

Teacher Preparation

Readings: Psalms 90:2; Genesis 1:1

Lesson Objective: The student will learn God has always been. He has no beginning or end.

Materials: Rope or Measuring Tape, Paper, Crayons, Colored Pencils

Memory Verse: Revelation 22:13 "I am the Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the end, the first and the last."

Lesson Summary

Have you ever really thought about the fact that God has always been? He wasn't created like the earth or all the animals. He has always been. The Bible tells us in Psalms 90:2, "Before the mountains were brought forth or even the very earth formed, even from everlasting to everlasting thou art God." He is the Alpha and Omega! The beginning and the end! The Bible also says in Genesis 1:1, "In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth." God has always been and was before everything we know as our world. He is a great big God who was there in the beginning of time (that we measure) to be the Creator of the Universe. Isn't it amazing to think that the night sky we look up at to view the beautiful stars and moon, was created in the beginning by God? Yet the God and Creator of all things, cares enough to know how many hairs you have on your head. He wants to have a personal relationship with you. That is a loving God who deserves our adoration and praise! You are one of God's special creations! Let us give praise to the One who has always been and always will be!

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Ideas to Illuminate:

1. Take a rope or measuring tape and let the students see that there is a beginning and an end to those objects. Then discuss how God does not have a beginning or an end. Have students try to brainstorm things that do not have a beginning or an end.
2. Have students draw a picture of the earth or a night sky (or one of God's amazing creations), and then print the memory verse on the same page.

Questions for Class Discussion:

1. When did God begin?
2. What does it mean when we say God is the Alpha and Omega?
3. How does it make you feel when you think about the fact that God has always been?

Teacher Preparation

Readings: Genesis 1:1; Revelation 19:6; Psalms 139

Lesson Objective: The student will learn God is All Powerful, All Knowing, and Everywhere

Materials: Paper, Markers, Scissors, Craft Sticks and Glue

Memory Verse: Psalm 48:1a "Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised in the city of our God"

Lesson Summary

Can you believe God is so powerful that He created the whole Universe? Can you believe this powerful God also know everything about everything? Can you believe this powerful God who knows everything is big enough to be everywhere at the same time? Well, believe it! The Bible tells us that God spoke the Universe into existence. That's awesome power! The Bible also tells us that God knows what we say before we speak it and what we think before we think it! Wow! That's awesome knowledge! We also know from the Bible that you can't get away from God's Spirit. If you dug a deep hole in the ground, or flew to the moon, God would be right there with you. Whoa, right?! Since God is all powerful, all knowing, and big enough to be everywhere, we can't overpower Him, outsmart Him, or hide from Him. What we can do is worship Him. That is actually why God created us! He wants us to love and worship Him as our God. He is great and greatly to be praised! Will You worship Him today?

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Ideas to Illuminate:

1. Have the students partner up and see if they can count how many hairs are on each other's heads. Set a time limit for competition. Discuss how God knows that number!!
2. Have students trace their hands with thumbs touching (so they can be cut out to look like praise hands). Have students write the memory verse on the hands and then tape them onto a craft stick.

Questions for Class Discussion:

1. How much power does God have?
2. Where all can God be at the same time?
3. Can you hide from God? Why or why not?

Teacher Preparation

Readings: Genesis 1:1-19

Lesson Objective: The student will learn God is the Creator of the Universe

Materials: Construction Paper, Crayons or Markers

Memory Verse: Genesis 1:1 "In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth."

Lesson Summary

How fast does it feel like it takes for four days to go by? Your days probably consist of getting yourself ready every day, attending school, eating, maybe playing sports, going to church, or some other activity. Before you know it, four days have gone by. In the first chapter of Genesis in verses 1-19, the Bible tells us what God did in just four days. (Read Genesis 1:1-19) In just four days, God created the entire universe including the earth, stars, oceans, and trees! Isn't that amazing? To us four days seem to pass so quickly. It passes so quickly, we feel like we can only do what we must do. We feel rushed to even be able to do things like go to school every day. But God, being so awesome and almighty, can make so much happen in what seems a short amount of time. We should want to worship the One who created the Universe because He wants to be our friend. Isn't it great to think we can have a personal relationship with the Creator of the Universe?! Let's give thanks to the Creator of all things!

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Ideas to Illuminate:

1. Divide a piece of construction paper evenly into four rectangles. Have students draw a picture of what was created each day 1-4. Label the days 1-4.

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Questions for Class Discussion:

1. What did God create in just four days?
2. How does it make you feel when you think about all God created in four days?

Teacher Preparation

Readings: Genesis 1:20-25

Lesson Objective: The student will learn God created the animals.

Materials: Construction Paper, String, Scissors, Crayons or Colored Pencils

Memory Verse: Revelation 4:11 "Thou art worthy, O Lord, to receive glory and honor and power: for thou hast created all things, and for thy pleasure they are and were created."

Lesson Summary

Do you have a pet at your house or do you have a favorite animal? (Allow time for students to discuss and get excited about animals.) Why do you like animals? Do you think they are cute? Are they fun to play with? Where did animals come from? God created them. God created all the animals that live in the water, the sky, and land. On the fifth day of creation God said, "Let the waters bring forth abundantly the moving creature that has life and fowl that may fly above the earth in the open firmament of heaven." What kind of animals do you like that live in the water? What animals do you know that live in the sky? On the sixth day of creation God said, "Let the earth bring forth the living creature after his kind, cattle, and creeping thing, and beast of the earth after his kind: and it was so." What are your favorite animals that live on the land? How boring would the earth be without all the animals that God created! It is amazing that God created so many animals in just two days! He is the Creator of all things great and small! He created you, and he also created the animals!

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Ideas to Illuminate:

Have students draw and color a face of their favorite animal. Then have them cut the face out and make holes for eyes. Help them poke holes on the two sides, and tie string from one hole to the other. Have them try on their animal masks!

Questions for Class Discussion:

1. What type of animals did God create on the fifth day?
2. What was created on the sixth day?