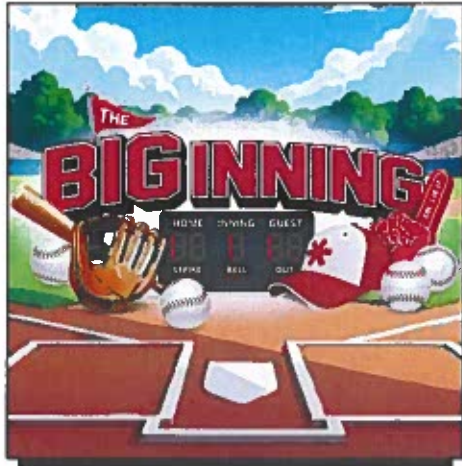




WONDERFULLY MADE

BIBLE PASSAGE: Genesis 1:26–31; 2:4–25

FOCUS VERSES: Genesis 1:27; Psalm 139:14; Isaiah 43:7

Summary: God created Adam in His own image, and Adam lived in the perfect garden of Eden. God told Adam not to eat from the tree of knowledge of good and evil. God declared it was not good for Adam to be alone. Adam named every creature, but none were good helpers for Him. God created Eve from Adam's rib. They lived in a perfect relationship with God in the beautiful garden He created.



MONTHLY *Memory Verse*

*By Him all things were created, in heaven
and on earth...all things were created
through Him and for Him.*

(COLOSSIANS 1:16)



**God created people
in His image.**

We will go deeper in God's truth by answering these questions:



HOW DOES GOD FEEL ABOUT PEOPLE?

God uniquely made people in His image. God loves His people and has always wanted a relationship with them.



WHY DID GOD MAKE PEOPLE?

God created people to know Him, to worship Him and to be loved by Him.



HOW IS GOD INVITING ME TO RESPOND?

Kids will be given the opportunity to reflect on the truth they learned about God and respond accordingly.

