



Tree House Creator Parent Guide

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

Week 1

Your child learned that God is our wonderful creator. God created day and night on Day 1. On Day 2, He created the sky to separate the waters. Everything God made was good.

Read: Genesis 1-1:8

- Point out how God made the whole earth and everything in it.
- Point out God's creation as you go throughout your day.

Activity: Lay outside with your child and look at the great big sky God has created. See how many different shapes you can find in the clouds.

Week 2

On Day 3 God created the land and formed the seas. God also created all of the plants and the trees. On Day 4 God created the sun to rule the day and the moon and the stars to rule the night.

Read: Genesis 1:9-1:9

- Talk with your child about how powerful God must be to create land and sea.
- Point out how every day the sun rises and sets and this is all part of creation.

Activity: Go on a creation walk and collect things as you go. Place your findings in a mason jar. Throughout the week talk with your child about how God created each of the items you found with something special in mind. Help your child think of ways the items could be used and why God may have created them.

Week 3

Your child learned on Day 5 of creation God created the fish of the seas and the birds of the air. On Day 6, God created all the animals that roam the earth.

Read: Genesis 1:20-1:25

- Ask your child what type of animal they would create if they could create one.
- Ask your child what it means that God spoke everything into existence.

Activity: Make a bird feeder with your child out of a pinecone rolled in peanut butter and birdseed (or buy one) and hang it outside where you can see it during the day. Watch how many different types of birds come to eat. God made each and every one.

Week 4

On Day 6 God also created man. God formed man out of the dust of the ground and then breathed life into him. God created Adam and Eve in His image. As God rested on Day 7, He blessed it and made it holy.

Read: Genesis 1:26-2:4

- What might it have been like for God to breathe life into man?
- Remind your child that God created rest and name different ways that we might rest.

Activity: Sit down with your child and go through your family photo album. Say this is our family and God made each of us. He loves us and our family is part of God's special plan.