



# Creativity is using your imagination to do something new.

Read: Genesis 1:1



DAY

1

## CREATE-ion

Grab some paper and something to draw with. Fold your paper into 8 sections numbering the sections 1-7 leaving one blank. In each of the sections draw a picture of what God created or did that day. In the last section, write this week's bottom line, "God created me so that I can be creative!"

**THANK God for all you see in creation!**



DAY

3

## In The Beginning

Look up this week's verse, Genesis 1:1. Create motions to the verse this week.

**LOOK and listen to the sights and sounds God created for us to enjoy!**



DAY

2

## Move Creatively

Play some of your favorite tunes (maybe your favorite worship songs) and do some dancing! Create fun moves to the songs! Use your body to worship God!

**ASK God to help you find out how you can be creative!**



DAY

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## From Beginning to End

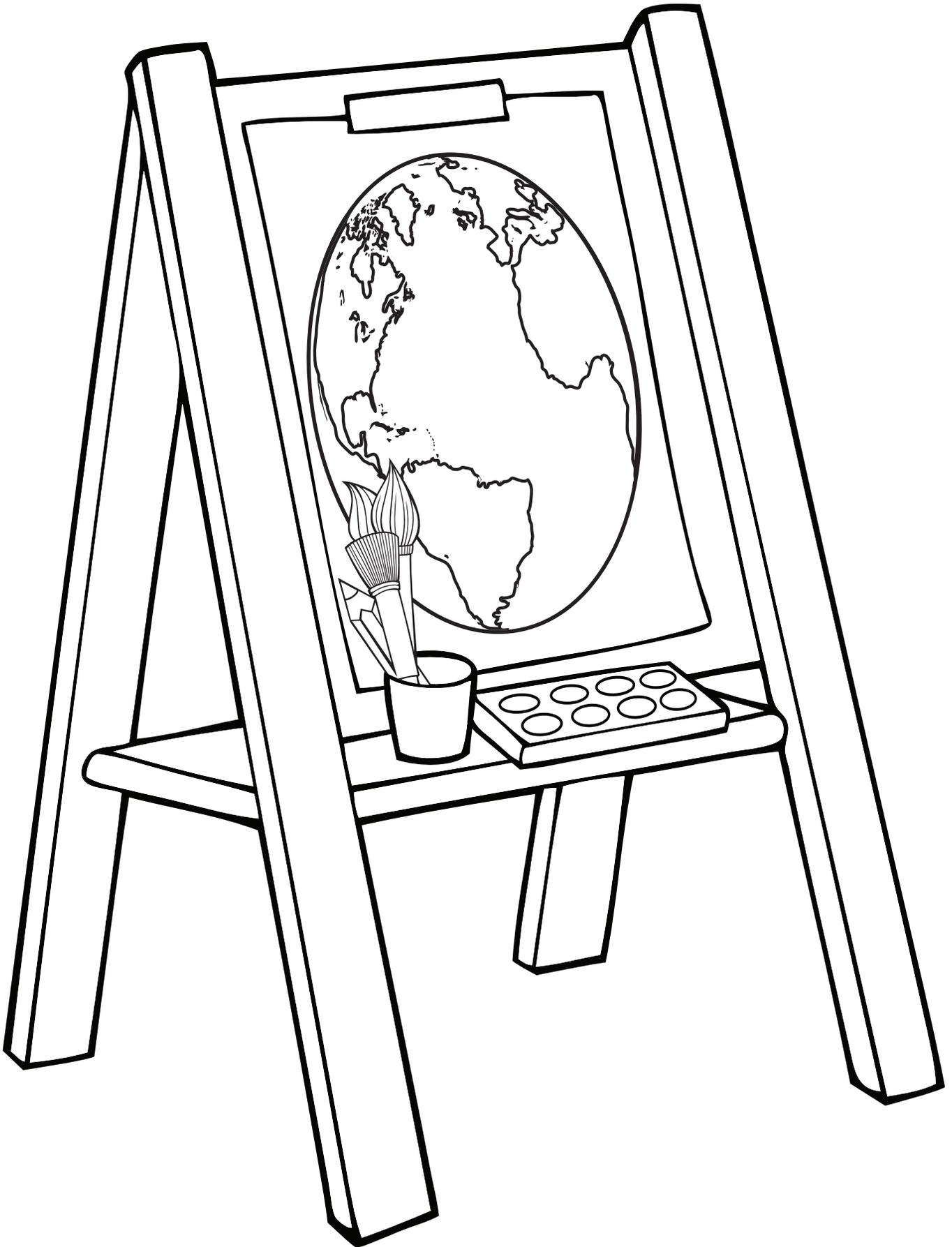
God is the beginning and end to all things. Take some time to talk to God today. Thank God for everything you see in creation!

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 "God, Thank you for all you have created! I am so amazed that you created this whole world and you created me too! Thank you for creating \_\_\_\_\_.  
 I love you, God. In Jesus' name, Amen."  
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**KNOW that God creates the most amazing things (like you)!**



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you can be creative.