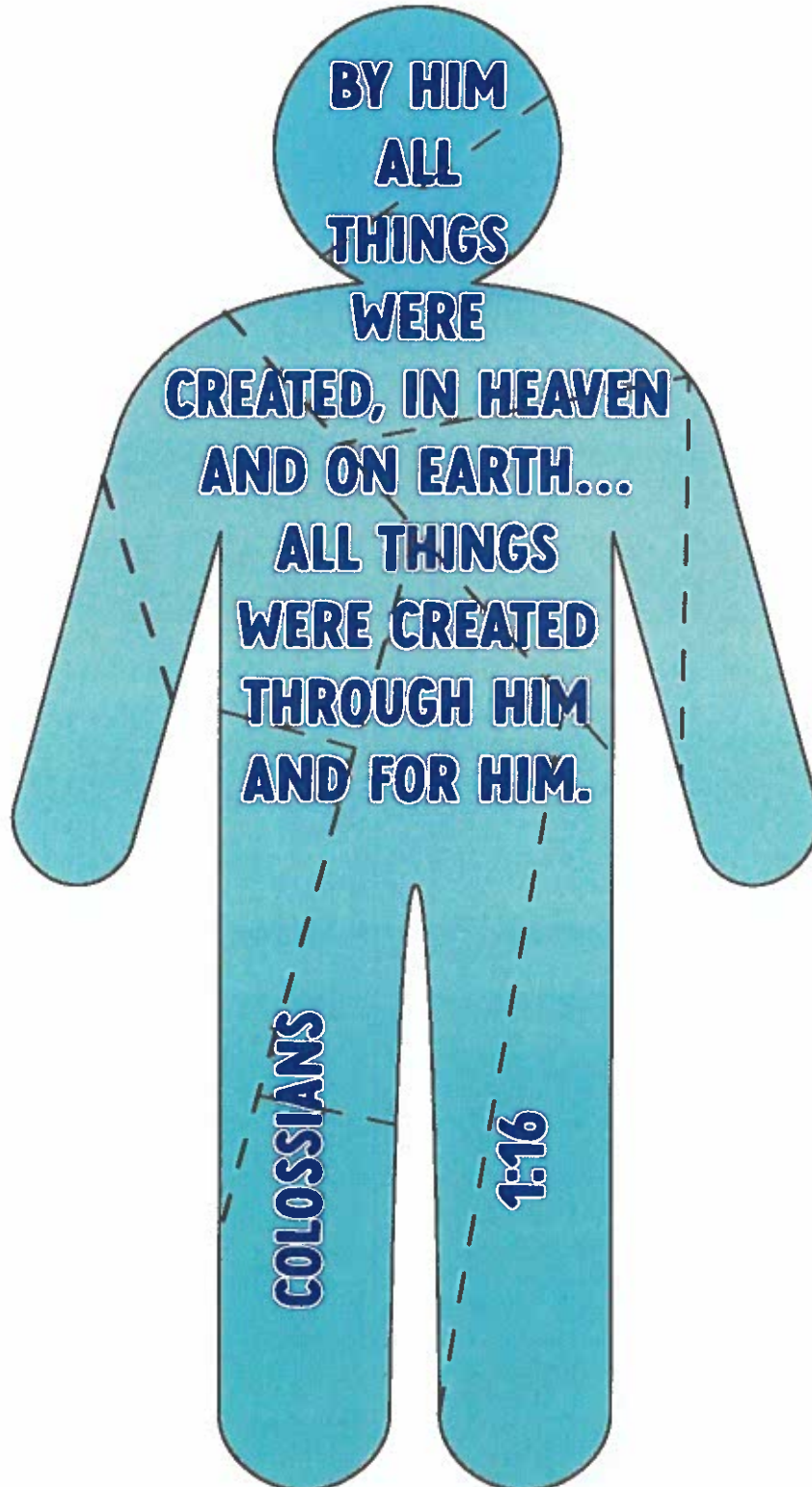


PEOPLE PUZZLES

YOUNGER ELEMENTARY SMALL GROUP
WONDERFULLY MADE

PAGE 1 OF 1

PREP: Print the printable page on cardstock and cut out (1 per 4 kids).





BODY PRAYER

YOUNGER ELEMENTARY SMALL GROUP
WONDERFULLY MADE

PAGE 1 OF 1

PREP: Print the printable page.

Heart



Say: Place your hands over your heart. God loves you so much! He created you to have a friendship with you and to love you! Put your hands on your heart and pray and thank God for His love for you!

Head



Say: Hold your hands on your head. God knows everything about you!

Listen to Psalm 139:1-4



O Lord, You have searched me and known me!
You know when I sit down and when I rise up;
You discern my thoughts from afar.
You search out my path and my lying down
and are acquainted with all my ways.
Even before a word is on my tongue,
behold, O Lord, You know it altogether.

Say: The Bible even says the hairs on your head are numbered.



God created us to know God! Put your hands on your hair and pray and thank Him for knowing all about you! Talk to Him about how you want to get to know Him better.

Mouth



Say: Point to your mouth. God created us to worship God. Let's put our hands on the side of our mouths and shout, "God, You are awesome!"



TAKE-HOME

WONDERFULLY MADE

(GENESIS 1:26-31; 2:4-25) God made Adam and Eve in His image and placed them in the Garden of Eden. God told Adam not to eat from the tree of knowledge. They lived in perfect relationship with God.

POINT TO JESUS: God created us to live in a close relationship with Him, but our sin separates us from Him. Because we are all made in His image, Jesus' forgiveness is available to all people who trust in Him.

BRITE Idea

God created people in His image.



MONTHLY MEMORY VERSE

*By Him all things were created, in heaven and on earth...
all things were created through Him and for Him.*
(COLOSSIANS 1:16)

FAMILIES, ASK THESE THREE QUESTIONS!

- ?** **WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE THING ABOUT YOUR CHURCH LEADER?**
- HE** **HOW DOES GOD FEEL ABOUT PEOPLE??**
God uniquely made people in His image. God loves His people and has always wanted a relationship with them.
- WE** **WHY DID GOD MAKE PEOPLE??**
God created people to know Him, to worship Him and to be loved by Him

HOW IS GOD INVITING **ME** TO RESPOND?

