

# What do Christians learn from the Creation Story?

## CREATION

The universe and human life are God's good creation. Humans are made in the image of God.

## FALL

The fall of man. When Adam and Eve ate the fruit, this was the first act of sin.



Does everybody Sin?

Is it possible to be perfect all the time?

What would you have done if you were Adam/ Eve?

## Key vocabulary

God	Christians believe that God is the creator
Christian	A believer in Christianity
Creator	The maker, God.
Genesis	The First book of the Bible
The Fall	The part of the Creation Story where Adam and Eve ate the fruit.
Forgiveness	To stop feelings of anger or resentment towards another person.
The Ten Commandments	10 rules that show Christians how to love God.



## The Big Story of the Bible

Creation is at the beginning of the Big Story of the Bible. Creation is followed by "The Fall".



## Learning sequence

<b>Lesson 1</b>	<b>How do the concepts of God and Creation fit into the timeline of the Bible's 'Big Story'?</b> Pupils will understand how the concepts of God and Creation fit into the timeline of the Bible's 'Big Story'. By the end of the lesson, they will be able to identify key events in the Creation narrative and place them within the broader context of the Biblical timeline.
<b>Lesson 2</b>	<b>What are the links between Genesis 1 and what Christians believe about God and Creation?</b> Pupils look closely at Genesis 1 and explore what it teaches Christians about God and Creation. They learn that Christians believe God is Creator, powerful, and that everything He made is good, with humans given responsibility to care for it.
<b>Lesson 3</b>	<b>What is the story of 'the Fall' in Genesis 3, why do things go wrong in the world?</b> Pupils will hear the story of the Fall in Genesis 3, when Adam and Eve disobey God in the Garden of Eden. They learn that Christians believe this is when sin entered the world, which explains why bad things and suffering happen. Pupils retell the story and link it to Christian beliefs about free choice, disobedience, and consequences.
<b>Lesson 4</b>	<b>What do Christians do because they believe God is creator?</b> Pupils explore what Christians do because they believe God is the Creator. They learn that Christians thank God in prayer and worship, and show care for the world through recycling, protecting nature, and supporting charities.
<b>Lesson 5</b>	<b>What is important in the Creation story for Christians living today and for people who are not Christians?</b> Pupils will explore why the Creation story is important for Christians today and what it teaches them about God and caring for the world. They also think about what lessons people who are not Christians might take from the story, such as valuing the earth and treating others with respect