



**Educating
for
eternity?**

Looking for ways to make God more relevant in your classroom?



Need inspiration for finding God's perspective on classroom topics?

Space

**A student work unit for children
ages 7-12**

God is Creator, God is Powerful, God is Protector



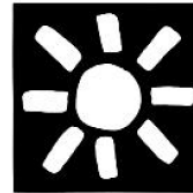
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God is Creator

Level 1 (age 5)

Subtheme

God created light...He is light



*You created the moon to mark the months; the sun knows the time to set.
Psalm 104:19 (GNB)*

Integrated topics for Christian Education

LIGHT: sun, moon, stars, shadows, reflection, colour, spectrum.

Other

- animal life; plant life; ecosystems
- human biology
- solar system
- air
- water
- fossil records; the Flood; the six-day creation
- technology; inventions

Character development *(see Jesus First)*

- confidence
- creativity
- flexibility
- resourcefulness

Christian Life

Our response to God is Creator

- standing in awe of the Creator
- praising Him for His great works
- believing in a six day creation, (not millions of years).

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World-wide Christian education resources... *for free*



Resources for ages 3 - 5

- Bible curriculum
- Art ideas
- Literacy
- Learning centre set-up ideas



Resources for ages 5 -12



Thematic studies



See Resources for ages 5-12, Science and Social Studies

Thematic studies

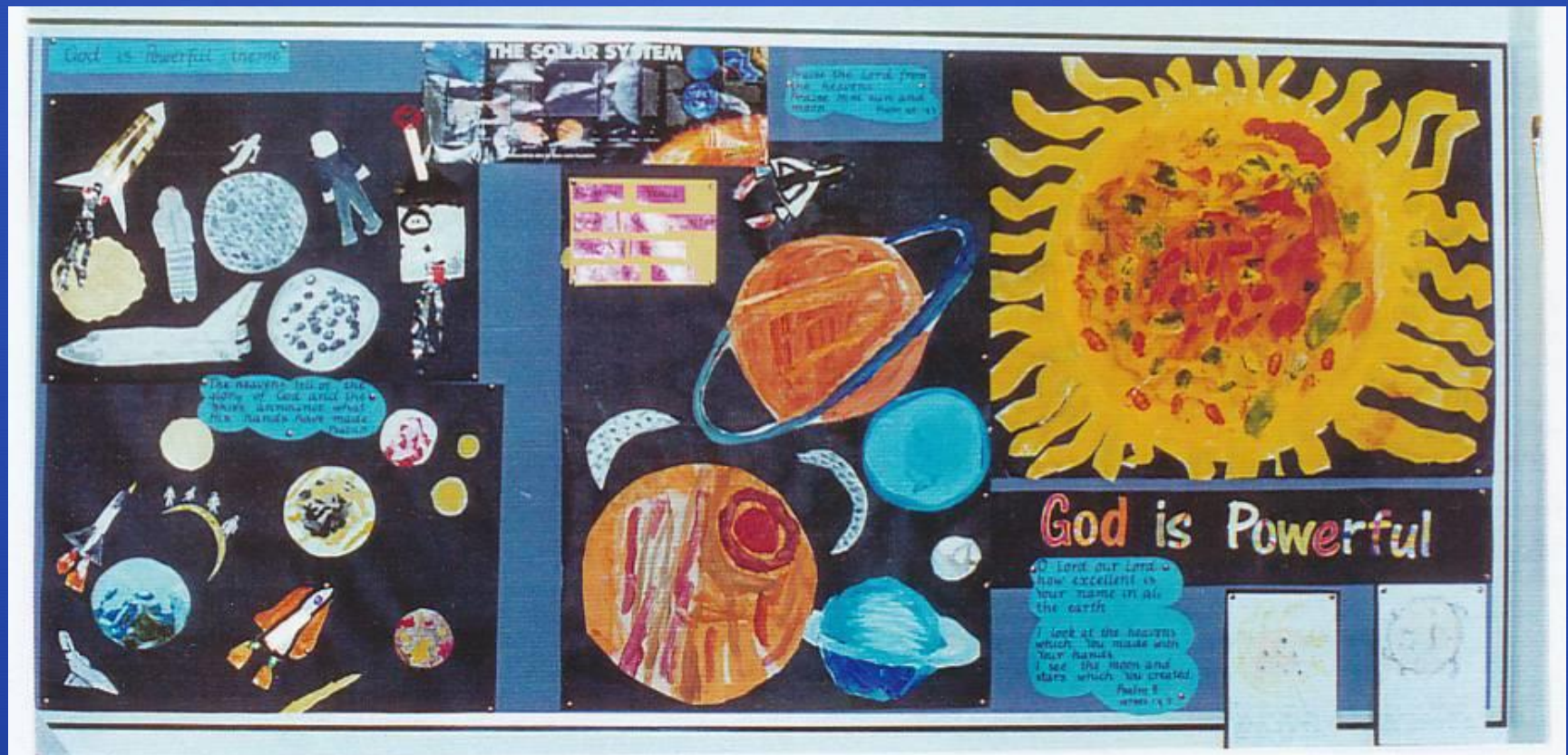
What is God's perspective on the topic?