CHOOSE ONE:

- ☐ I can talk to God about ...
- ☐ I can remember ...
- ☐ I wonder ...
- ☐ I can ...



DRAW OR WRITE YOUR RESPONSE

YOUR FAMILY'S WIN THIS WEEK ...

Read Genesis 1:27 together as a family and discuss why all people are special and valuable to God.

NAVIGATING A BROKEN WORLD

Gender can be a tough topic for kids. We can help kids view this topic through the lens of Scripture. Learn more about this and how to have a conversation at home here. Britecurriculum.com/tough-topics

**WANT MORE
AT-HOME
DISCIPLESHIP
DISCUSSION?
SCAN ME!**





TAKE-HOME ACTIVITIES

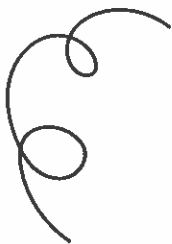
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ILLUSTRATION TO COLOR



FINISH THE PICTURE

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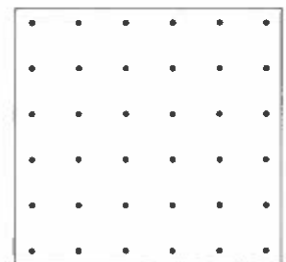
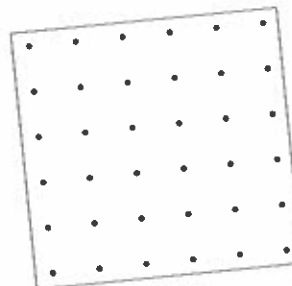
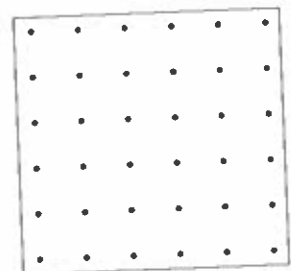
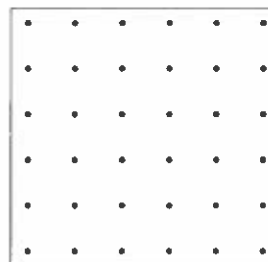
DOTS & BOXES

Find a partner.

Take turns connecting two dots, either side-to-side or up-and-down.

When someone makes a box, write their initial.

The player with the most boxes at the end wins!



GOING DEEPER

Read God's Word this week!

Read each passage with a grown-up and answer the three questions together.

☐ DAY 1

Read: Genesis 2:7-9

HE: What do these verses tell us about God?

WE: What do these verses tell us about people?

ME: How is God inviting me to respond?

?

☐ DAY 2

Read: Genesis 2:21-24

HE: What do these verses tell us about God?

WE: What do these verses tell us about people?

ME: How is God inviting me to respond?

?

☐ DAY 3

Read: Psalm 100

HE: What do these verses tell us about God?

WE: What do these verses tell us about people?

ME: How is God inviting me to respond?

?

☐ DAY 4

Read: Romans 8:38-39

HE: What do these verses tell us about God?

WE: What do these verses tell us about people?

ME: How is God inviting me to respond?

?



MONTHLY MEMORY VERSE

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(Colossians 1:16)



DEVOTIONAL

I remember building sandcastles on the beach as a child. I was very protective of them and would do everything I could to keep them from being destroyed by other kids or even by the waves. Because the sandcastles were made by me, they belonged to me in a special way.

As a parent, you understand this instinct. When you've poured time, energy, and love into your children, you feel a deep sense of care and responsibility for them.

Because God created everything, it all belongs to him. He provides and protects because it is all His. Someone once said, "There is not a square inch in the whole domain of our human existence over which Christ, who is Sovereign over all, does not cry, 'Mine!'" Because that is true, we can trust Him with everything—including our children.

-Sam Luce childdiscipleship.com

CREATION *(Genesis 1)*

Week 1



The world was empty and formless. Then God spoke and created everything. He called all creation good and still rules over it today.

