

Creation Week – Genesis 1-2:3



1. Outline of creation

Day 1	God created light (1:3-5)
Day 2	Divided the sky from the waters (1:6-8)
Day 3	God created land and filled it with plant life (1:9-13)
Day 4	God created the sun, moon and stars (1:14-19)
Day 5	God filled the earth with sea creatures and flying animals (1:20-23)
Day 6	God created land animals (1:24-25) God made mankind (1:26-31, 2:4-23, Psalm 1139:14)
Day 7	God set an example of a day of rest (2:1-3)

2. God created everything by simply speaking it into existence.

- “And God said “ (1:3,6,9,11,14,20,24,26,29)

3. God created everything in 6 literal 24-hour days.

- “Day” = “yom”(Hebrew) can mean a 24-hour day or a period of time in a day that is light.
- “Yom” is used 410 times in the Old Testament.
- God designed the week format we use today. (Genesis 1:31, 3:2, Exodus 20:9-11)
- Why do you think that God rested on the 7th day?

4. God was intentional and organized in His creation.

- Days 1-4 – God formed living conditions
- Days 5-6 – God filled the earth

What does this mean to us?

- God intentionally created with order and for a purpose.
- God intentionally designed and created the universe for His glory. (Romans 11:36)
- **Description of God:** Fully self-existent, all-powerful, desires a relationship with mankind, *Ordered and purposeful in what He does*