



PRIOR TO TEACH THE SESSION

## GATHER Supplies

Standard supplies: Bibles (full-size, small, and handheld), Allergy Alert, construction paper, tape, copy paper, large crayons, scissors (adult use), glue sticks, beanbag, foam or cardboard blocks, play dough, paper cups and napkins, and snacks.



### BABIES ACTIVITIES

#### Learning Activities

- Bible story picture
- key passage phrase card

#### Sing a Hymn

- electronic device

#### Line Up Blocks

- Printable: "Days of Creation Cards"

#### Explore Lights

- LED touch lights or battery-operated tea lights
- string lights
- clear plastic bin



### TODDLER ACTIVITIES

#### Learning Activities

- Bible story picture

#### Circle Time

- Bible story picture
- key passage phrase card

#### Make Creation Art

- stickers

#### Practice the Key Passage Phrase

- key passage phrase card

#### Take a Nature Walk

- walking rope or stroller
- beautiful pictures of nature (optional)
- basket

#### Read Books About Animals

- books about animals



### BONUS TEACHING HOUR

#### Transition Activity: Play Out the Story

- Items to represent each day of God's creation or use the Printable: "Days of Creation Cards"
- pillowcase

#### Make Edible Clouds

- plastic tablecloth
- bibs or smocks
- whipped cream
- craft stick
- baby wipes

#### Record Silly Sounds

- electronic device or a toy microphone



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### BABIES ACTIVITIES

#### Learning Activities

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- key passage phrase card

#### Sing a Hymn

- electronic device

#### Squish the Sand

- Sand
- ziplock bags
- water
- measuring cups
- duct tape

#### Look In a Mirror

- unbreakable hand mirror



### TODDLER ACTIVITES

#### Learning Activities

- Bible story picture

#### Circle Time

- Bible story picture
- key passage phrase card

#### Make a People Snack

- bibs or smocks
- plastic gloves
- people-shaped sugar cookies
- vanilla, caramel, or chocolate icing
- sprinkles, mini chocolate-covered candy pieces, or chocolate chips
- baby wipes

#### Tend a Garden

- shallow plastic bin
- artificial moss or grass
- artificial or paper flowers
- craft rocks
- plastic animals

#### Compare People and Animal

- toy animals (such as birds, livestock and wild animals, and snakes and insects)
- people figures
- Printable: "Days of Creation Cards"



### BONUS TEACHING HOUR

#### Transition Activity: Make People Art

- bibs or smocks
- heavyweight paper
- foam plates
- washable paint
- people-shaped cookie cutters
- baby wipes

#### Take Care of Babies

- vinyl baby dolls
- doll blankets
- toy bottles

#### Look At Seeds

- seeds (such as acorns, walnuts, and pecans)
- clear plastic jar
- electronic device



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#### Learning Activities

- Bible story pictures
- key passage phrase card

#### Sing a Hymn

- electronic device

#### Make Ziplock Bag Art

- painter's tape
- heavyweight paper
- ziplock bag
- gold glitter paint
- duct tape

#### Read Books About God

- age-appropriate books about God's creation



### TODDLER ACTIVITIES

#### Learning Activities

- Bible story picture

#### Circle Time

- Bible story picture
- key passage phrase card

#### Make Bible Art

- stickers, crayons, or washable markers

#### Play Musical Instruments

- rhythm instruments

#### Sort Stars

- red, yellow, and blue construction paper
- bowl

#### God Is Bigger, Stronger, Better

- electronic device



### BONUS TEACHING HOUR

#### Transition Activity: Creation

##### Scavenger Hunt

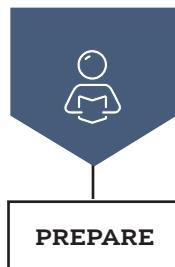
- Printable: "Days of Creation Cards"

##### Smell and Taste Sweet Things

- sweet snacks
- honey-flavored O-shaped cereal

##### Show Your Happy Face

- unbreakable hand mirrors or an electronic device



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#### Learning Activities

- Bible story picture
- key passage phrase card

#### Make Garden Art

- paper muffin cups
- washable green marker

#### Sort Fruit

- muffin tin
- toy fruit



### TODDLER ACTIVITIES

#### Learning Activities

- Bible story picture

#### Circle Time

- Bible story picture
- key passage phrase card

#### Explore a Sensory Box

- basket
- items to represent the Bible story (people figures, artificial flowers and leaves, toy fruit, a rubber snake, and a cross)

