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Allah, the Creator

Lesson 1 · creation

📖 **The story: Allah, the Creator**
Read together, part by part.

Part 1 – A very small hand

Yusra is fifteen. Her sister has just had a baby, a little boy of three kilos. Yusra is allowed to hold him. She is afraid she will do something wrong. The baby grabs her finger with a tiny hand. Five little fingers, five little nails, everything is there. “Who made that so beautifully?” she whispers. Her grandmother smiles. “Nine months ago he wasn’t here yet. Now he breathes, he cries, he drinks. None of us did that. That is the work of Allah, the Creator.” Yusra looks at the little face. She feels something warm in her chest.

⭐ **A baby does not make itself. Allah creates.**

grab = take hold of something quickly · **Creator** = the One who makes something from nothing

Part 2 – The lesson about the universe

At school, in science class, they watch a film about the universe. There are billions of stars. The sun is so big that the earth fits into it more than a million times. Yet everything turns in a fixed orbit. Nothing collides. “What if the earth were a little closer to the sun?” asks the teacher. “Then it would be too hot to live.” Yusra thinks of the baby’s little hand. Small or big: everything is made exactly right. Nothing comes into being by itself. A house has a builder, a drawing has an artist. And this whole universe has one Maker.

⭐ **Everything in the universe is made exactly right.**

universe = everything that exists: stars, planets, space · **orbit** = the path something always follows

Part 3 – Why am I here?

In the evening Yusra sits with her grandmother on the balcony. “Grandma, why did Allah make us?” Grandma thinks for a moment. “To know Him and worship Him. And to be a good person on this earth. We come from Allah and we return to Allah.” She tells her that Allah created the angels from light, the jinn from fire, and the first human, Adam, from earth. “That is why we begin everything with Bismillah: in the name of Allah. And when we are afraid, we say: A‘udhu billahi mina sh-shaytani r-rajim. I seek protection with Allah from the devil.” Yusra looks at the stars. “Thank You, Allah,” she says softly.

⭐ **We come from Allah and we return to Allah.**

worship = serve and honour Allah · **jinn** = beings made from fire that we cannot see

💬 **Let’s talk:** What do you find most beautiful in nature? What does that say about the Creator?

💡 **Did you know? – What was created from what?**

- According to a hadith (Muslim), Allah created the angels from light, the jinn from fire and Adam from earth.
- In the Quran, Allah often invites people to think about the sky, the earth, the animals and their own body.
- Muslims say Bismillah before they eat, drink, study, sleep or travel.

📖 **From the Quran**

Quran 3:190

إِنَّ فِي خَلْقِ السَّمَاوَاتِ وَالْأَرْضِ وَاخْتِلَافِ اللَّيْلِ وَالنَّهَارِ لَآيَاتٍ لِّأُولِي الْأَلْبَابِ

Inna fi khalqi s-samaawaati wa l-ardi wakhtilaafi l-layli wa n-nahaari la-aayaatin li-uli l-albaab.

“In the creation of the heavens and the earth, and in the alternation of night and day, there are signs for those who reflect.”

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Lesson 1 · questions and writing

✔ Questions

Tick the correct answer.

1. What did Yusra’s sister have?

- ◯ a cat
- ◯ a baby

2. What did the baby grab?

- ◯ Grandma’s hand
- ◯ Yusra’s finger

3. What did they watch in science class?

- ◯ a film about the universe
- ◯ a film about animals

4. According to the story, what does every house have?

- ◯ a garden
- ◯ a builder

5. What did Allah create the angels from?

- ◯ from light
- ◯ from fire

6. What do we say before we begin something?

- ◯ Bismillah
- ◯ Alhamdulillah

☆ **Remember this:** Allah created everything. We return to Him.

✍ Think and write

Answer in a few sentences.

1. Name three things that make you think of the Creator today.

2. Why do Muslims say Bismillah before they begin something?

Puzzles

Lesson 1 · Allah, the Creator

🔤 Word search

Find the words: from left to right and from top to bottom.

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☐ **BISMILLAH** ☐ **UNIVERSE** ☐ **CREATOR** ☐ **GRANDMA** ☐ **STARS** ☐ **EARTH** ☐ **LIGHT**
☐ **BABY** ☐ **ADAM** ☐ **SUN**

🔍 Spot the 7 differences

Something is missing, bigger, smaller, turned or moved.

