

# Sunday School Grade 1

## A.G.A.P.E. Curriculum

[Appreciating God-Given Abilities of Persons with Exceptionalities]



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- The AGAPE curriculum is for exceptional student education [ESE] for Sunday School. It is designed by the Coptic Orthodox Diocese of the Southern United States.
- This is a modified curriculum designed for individuals with special needs.
- This curriculum is intended to be taught alongside with the general Sunday School program for each grade.

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- Inclusion is an important aspect of the social and learning paradigm of individuals with special needs.
- Stewards serving children and youth with special needs should try to integrate the students in the mainstream classes for as much time as can be tolerated by the student with special needs.
- Integration and inclusion foster friendships among the same age peer group.

# Preparation for The Creation of Eve

## Lessons for the month of October

- **Lesson Outline: Week 1**

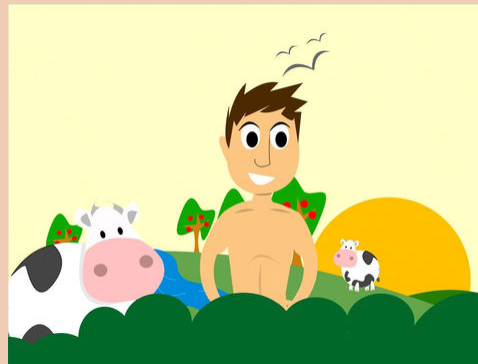
- God created Adam from dust.
- God put Adam in the Garden of Eden.
- Adam took care of the Garden of Eden.
- God gave all the animals to Adam to name.
- God saw that Adam was all alone.
- God made Adam fall asleep. God created Eve from Adam's rib.

# Word Bank

- Eve



- Adam



- Garden of Eden



- Taking care of



- Animals



- Created



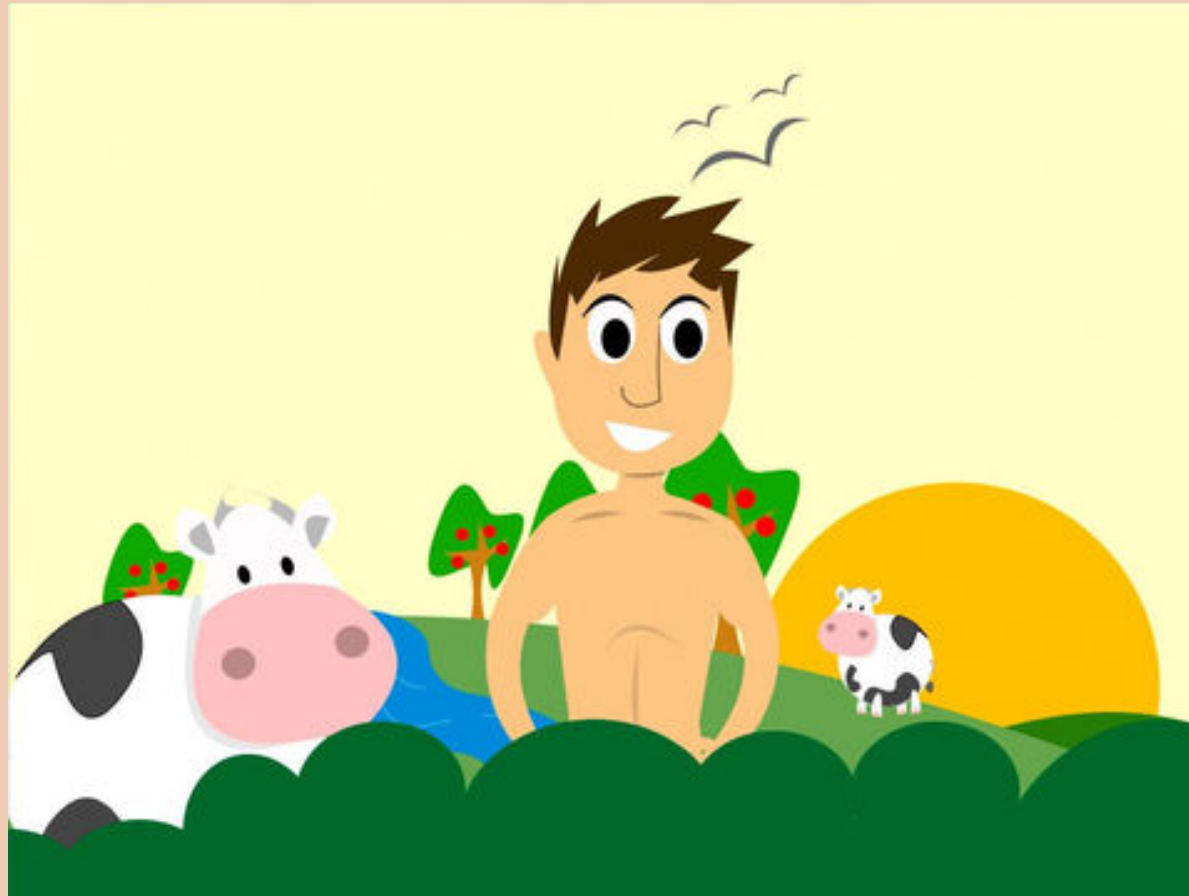
**Objective: To know how Eve was created.**



**Memory Verse: “It is not good that man should be alone.” (Genesis 2:18)**



**God created Adam from dust.**



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# The Creation of Eve

## Lessons for the Month of October

- **Conclusion**

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- To God be the glory, forever, Amen.

# Resources

- Application
  - Coordinate a time for A.G.A.P.E. students to interact with non- A.G.A.P.E. students.
- Activities—Customize according to student abilities, speech, and fine and gross motor skills.
  - Coloring/Painting
  - Cut and Paste
  - Music/Games
- References
  - <http://www.suscopts.org/ssc/Grade01.pdf>