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#### On the first day...

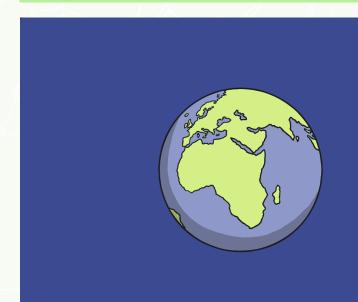


God separated light from darkness. He called the light "day" and the darkness "night".





On the second day...

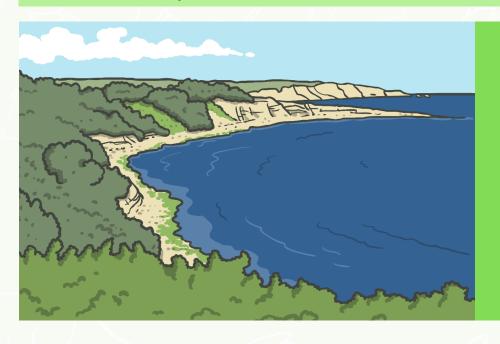


God made the earth and sky.





#### On the third day...

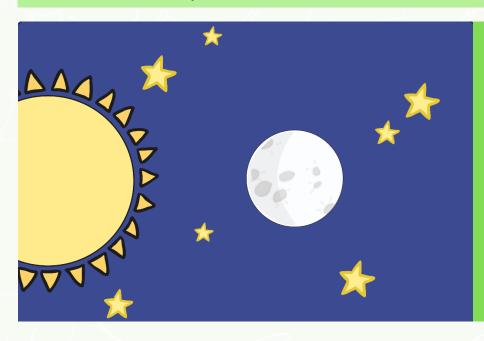


God created the land and the seas. He also created plants and trees.



## The Creation Story

### On the fourth day...



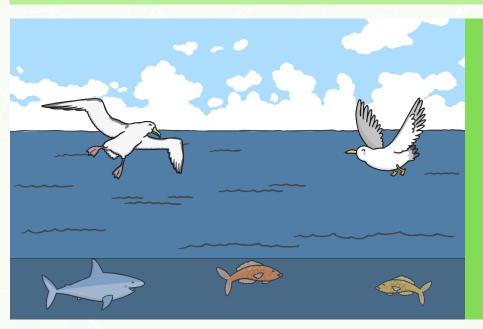
God created the sun, the moon and the stars.





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### On the fifth day...



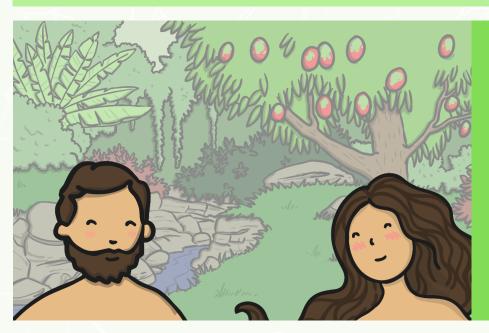
God created birds and sea creatures.





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#### On the sixth day...



God created animals to fill the earth. God also created humans to enjoy and care for all that He had made.





#### On the seventh day...



God rested. God was happy with all He had made.

What Does The Creation Story Tell Us?

With a partner think and talk about these questions:

- What do you think the Creation story tells us?
- Do you think there are any messages in the story?



# Why is the Creation Story Important to Christians?

The Creation story is important to Christians because it tells them:



God created the earth.





God rested on the seventh day.

God created the first animals and people.

# Why is the Creation Story Important to Christians?

On the seventh day God rested.



Sunday is seen by Christians as the seventh day of the week and is traditionally a day of rest and reflection.

Church services are held throughout the week, but are especially popular on Sundays.

