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Learning English through the Bible

Unit A2-01



Pray, Review, and Preview

Bible Reading: God Made the Earth - [Genesis 2:4-25](#)

Theme: Introductions

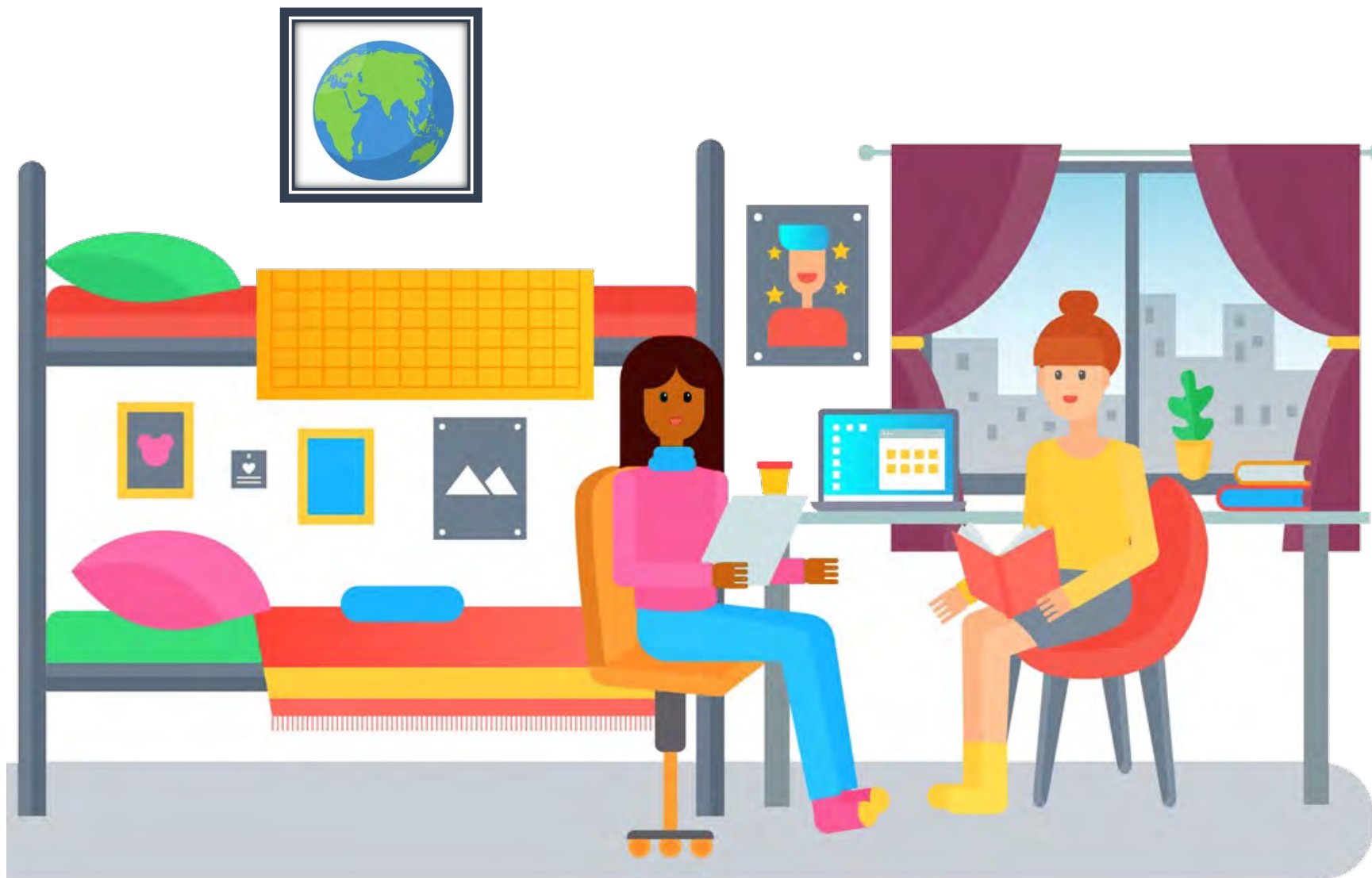
Pronunciation: /A/ spelled a-e and /E/ spelled e-e

Grammar: Contractions





What do you see?





1. sports



2. earth



3. photographs



4. apartment



5. pets



6. roommates



Listen and repeat.

1



an apartment

I live in an apartment.

2



a roommate

He's my roommate.

3



a sport

We like to play sports.

4



a pet

I have a pet.



Listen and repeat.