How can we get to know more about God through a study of this topic?

Which Bible verses and stories are relevant?

How can an understanding of God through this learning experience help students to grow in Christian character?

Biblical integration with classroom topics



Christian studies



**Devotional studies that link directly to topics
in the curriculum**

See Resources for ages 5-12, Themes for Christian Studies

Beacon Media resources for integrated studies

Building Blocks

A teacher's guide for topic overviews

Includes our response to understanding God's perspective on each topic



See *Resources for ages 5-12*
Science and Social Studies
teachers' guides

Values education for character development



Character development teachers' guide, stories and plays

See Resources for ages 5-12, Values education

***Beacon Media* values education is based on a response to understanding who God is.**



God is Creator
Trust in a powerful, amazing God



God is Love
Love others as Christ loves us. Forgive, be kind, be gentle.



God is Wisdom
Seek God's opinion, not our own. Do what Jesus would do.



God is Protector
Trust and have confidence in a great and powerful God, a loving father.



God is Powerful

Believe in God's supernatural ability; have faith.



God is Truth

Know that Jesus is the only way; Tell the truth and live the truth.



God is Pure and Holy

**Ask for God's forgiveness and salvation.
Be pure in words and deeds. Obey God.**



God is Patient

Be patient with ourselves and others.



God is a Servant (Jesus came to serve)
Serve one another with humility. Put others first and self last.



God is Life
Jesus gives us new life when we accept Him as Saviour.
Live the Christian life by demonstrating the fruit of the Spirit.



God is a Provider
Trust and have confidence that He cares for us and will provide for us. Do not worry!



God is Peace
Be at peace, knowing that God is with us. Develop good relationships and resolve conflict peacefully.

Literacy

God is Creator

Who made everything?

Genesis 1

Who made the world?
God did.

At one time there was no world.
There was no sun and no moon.

Then God said, "Let there be light."
And there was. This was day one.

Then God said, "Let there be a sky.
Let there be water and land."
This was day two.

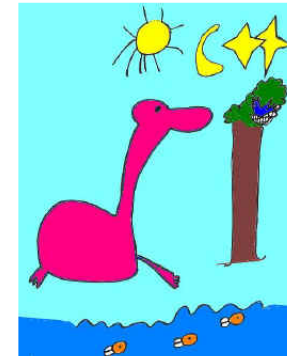
Then God said, "Let there be plants." This was day three.

Then God said, "Let there be a sun, a moon and stars." This was day four.

Then God said, "Let there be fish in the water and birds in the sky." This was day five.

Then God said, "Let there be animals on the land. Let there be people too." This was day six.

Then God said, "Everything I have made is very good. I will rest." This was day seven.



See Resources for ages 5 – 12, Literacy

Music



Children's songs - free downloads



See Resources for ages 5 – 12, Music

Science



See *Resources* for ages 5 – 12, Science

Health



See Resources for ages 5 – 12, Health education

Resources for ages 12 - 18



Resources for ages 12 -18

- What does God have to say about this topic?
- How does a Christian worldview affect our understanding of the topic?
- Which scripture verses support the topic?
- How does an understanding of the above help students and teachers to grow in Godly character?

