



Optional Craft Template and Sample: Ages 2-3/4-5  
God of Wonders Part 2: Genesis through Joshua  
Unit 5, Lesson 24

# Creating the World: Days 5 & 6

Lesson Aim: To know how God created  
the living creatures.

## THE WORSHIP

Who God is: The God Who Creates

## THE WORD

Bible Story: Genesis 1:20-31

What He has done: God made the birds, sea creatures, animals, creeping things, and people.

## AGES 2-5 CRAFT: CREATE A CREATURE

**Purpose:** Children create an original animal, bird, or fish and give it a name.

**Supplies:** Clay or play-dough, assorted decorations (small feathers, sequins, buttons, tooth picks, pompom balls, yarn, small shells, dry uncooked macaroni noodles, google eyes, pipe cleaners, etc.), glue

**Adaptation for Ages 2-3:** When considering craft decorations for younger children, it is best to avoid anything that could be a choking hazard. Some craft decorations that work well for this age are stickers, stampers, sturdy paper, tissue paper, wrapping paper, ribbon, yarn, pom-poms, cotton balls, felt, foam shapes, small feathers, non-toxic glitter paint, or watercolor paints.

### Directions:

1. **Take your play-dough and mold it into one of God's creatures—a bird, fish, animal, or creeping thing.** It can be a real animal or an original one.
2. **Add decorations to make legs, eyes, mouth, fins, wings, etc.**

### Craft Discussion:

- **Describe how and why you made your creature the way you did.**
- **What did God see about His work after He made it?** (He saw that it was good.)
- **Everything God made was good. God sees your artwork now. He sees that it is good! How does that make you feel?** (Children respond.)

## Uncooked Playdough Recipe

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### Materials

- Bowl
- 1 cup cold water
- 1 cup salt
- 2 teaspoons vegetable oil
- Tempera paint or food coloring
- 3 cups flour
- 2 tablespoons cornstarch

### Directions

1. In a bowl, mix water, salt, oil, and enough tempera paint or food coloring to make a bright color.
2. Gradually add flour and cornstarch until the mixture is the consistency of bread dough.
3. Store in an airtight container or a freezer bag.

