

Children's Meeting – PreK & K – Lesson 3

Title – God's Creation

Main Burden – God is the Creator. He created everything in six days, and He rested on the seventh day.

I Introduction

1. Welcome the children, check any new ones or visitors, and learn their names.
2. Make sure the children know the teachers' names.

II Notebook & Memory Verse

1. Ask the children who can say their memory verse from last week.
2. Allow those who know the verse to say it one by one.
3. Put sticker on their lesson next to the memory verse.

III Review

1. Review previous lessons
2. The Bible is the most wonderful book
3. The Bible is the Word of God
4. There is only one God
5. God is the Creator
6. We know these things because the Bible tells us so.

IV Lesson 3 – God's Creation

1. Now we are going to move on to a new topic -- God's creation.
2. We already know that God is the Creator – ask the children “How do we know that?” Let them answer, and then repeat their answers, “Yes, the Bible tells us so.”
3. We will be looking at God's creation during the next several months because God has created so many things and so many creatures, and they are all very amazing.
4. To create all these amazing things, God worked for 6 days.
5. Ask the children “Is 6 days a very long time?” “Yes, 6 days is a very, very long time.”
6. Before God created anything, He was alone, all by Himself.
7. “Do you like to be alone, all by yourself?” No! None of us like to be alone. We all want to have friends who we can play with. No, we do not like to be alone.
8. We knew there is only one God, but God did not want to stay by Himself.
9. God is full of love and joy.
10. God wanted people to be with Him.
11. God wanted to share His joy with His people.
12. Before He created people, He thought about all the things people will need, and what people will like.
13. That's why He planned everything very carefully, and spent 6 days to create all these amazing things.
14. He created
 - a) The heavens and the earth,
 - b) He separated light from darkness
 - c) He created the sun, the moon, and the stars

- d) He created beautiful flowers
 - e) He created the fish in the seas, and the birds in the air
 - f) He created all the animals
15. When everything is ready, then He created man on the 6th day.
16. God has created all these amazing, wonderful things. God rested on the 7th day.
17. God must be tired after working hard for 6 days.
18. But God is very happy; He is satisfied with all the things He has created.
19. Summarizing today's lesson, now repeat after me –
- a) God is the Creator.
 - b) God created all things.
 - c) God used 6 days to create everything.
 - d) God rested on the 7th day.

V Give each child his/her lesson sheet.

Read the lines on the lesson with the children, and have them repeat after you.
You may want to repeat each line at least twice.

VI Memory Verse: (Say it to the children and then have them repeat with you several times)

“... God, who created all things.” Eph 3:9

VII Song (These are suggested songs, you may sing other songs that the children like.)

(Hymnal.net – Children Songs – God made the mountains)

God made the mountains.
God made the rolling hills.
God made the flowers.
God made the daffodils.
God made every tree.
God made you and me.
Hallelujah, Hallelujah,
Hallelujah, Hallelujah!

VIII Coloring Page – Show the children the coloring page on the 6 days of creation.

Read the words to the children – Day 1 God made light ... Day 6 God made animals and people. And Day 7 God rested.

IX Craft

Today we are going to make a picture of the earth with a coffee filter. ...

X Preparation –

Read and pray over John 1:3 “All things came into being through Him, and apart from Him not one thing came into being which has come into being.”

Make copies of the lesson, and the coloring page for the children.

You will need -- Construction paper –one piece per child.

Coffee filter – one per child. (Bring a few extra)

You will also need blue & green markers, glue stick, paint, an old toothbrush, and some newspaper.

You might want to bring a hair dryer to speed up drying the craft.

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Bible Verse:

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Day 1 - God made light!



Day 2 - God made the sky!



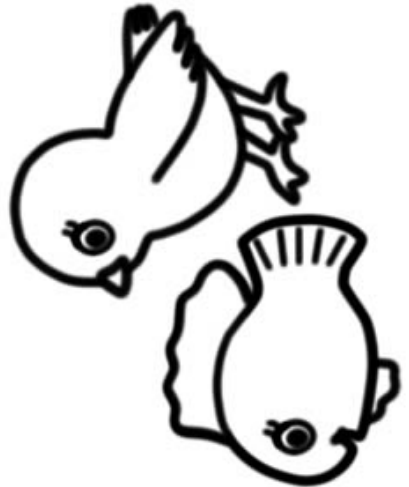
Day 3 - God made land and sea, plants and trees!



Day 4 - God made the sun, moon and stars!



Day 5 - God made the birds and fish!



Day 6 - God made animals and people!



Craft: Instead of saying He's got the whole world in His hand, write "God created everything."



Start by having your kids color 1 coffee filter each randomly with blue and green markers. Keep reminding them to "color where it's white". Otherwise they'll just keep coloring in one spot until they make a hole in the coffee filter.

This is the one I colored:



When you're finished coloring, lay them out on some newspaper and sprinkle them with some water. Less is more here- you just want enough water to make the colors spread. If you really drench it all the marker will wash off and leave it white. My kids and I flicked the water on with a toothbrush. When it dries, it will have a great marbled look to it. If you're impatient, you can speed the process with a hair dryer.

Use a glue stick to attach to construction paper, and stamp their hands on it with some paint.