#### Learn the Key Passage Phrase

- Printable: "Snake"
- box or colorful gift bag
- electronic device

#### Pick Fruit

- pool noodle
- double-sided tape
- basket

#### Link Snakes

- plastic teething rings



### BONUS TEACHING HOUR

#### Transition Activity: Look for Adam and Eve

- Printable: "Adam and Eve"

#### Make Play Dough Snakes

- play dough

#### Take Care of a Garden

- toy gardening supplies



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### BABIES ACTIVITIES

#### Learning Activities

- Bible story picture
- key passage phrase card

#### Look In a Mirror

- unbreakable hand mirror

#### Shake Shakers

- lentils
- dried corn kernels
- oats
- empty plastic spice jars
- duct tape



### TODDLER ACTIVITIES

#### Learning Activities

- Bible story picture

#### Circle Time

- Bible story picture
- key passage phrase card

#### Paint with Wheat

- painting smocks
- artificial wheat stalks
- washable paint
- foam plates
- heavyweight paper

#### Play with People Figures

- dollhouse
- people figures

#### Exchange Gifts

- toys
- colorful gift bags

#### Shear Sheep

- clear contact plastic
- small box
- cotton balls



### BONUS TEACHING HOUR

#### Transition Activity: Gather Sheep

- clean white socks
- basket

#### Make Family Art

- washable paint
- baby wipes

#### Play With a Parachute

- parachute or bedsheet



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### BABIES ACTIVITIES

#### Learning Activities

- Bible story picture
- key passage phrase card

#### Make Boat Art

- paper plates
- duct tape
- animal stickers

#### Pull Rainbow Scarves

- fabric scraps or scarves
- round shape sorter or flexible ball with finger holes



### TODDLER ACTIVITIES

#### Learning Activities

- Bible story picture

#### Circle Time

- Bible story picture
- key passage phrase card

#### Match Animals

- Printable: "Animal Matching Cards"
- empty tissue box
- brown paper

#### Make It Rain

- drop cloth
- shallow bin
- water
- small boats
- colander
- towels

#### Hammer Tees

- golf tees
- toy hammers

#### Take a Nature Walk

- stroller or a walking rope



### BONUS TEACHING HOUR

#### Transition Activity: Look at Prisms

- handheld prisms, old CDs or electronic device

#### Make a Crafty Snack

- graham cracker
- spreading knife
- frosting
- animal crackers

#### Rainbow Sticker Relay

- rainbow-colored dot stickers
- index cards



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### BABIES ACTIVITIES

#### Learning Activities

- Bible story picture
- key passage phrase card

#### Make Jesus Art

- heart-shaped stickers

#### Build a Tower

- pillows
- foam blocks or ring stacker



### TODDLER ACTIVITIES

#### Learning Activities

- Bible story picture

#### Circle Time

- Bible story picture
- key passage phrase card

#### Repair Heart Art

- adhesive bandages
- people-shaped stickers

#### Stack Bricks

- rolled socks

#### Travel Around the World

- transportation toys
- large world map

#### Play With Toy Tools

- toy tools



### BONUS TEACHING HOUR

#### Transition Activity: Practice the Key Passage Phrase

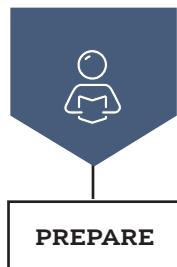
- index cards
- interlocking bricks

#### Roll a Globe

- inflatable globe

#### Learn a New Language

- translation app on a smart device



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### BABIES ACTIVITIES

#### Learning Activities

- Bible story picture
- key passage phrase card

#### Make Star Art

- dark construction paper
- star stickers
- white crayon or gel pen

#### Read Books About God's Promises

- age-appropriate Bible storybook
- stories that focus on God's promises



### TODDLER ACTIVITIES

#### Learning Activities

- Bible story picture

#### Circle Time

- Bible story picture
- key passage phrase card

#### Lace Stars

- small paper plate
- hole punch
- yarn, ribbon, or a shoestring

#### Look for Stars

- colorful paper
- flashlights

#### Count People

- 30-40 people figures



### BONUS TEACHING HOUR

#### Transition Activity: Play With Sand

- large shallow bin
- clean play sand
- plastic tablecloth
- sifters, scoops, and other sand play items