5



6



7



8



the earth

a photograph

to introduce

to discuss

God made the earth.



I like photographs of my family.

I introduce my friends.

They discuss schoolwork.




Listen and repeat.

<p>9</p> 	<p>10</p> 	<p>11</p> 	<p>12</p> 
<p>to invite</p>	<p>to crawl</p>	<p>alone</p>	<p>together</p>
<p>You're invited to my party.</p>	<p>The baby crawls on the floor.</p>	<p>He sits alone.</p>	<p>They sit together.</p>



A contraction is one short word made from two words. The apostrophe replaces the missing letters.

Subject	To Be	Contraction	Negative Contraction	
I	am	I'm	I'm not	
he she it	is	he's she's it's	he's not she's not it's not	he isn't she isn't it isn't
you we they	are	you're we're they're	you're not we're not they're not	you aren't we aren't they aren't

 Read the **contractions**. Then say the sentences with the long forms.

	Contraction	Sentence
1	I'm	Hi, I am a student.
2	you're	_____ my teacher.
3	he isn't	_____ alone.
4	she's not	_____ from Brazil.
5	it's	_____ 6:00 in the morning.
6	we're	_____ roommates.
7	they aren't	_____ together.



Read the long forms. Then say the sentences with **contractions.**

	Long form	Sentence
1	I am not	_____ crawling.
2	you are	_____ in these photos.
3	he is	_____ watching sports on TV.
4	she is not	_____ from India.
5	it is	_____ his pet cat.
6	we are not	_____ doctors.
7	they are	_____ discussing the class.



Listen and repeat.

A: Hello. My name is **Kate**. Nice to meet you.

B: Nice to meet you, too. My name is **Steve**. I'm from **Tokyo** and I'm studying English here.

A: That's great! I'm studying English, too. Do you live **with your family**?

B: **No, I live in an apartment together with my roommate and our pets. We have a dog, a cat and two birds.**



Listen and repeat.



A: Hi, **Sam**.

B: Hey, **Pete**. Good to see you!

A: Let me introduce you to **Sarah**. She's an English teacher and can help you with **writing**. **Sarah**, this is **Sam**. He's my best friend.

B: Hi, **Sarah**. Nice to meet you.

C: Nice to meet you too. What do you need help with today?

B: I need help **writing a paper**. Can you help me?

C: Yes, I can help you.



Long Vowels with Silent E

1. /A/ spelled a-e	2. /E/ spelled e-e	3. Challenge
made	these	
male	Eve	
female	Japanese	
roommate	Chinese	
ate	Portuguese	

A. This is my roommate, Eve. She speaks Chinese.

B. I ate some of these Japanese noodles you made.



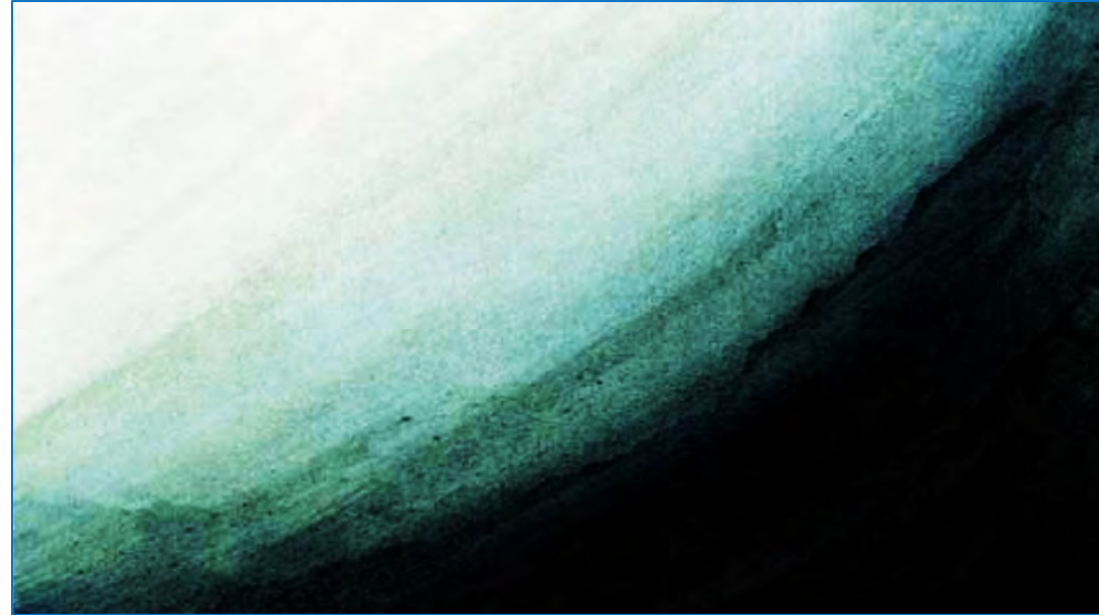
Listen and Repeat

A. <u> </u>	B. <u> </u>	C. <u> </u>
sports	alone	together
earth	discuss	apartment
crawl	invite	created
pets	today	beginning
male	repeat	December

