

## **ELEMENTARY**

AUGUST 2023

## MONTHLY OVERVIEW

## GOD VIEW:

## THE CONNECTION BETWEEN CREATIVITY AND GOD'S CHARACTER, AS SHOWN THROUGH GOD'S BIG STORY

When we look outside and see the beautiful world around us, we're reminded that God is great, powerful, and creative. From the birds flying high in the sky, to the planets orbiting the sun, to animals scampering around the earth, everything we see points to God's immense creativity. Jesus used creativity in the way He told parables, performed miracles, and helped His followers understand more about what it means to be part of God's kingdom. On top of that, we're created in God's image. We can solve problems, create art and music, and design skyscrapers high into the sky. When we create, we reflect the image of God to the world around us.

ONE

BIBLE STORY
Creation
Genesis 1–2:3

**BOTTOM LINE**God created you so you can be creative.

TWO

BIBLE STORY
We Are God's Creation
Ephesians 2:10

**BOTTOM LINE**God created you for a purpose.

THREE

Joseph and the Plan to Save Egypt Genesis 40–41

BIBLE STORY

**BOTTOM LINE**You can use what God gave you to solve problems.

FOUR

The Tabernacle Exodus 25:8-9; 28:1,3; 31:1-11, 35:21,25,34; 39:42-43 BOTTOM LINE
Use your imagination to honor
God.

**MEMORY VERSE** 

"WE ARE GOD'S CREATION. HE CREATED US TO BELONG TO CHRIST JESUS. NOW WE CAN DO GOOD WORKS. LONG AGO GOD PREPARED THESE WORKS FOR US TO DO." EPHESIANS 2:10, NIRV

**CREATIVITY** 

USING YOUR IMAGINATION TO DO SOMETHING NEW.