#### Work Puzzles

- Bible story picture

#### Play Out Going on a Trip

- chairs or sitting mats



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### BABIES ACTIVITIES

#### Learning Activities

- Bible story picture
- key passage phrase card

#### Make Gift Art

- adhesive bows
- adhesive gift tags

#### Stack Gifts

- gift wrap
- horseshoe-shaped pillow



### TODDLER ACTIVITIES

#### Learning Activities

- Bible story picture

#### Circle Time

- Bible story picture
- key passage phrase card

#### Make Crown Art

- yellow construction paper
- colorful adhesive foam jewels

#### Play With People Figures

- people figures

#### Give a Tenth

- 10 favorite toys or blocks



### BONUS TEACHING HOUR

#### Transition Activity: Rescue Lot

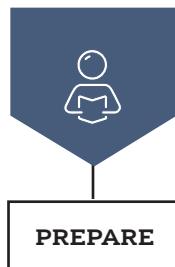
- person figure

#### Dress Up Like Kings and Queens

- royal dress-up clothes

#### Thank God for Blessings

- electronic device or a children's Bible dictionary



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### BABIES ACTIVITIES

#### Learning Activities

- Bible story picture
- key passage phrase card

#### Find the Ram

- highchair or bucket seats
- toy ram or picture of a ram
- scarf

#### Read Books About Families

- Bible storybook



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#### Learning Activities

- Bible story picture

#### Circle Time

- Bible story picture
- key passage phrase card

#### Make Ram Art

- Printable: "Ram"
- cotton balls
- liquid school glue (optional)

#### Rescue a Sheep

- stuffed sheep
- laundry basket
- raffia or twine

#### Take a Nature Walk

- stroller or a walking rope

#### Climb a Mountain

- 2-3 pillows
- blanket



### BONUS TEACHING HOUR

#### Transition Activity: Make Altar Art

- heavyweight paper
- painting smocks
- washable paint daubers
- orange and yellow squares of tissue paper

#### Practice the Key Passage Phrase

- craft sticks



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### BABIES ACTIVITIES

#### Learning Activities

- Bible story picture
- key passage phrase card

#### Make Name Art

- heart stickers
- jumbo crayons

#### Look in a Mirror

- unbreakable hand mirror



### TODDLER ACTIVITIES

#### Learning Activities

- Bible story picture

#### Circle Time

- Bible story picture
- key passage phrase card

#### Read a Book About Jacob

- Printable: "God Keeps His Promises Book"

#### Find What Is Different

- 3 plastic bins

#### Touch Different Textures

- ribbons of various textures
- burlap or lace

#### Pack For a Trip

- totes
- dress-up clothes
- clean, empty travel-size hygiene bottles



### BONUS TEACHING HOUR

#### Transition Activity: Make Play Dough

##### People

- play dough
- rolling pins
- people-shaped cookie cutters

##### Clean Up the Room

- clean washcloths



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### BABIES ACTIVITIES

#### Learning Activities

- Bible story picture
- key passage phrase card

#### Make Crown Art

- heavyweight paper
- permanent marker
- bibs
- washable crayons

#### Look at a Sensory Jar

- heavyweight paper
- hand-sized plastic jar
- oats
- duct tape



### TODDLER ACTIVITIES

#### Learning Activities

- Bible story picture

#### Circle Time

- Bible story picture
- key passage phrase card

#### Make Crown Art

- heavyweight paper
- shirt box
- red, yellow, and blue washable paint
- golf ball

#### Count to 12

- 12 peg people

#### Dig in Wheat

- large shallow bin
- wheat pasta
- measuring scoops, shovels, and other items to play in the wheat

#### Follow a Path

- colorful yarn
- Bible story picture
- basket



### BONUS TEACHING HOUR

#### Transition Activity: Serve a Meal

- toy dishes
- toy food
- tablecloths

#### Eat a Grain Snack

- oatmeal or another grain
- ziplock bag
- duct tape
- o-shaped cereal or oatmeal cookies



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### BABIES ACTIVITIES

#### Learning Activities

- Bible story picture
- key passage phrase card

#### Make Bandage Art

- colorful construction paper
- colorful adhesive bandages

#### Play with Animal Figures

- toy barnyard animals



### TODDLER ACTIVITIES

#### Learning Activities

- Bible story picture

#### Circle Time

- Bible story picture
- key passage phrase card

#### Roll a Ball to Friends

- ball

#### Sing Songs About God's Power

- rhythm instruments
- electronic device

#### Learn About Animals

- age-appropriate books or use an electronic device



### BONUS TEACHING HOUR

#### Transition Activity: Make Job Art

- Printable: "Person Outline"
- clear plastic page protector (1 per child)
- washable dry erase markers or crayons
- napkin

#### Take a Nature Walk

- stroller or a walking rope
- beautiful pictures of nature (optional)