God Created the Earth

[Genesis 2:4-25](#)

In the beginning, the Lord God created the earth and the sky. No plants grew on the land because the Lord God had not yet made it rain on the earth, and there was no one to work the land.





But rivers came up from the earth and watered the ground. Then the Lord God took dust from the ground and made a man. God breathed life into his nose. And the man became a living person. This man's name was Adam.



Then the Lord God planted a garden in the East, in a place named Eden. He put the man he made in that garden.



Then the Lord God made all the beautiful trees that were good for food to grow in the garden. In the middle of the garden, he put the tree of life and the tree that gives knowledge about good and evil.



The Lord God put the man in the Garden of Eden to work the land and take care of the garden. The Lord God gave him this command: “You may eat from any tree in the garden. But you must not eat from the tree that gives knowledge about good and evil. If you eat fruit from that tree, you will die!”



Then the Lord God said, "It is not good for the man to be alone. I will make the helper he needs, one just right for him."

The Lord God used soil from the ground and made every animal in the fields and every bird in the air.



He brought all these animals to the man, and the man gave them each a name. The man gave names to all the tame animals, to all the birds in the air, and to all the wild animals. He saw many animals and birds, but he could not find a helper that was right for him.

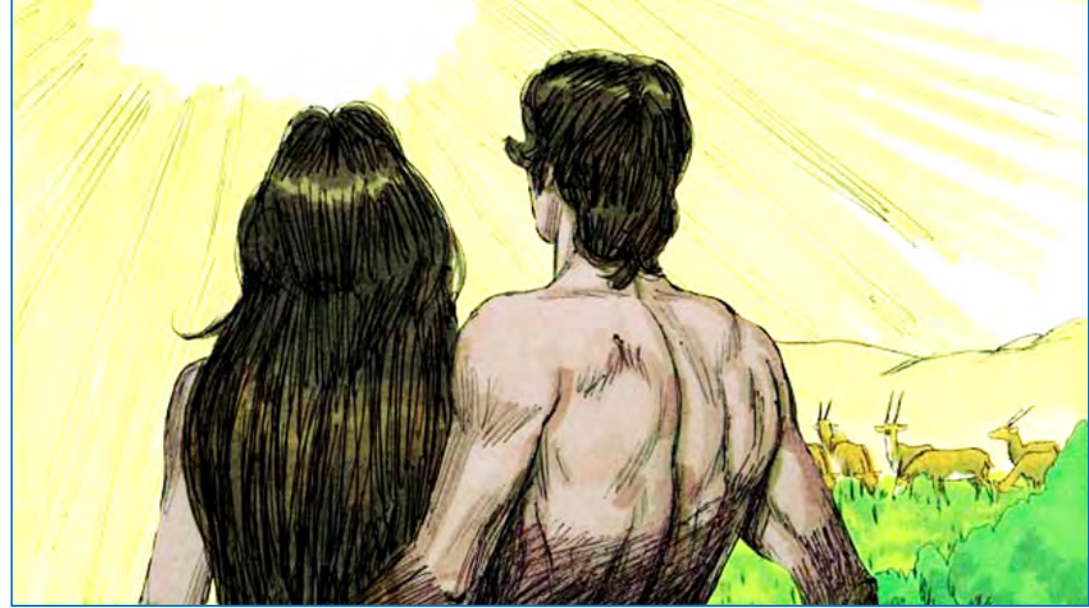


So the Lord God made the man sleep. While he was asleep, God took one of the ribs from the man's body. Then he closed the man's skin. The Lord God used the rib from the man to make a woman. The woman's name was Eve. Then God brought the woman to the man. And the man said,
"Finally! One like me,
with bones from my bones
and a body from my body.
She was taken out of a man,
so I will call her 'woman.'"



