Upper Elementary Apply-It Options



Supplies

- paper
- crayons
- markers

I Wonder...

Today we discovered in the Bible what God created each day, from light and seas to stars and trees!

② Sometimes I wonder...why did God make everything in that order? Did he just make whatever he wanted as he thought of it? Or was there a reason? Let's find out with a guided drawing activity.

Have everyone divide a sheet of paper into three columns and use markers to draw the following:

- In the first column, draw the sun, moon, and stars.
- In the second, draw birds on the top and fish on the bottom of the column.
- In the third, draw animals and people.

You drew things God made. But oh no! The sun, moon, and stars need a sky! And the fish need some water. And what will animals eat to stay alive? Now let's add the things God made during the first three days of creation to our drawings. We'll use crayons so we can still see our other drawings.

- In the first column, draw light and dark.
- In the second, draw the sky and sea.
- In the third, draw land.
- **②** What surprised you about the order God made everything in?

The first things God created gave a space and place for the next things. God knew exactly what to make in the right order. How cool and creative that God knew exactly what he was doing and sprinkled our lives with such detailed and beautiful creations!

What's your favorite beautiful thing God created?

God created the world so beautifully for us! He could've left it boring, but he added in amazing creations because God always loves us! (Wow, God!)



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 any craft supplies (chenille wires, craft sticks, construction paper, tape, and so on)

Make It Real

Today we're discovering that God always loves us...and gives us all we need to live. (Wow, God!)

What important things has God has given you—things you need to live every day?

God provides all we need. He created the world for us, and he created people who invent things we need now, too, like electricity, plumbing, and Wi-Fi!

Day after day, God is working to make this world a better place, and God works through us to do it! Let's make that truth a little more real.

Set out the craft supplies, and challenge everyone to make any invention they want that could make the world a better place. Encourage them to brainstorm and dream big to build anything they want. At the end, have everyone show off their new inventions.

🔞 What did you invent? How could your invention make the world a better place to live?

God created the world with everything we need to live and with people who invented amazing things we need, just like you did! God created you, and he made you to be creative too.

We can use all that God has given us to share his love with the world. God always loves us...and gives us all we need to live. (Wow, God!)



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