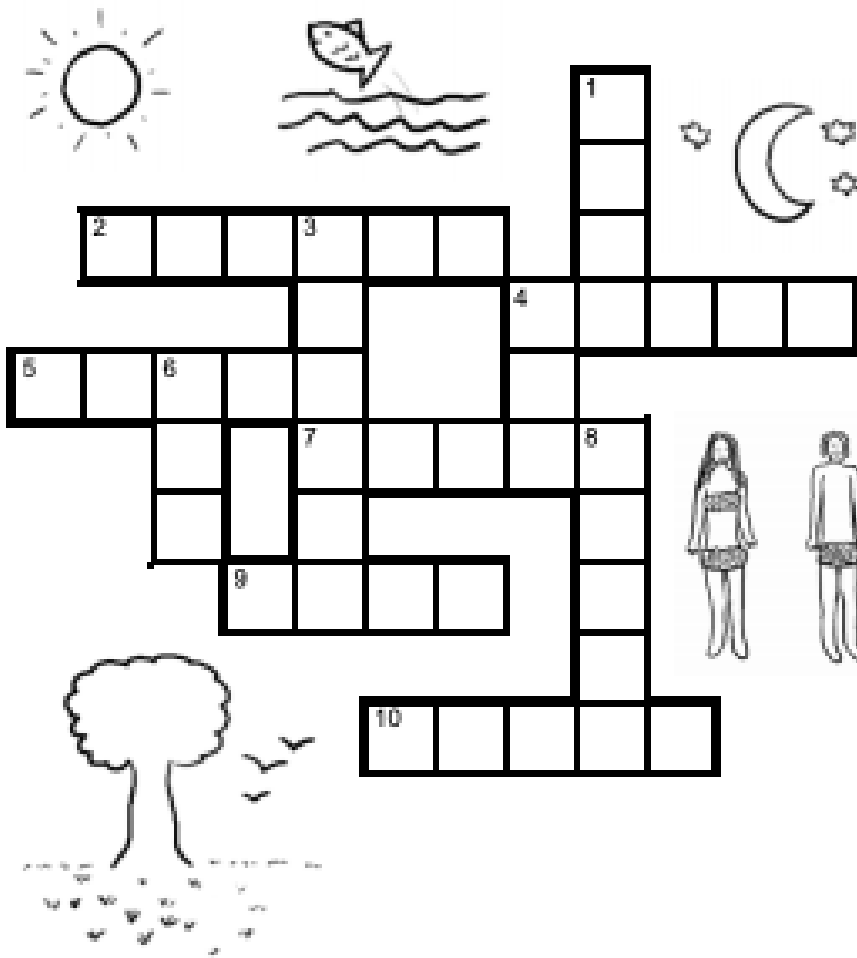
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