

**LESSON 1**  
**“ORDERLINESS”**  
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**BIBLE CONNECTION**

Genesis 1:1 – 2:3 (pages 1-2)

**CHARACTER WORD**

*Orderliness* - Neatness, tidiness,  
proper behavior, lawfulness

**TEACHING OBJECTIVE**

I can know that God created the world to be an orderly place.

**MEMORY LINK**

**Colossians 1:16b**

“All things were created through Him and for Him.”  
(KBC Study Bible pg. 1300)

**SUPPLIES NEEDED THIS WEEK**

**GET CONNECTED**

Memory Link cards, Hang 10 pages, index cards, pens, highlighters

**MEMORY LINK ACTIVITY**

Bibles

**BIBLE CONNECTION**

LEGO kit

**SURF TEAM LEADER**

Memory link cards, index cards, pens, Hang 10 pages

**MAKE-IT-STICK REVIEW GAME**

**Option 1:** Bean bags, masking tape

**Option 2:** Feather (or tissue), paper plate

# God Creates Everything

## WHAT'S THE POINT?

All creation points to the greatness of God. He perfectly ordered the creation of the world and sustains it with order and power. Natural elements like gravity, seasons, lifespans and the earth's perfect rotation reflect the creativity, orderliness, and greatness of God. It's humbling to consider that the God who created the universe with such great care also considers us and invites us into relationship with Him.

Psalm 8 is a beautiful reminder of God's nature. “When I consider Your heavens, the work of Your fingers, the moon and the stars, which You have ordained, What is man that You are mindful of him, And the son of man that You visit him?” (Psalm 8:3-4).

God has placed everything in perfect order. Even in salvation God ordained a perfect solution to our sin problem. He had a plan to send Jesus as the Savior from the beginning of time. Jesus arrived on earth at the exact moment God intended. And Jesus will return at the perfect time, according to the Father's plans.

It's comforting to know that God's plan prevails both in creation and in your life. In the confusion and chaos of our fallen world, God still keeps everything in perfect order and holds you in the palm of His hand.

## GET CONNECTED

Building relationships in Surf Teams; introducing today's lesson.



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Today you will lead your Surf Team in an icebreaker to get to know them. Start the activity as soon as they start arriving. Instruct them to sit in a circle with their Surf Team leader and let each one introduce themselves by saying their name, an animal that starts with the same sound as their name and how many people are in their family by saying how many of that animal they have. You start first. For example: [Leader] has five Leopards!

Use the following conversational prompts to get to know the kids in your Surf Team and to introduce today's lesson. Once everyone has been introduced, allow students to share openly as you ask these questions:

- Today our Character Word is orderliness. What does it mean to you?
- Do you like things when they are orderly? What is a good thing about something being orderly?



Guide students to locate and mark today's Bible Connection and Memory Link in their Bibles so they can find the pages quickly as directed in the session.

## Worship Tip

Take time to explain that worship time isn't just music time. Help the kids understand that God is the audience and they are singing for Him. The song lyrics teach about God and help them to tell God how amazing and wonderful He is. There is no one like God and He alone deserves our worship and praise.











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