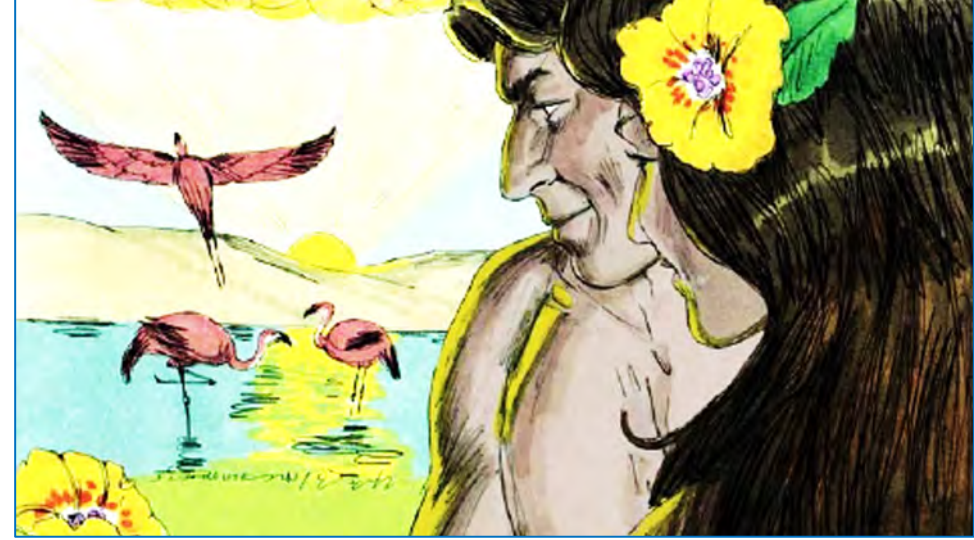


That is why a man leaves his father and mother and is joined to his wife. In this way two people become one.



Answer the questions

1. What did God create?
2. What did God say about the trees?
3. Why did God make a wife for Adam?
4. What is your favorite part of God's creation?
5. What do you create?
6. What questions do you have about God's creation?





Listen and fill in the blanks

roommate

Eve

Japanese

it's

He's

later

She's

pets

Portuguese

you're

Steve

hate

Hi, Emily! Let me introduce you to Ruth. _____ 1 your new
_____ 2 in your apartment on campus. She's
_____ 3, but she also speaks English and _____ 4.
She loves sports and taking photographs of her _____ 5. I
think you two will have a lot of fun together. Also, tonight
_____ 6 New Year's _____ 7, and _____ 8 both invited
to my party. See you _____ 9!



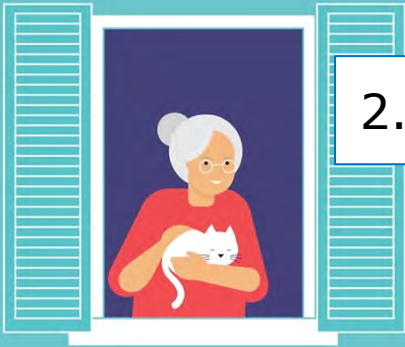
Write questions and ask your partner.

Questions	Answers
1. What do you like to do when you are alone?	I like to crawl into bed and watch sports on television.
2. _____ discuss _____	
3. _____ together _____	
4. _____ invite _____	
5. _____ sports _____	
6. _____ pets _____	



Introduce the apartment neighbors.

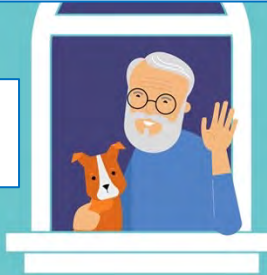
1. Mrs. Lane / pet cat / French



2. Steve / teacher



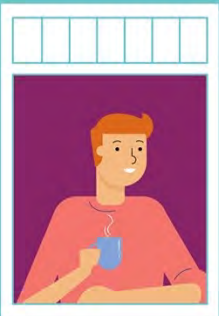
3. Mr. Gate / pet dog / discuss the earth



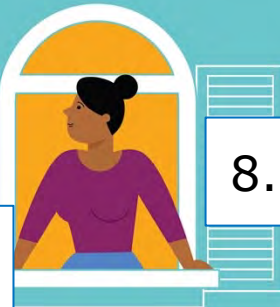
4. Adam & Eve / sports / coffee



5. Ruth / plants / cook



6. Pete / tea / Canada



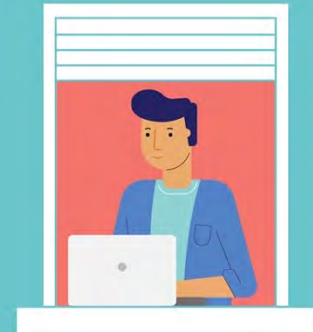
7. Mary / Portuguese / doctor



8. Sara & Ben / sing / crawl



9. Liz / play music / Russian



10. Jo / student / Greek



Song - All Things Bright and Beautiful

by Cecil Frances Alexander (1848)

All things bright and beautiful,
All creatures great and small,
All things wise and wonderful,
The Lord God made them all.