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## DAY 1

### Read Genesis 1:1

#### Things God Made

Grab a piece of paper and a pencil and have an adult set a timer for 2 minutes. As the timer runs down, make a list of things that God made.

Write the total number of items you listed here .....

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All month long, we're talking about creativity, which is using your imagination to do something new. God made you to be creative! And God wants you to use all that creativity to do what only you can do to make a difference in the world around you!

Circle five of your favorite things on the list you created. Spend some time thanking God for those five things!

## DAY 2

### Read Jeremiah 10:12

Have you ever caught a lizard or firefly in a jar so you can take a closer look? Or maybe you've tried this with a leaf or blade of grass? There's a lot you can learn by studying that lizard or looking at the leaf under a microscope. But even super smart entomologists (a person that studies insects) and botanists (a person that studies plants), can't create a lizard or leaf from nothing. Only God can do that. God created all the insects, plants, and everything else that fills our planet.

The amount of creativity and skill it took to create the world around us is too much for us to imagine. But that same God who made it all made you to be creative too.

#### Leaf Rubbings

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Collect several leaves from your yard or local park. Grab a sheet of paper and a crayon. Lay the leaf on a flat surface and place the paper on top. Peel some of the paper off of the crayon, lay it on its side and rub it over the page to create a leaf rubbing. At the bottom of the page, write out today's verse.

DAY 3

**Read Psalm 104:24**

Have you ever taken a look around you at all the incredible things God has made? God is in control of everything and deserves all of our honor and praise. Complete the word search below by finding a few words from today's verse. Then stop and be thankful for the wonderful things God's made, including you! Thank God for the ways that you're creative! Ask God to help you use your creativity to do something new!

**Word Search**

Lord all made earth  
things full wise creatures

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J
K	L	M	N	C	O	P	Q	R	F
S	L	L	O	R	D	T	U	U	V
W	X	Y	Z	E	A	B	L	C	D
E	F	G	A	A	L	L	H	I	J
K	L	R	M	T	N	O	M	P	Q
R	T	S	T	U	U	A	V	W	X
H	Y	Z	A	R	D	B	C	D	E
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DAY 4

**Read Romans 1:20**

The beauty we see all around us is the result of an infinitely creative God. This is the same God who made you and knows you. God made you to be creative!

**Nature Walk**

Take a walk outside today and pick up a few things from creation. You might find a pinecone or a smooth stone or even a dandelion. Place that item somewhere that you can see it each day to remind you of the beauty of God's creation. And as you look in the mirror this week, thank God for creating you to be creative too!

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so you can be creative.



Spend some time thinking about the question below and journal your thoughts or share them with a parent.



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Day 1

After watching, write one thing that:

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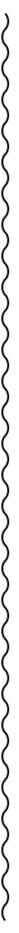
2. You learned:

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3. You'd like to know:

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Watch this week's episode of The So & So Show by going to: <https://bit.ly/PreteensSundaysatHome> Even if you already saw it at church, feel free to check it out again!



## Day 2

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### Read Genesis 1-2:3

Grab a sheet of paper and fold it in half lengthwise, then in half two times crosswise. Open the paper up and in the first section, write “The Creation Story.” Then, write Day 1 on the top of the next square and so on until you’ve labeled the remaining boxes through Day 7.

As you read Genesis 1-2:3, draw what you’re reading in each of the sections. They can be super simple drawings, more detailed, or even just colors in the block that make you think of that aspect of creation.

Hang your artwork somewhere you will see it the rest of the week.



## Day 4

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### How are you creative?

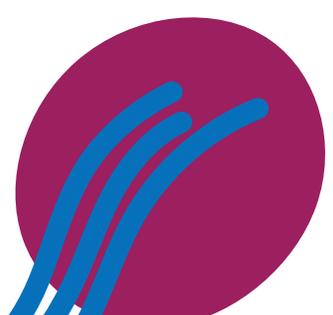
There are so many different ways to be creative, and sometimes we don’t even realize what we’re doing is creative and God-given!

Take a poll! Ask friends and family to brainstorm ways people can be creative.

Start out your list with the following obvious choices:

- Painter
- Writer
- Musician
- Actor
- Dancer

Each person should give you a new idea. If they mention something you already have on your list, ask them to try again. See how many creative ways you can come up with to be... creative. Hold on to your list for tomorrow.



## Day 3

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### Look back at your artwork from yesterday—specifically at day 6, the day God created humans.

When God created humans, it was the beginning of something amazing—something that eventually led to you! And because God created you, you can be creative!

Read this prayer out loud, thanking God for creating you to be creative.



**Dear God,** thank You for making me—and for making me in Your image. I know that means that I am creative because You are creative! Please show me all the unique ways You made me to be creative and help me to use that creativity to show the world who You are. In Jesus’ Name, I pray. **Amen.**

## Day 5

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### God created you so you can be creative.

Take a look at the list of ways to be creative that you compiled yesterday. Go through and circle any that you know you’re good at—ways that God has made you creative.

Now go back and underline any ways to be creative that you’ve never tried—or things you have always wondered what it would be like to try.

Lastly, put a star by one of the things you underlined that you would like to try. Talk to a parent and figure out how you can try it soon!