Science

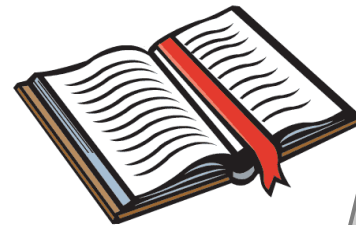
Many women and men have been called by God to serve him in the field of SCIENCE. There have been many famous scientists who were people of God full of courage and determination to research, investigate and succeed.



English

Which book to trust

- 1.How is The Bible different to the Koran or other sacred books/literature?
- 2.The Catholics and the Protestants have different books so who is right?
- 3.The Muslims and other critics of The Bible say it was edited heavily and changed.
- 4.A recent conspiracy book/movie said it was edited to diminish the power of women.
- 5.What is the evidence of the 66 books being reliable and dependable?



Maths

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Maths and God

“What’s maths got to do with God?” you may ask.

God is the Creator of everything, and he uses maths in the things that he makes. Not just that, he knows in number terms, how many stars there are (Psalm 147:4), and he has numbered them all. He has counted the number of hairs on your head too! (Luke 12:7).

It might be possible for us to count all the hairs on your head, but certainly we can’t ever hope to count all the stars in the sky.



Some people say that this world of ours just appeared out of nowhere, and that the harmony and order that numbers help us to see in the world are just illusions in our mind. It sure takes a lot of faith to believe that!

When we study maths we are studying one of the ways in which God governs our world. God is good, powerful, precise, infinite and orderly. Maths helps us to teach us these things.

Take these numbers:

1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14....

If you keep on counting where do they finish? Where do they end? Do they end? Ever?

This series of numbers goes on to infinity. What about this series?

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Art



Mary and Martha

1. What does the study of this topic show us about God Himself?
2. God's love reaches all continents.
3. Which scripture passages illustrate this aspect of God?

Acts 12: 34 – God does not show favouritism.

Romans 1:20 – God's invisible qualities, his eternal power and divine nature have been clearly seen.

Music



1. "I am not a Christian artist; I am an artist who is a Christian."
What does Johnny Cash mean by this comment?

Thinking skills

The 7th Thinking Hat

When the other six hats have been worn and tried, it's time for the 7th hat.

Put on **The Golden Hat** now.

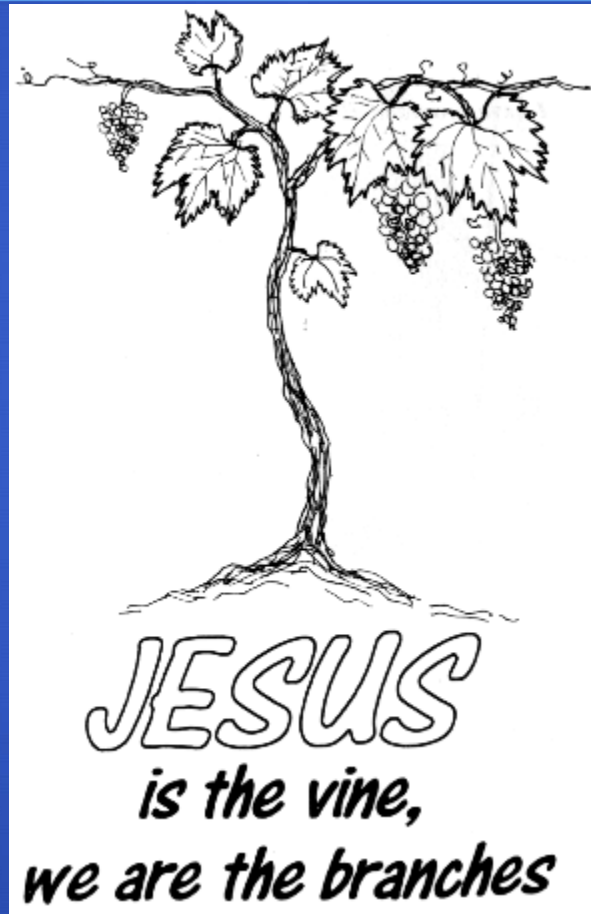
1. What is God's perspective on this situation?
2. What Bible stories or scriptures speak to this situation and predicament?
3. What would be the response of Jesus?



Psychology



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