The cold wind in the winter,
The pleasant summer sun,
The ripe fruit in the garden,
God made them every one.

Each little flower that opens,
Each little bird that sings,
God made their glowing colors,
God made their tiny wings.





1A. Homework - Write about the pictures.

1

Sue, this is
Eve.



He introduces
the two women
at work.

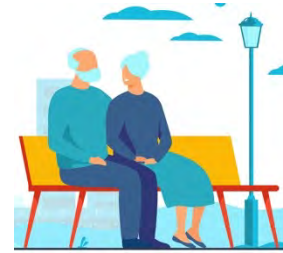
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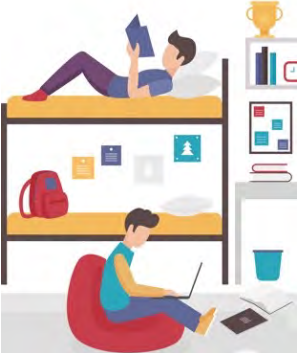
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1 B. Write about the pictures.

<p>7</p> 		<p>10</p> 	
<p>8</p> 		<p>11</p> 	
<p>9</p> 		<p>12</p> 	

2A. Fill in the contractions.

	Long form	Question	Answer
1	When is	When's your family coming?	They're coming on Wednesday.
2	Who is	_____ that?	_____ my dad.
3	Where is	_____ your apartment?	_____ in the city.
4	What is	_____ her name?	_____ Eden.
5	Why are not	_____ the babies crawling?	Because _____ tired.




2B. Write about people you know using contractions.

	Name / Country / Relationship / Job
1	Sue's from China. She's my roommate. She's a teacher.
2	
3	
4	
5	
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7	



3. Write questions and ask your partner.

Questions	Answers
1. Where are <u>you from?</u>	I'm from Korea.
2. Do you _____ pets	
3. What's your favorite _____	
4. How's your _____	
5. Who's _____	
6. Where's the _____	
7. Do you _____ alone	



4. Answer and say the sentences. Mark the /A/ and /E/ sounds.

A. Do you speak Japanese?	No, I speak Vietnamese.
B. What did God make?	
C. Do you have a roommate?	
D. Tell me what you ate yesterday.	
E. Do you like to take photos?	
F. What languages do you speak?	



5. Fill in the blanks from the Bible story.

1. In the beginning, God created the _____ and the sky.
2. Then the Lord God took dust from the ground and _____ a man. This man's _____ was Adam.
3. The Lord God planted a garden in the East, in a _____
_____ Eden.
4. The Lord God said, "It is not good for the man to be _____."
5. The Lord God used the rib from the man to _____ a woman. The woman's name was _____.

6A. Choose 1 verse to memorize.

A

Then the LORD God took dust from the ground and made a man. He breathed the breath of life into the man's nose, and the man became a living thing.

[Genesis 1:7 ERV](#)

B

Then the LORD God said, "I see that it is not good for the man to be alone. I will make the companion he needs, one just right for him."

[Genesis 1:18 ERV](#)



B. Choose 1 verse to memorize and read the next verses.

C

The earth and everything on it belong to the LORD.
The world and all its people belong to him.

[Psalm 24:1 ERV](#)

- Read the next lesson's Bible verses: [Genesis 3:6-24](#) in your language.

7A. Read and answer the questions.

Colleen lives alone in a nice apartment. There are 30 apartments in her building. She likes her neighbors and their pets. On Saturday nights, the neighbors sit together by a fire. They discuss the weather and news. They also have a big garden. Some people work in the garden. Many people like to eat the fruit from the garden. Colleen is happy here. She says, "I love living here. It's a good home. I have many friends. My neighbors are like my family."





7B. Answer the questions.

- A. Where does Colleen live?
- B. Does she have a roommate?
- C. What does she like?
- D. What do the neighbors do together?
- E. Where do you live?
- F. Who lives with you?
- G. Do you like where you live? Why?



8. Writing

Draw a picture or take a photo of people you know. Write 10 sentences about it. Example: **This is a photo of my family in Chiang Mai, Thailand.**



1

2

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10



9. Now I can...

- I can introduce myself, my family, and my friends.
- I can understand, read, say, and write the 12 vocabulary words.
- I can use contractions.
- I can understand that God created the earth and sky.



Closing prayer

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