Brite Idea: God is the Creator of everything.

WONDERFULLY MADE *(Genesis 1:26-31; 2:4-25)*

Week 2



God made Adam and Eve in His image and placed them in the Garden of Eden. God told Adam not to eat from the tree of knowledge. They lived in a perfect relationship with God.

Brite Idea: God created people in His image.

THE FALL *(Genesis 3)*

Week 3



A serpent tempted Eve. She and Adam disobeyed God and ate fruit from the tree. The perfect world was broken by their sin. God promised a Savior who would defeat sin forever.

Brite Idea: God is holy, but people sin.

TOWER OF BABEL *(Genesis 11:1-9)*

Week 4



God instructed the people to fill the Earth, but instead, they gathered in one spot and built a tower to make a name for themselves. God protected them by confusing their language and scattering them across the Earth.

Brite Idea: No one is greater than God.

ABRAM AND LOT *(Genesis 12-15)*

Week 5



God made a covenant with Abram, telling him to go to a new land. Abram let Lot choose land first. Lot chose the best but later needed rescuing. God reminded Abram of His promise and faithfulness.

Brite Idea: God is in control.

FAMILY CALENDAR



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY & SATURDAY
REMEMBER & RESPOND	WONDER & DISCUSS	EXPLORE	REVIEW	PUT INTO PRACTICE	PREPARE AHEAD
WEEK 1 God is the Creator of everything. What does this mean for me?	READ TOGETHER: Jeremiah 32:17 What is too difficult for our great and powerful God?	Take turns drawing a picture, with each family adding to it. While you draw, talk about God's creativity.	COLOSSIANS 1:16 God made everything we can see. Did He make everything we can't see?	Take a walk together and talk about the beauty of God's creation. Pray a prayer of thanks as you go.	Write Psalm 139:14 on a mirror with an erasable marker. READ TOGETHER: Genesis 1:26-31 DISCUSS: What does this teach us about God?
WEEK 2 God created people in His image. What does this mean for me?	READ TOGETHER: Genesis 1:27 Why are all people special and valuable to God?	Play mirror images! Family members must face each other and try to mirror each other's movements.	COLOSSIANS 1:16 Does God have anything to do with who becomes rulers and authorities?	Donate items together as a family. Pray for those who receive the items.	Play "Hot or Cold" with a toy. Discuss why Adam and Eve hid from God. READ TOGETHER: Genesis 3:1-8 DISCUSS: What does this teach us about God?
WEEK 3 God is holy, but people sin. What does this mean for me?	READ TOGETHER: Romans 3:23 Who has fallen short of the glory of God?	Draw a target. Blindfold your child and give them a marker. See if they can hit the target.	COLOSSIANS 1:16 If we are made for God, what should our attitude be about sin?	Each family member think about one person who needs their forgiveness. Pray you can forgive like Jesus.	Play an active game. Remind each other that you're strong, but God is stronger. READ TOGETHER: Genesis 11:1-9 DISCUSS: What does this teach us about God?
WEEK 4 No one is greater than God. What does this mean for me?	READ TOGETHER: Psalm 86:9-10 What are some "wondrous things" God has done?	Build the biggest tower you can using anything available in your home.	COLOSSIANS 1:16 What does the fact that God created all things tell us about His greatness?	Choose 3 great friends of your family. Write a note to each about why you think they're great.	Count the stars. Let it be a reminder that God keeps His promises. READ TOGETHER: Genesis 15:1-6 DISCUSS: What does this teach us about God?
WEEK 5 God is in control. What does this mean for me?	READ TOGETHER: Colossians 1:17 How should we live knowing God "holds all things together?"	Pretend to use a remote control on a family member. Tell that person to "Pause!" "Rewind!" or "Fast forward!"	COLOSSIANS 1:16 If God is over everything visible and invisible, what do we have to worry about?	List everything you don't know about the future. Tell God that you trust Him with everything listed.	Write, "God never changes," on a rock and display it in a visible place. READ TOGETHER: Genesis 28:10-17 DISCUSS: What does this teach us about God?