



## Section 1: *Elohim* as Almighty Gods and Goddesses (Genesis 1)

### Scriptural Basis:

- **Genesis 1:1:** “In the beginning, *Elohim* created the heavens and the earth.” *Elohim* is plural, suggesting a divine collective of Gods and Goddesses, yet the singular verb “created” (בָּרָא) emphasizes unity. Gematria of *Elohim* (86) reflects divine authority.
- **Genesis 1:26:** “Let us make man in our image, after our likeness.” The plural pronouns (“us,” “our”) indicate multiple divine beings working together.
- **Psalms 82:6:** “I said, ‘You are gods (*elohim*), and all of you are children of the Most High.’” Confirms *Elohim* includes divine beings beyond the Creator.

### Key Points:

- *Elohim* in Genesis 1:1 represents the almighty Gods and Goddesses who created the universe, a unified collective with infinite power.
- The plural nature suggests a council or family of divine beings, aligned with the Royal Academy’s teaching of divine unity (Deuteronomy 6:4).
- The Knowledge of God reveals *Elohim*’s creative power, preparing the Elect to recognize their presence.

### Chart: *Elohim* in Genesis 1:1

- **Type:** Table
- **Description:** A table showing the Hebrew word *Elohim* (אֱלֹהִים), its gematria (86), translation (“Gods”), and context in Genesis 1:1. Includes a column for “Divine Role” (e.g., Creator of heavens and earth).

### Content:

| Hebrew Word | Gematria | Translation | Context     | Divine Role                  |
|-------------|----------|-------------|-------------|------------------------------|
| אֱלֹהִים    | 86       | Gods        | Genesis 1:1 | Creator of heavens and earth |

### Lesson 1: *Elohim* as Creator Gods and Goddesses

- Focus: Genesis 1:1, Psalm 82:6.
- Activity: Analyze Genesis 1:1's gematria (86 for *Elohim*).
- Chart: *Elohim* in Genesis 1:1 table.
- Objective: Recognize *Elohim* as the unified Creator collective.

### Exam for Lesson 1: *Elohim* as Creator Gods and Goddesses

**Objective:** Test understanding of *Elohim* as the unified Creator collective in Genesis 1:1.

1. What does the Hebrew word *Elohim* mean in Genesis 1:1?  
a) Angels b) **Gods** c) Prophets d) Kings
2. What is the gematria value of *Elohim* in Genesis 1:1?  
a) 777 b) **86** c) 395 d) 296
3. Which scripture uses plural pronouns to describe *Elohim*'s creation?  
a) Psalm 23:1 b) **Genesis 1:26** c) Isaiah 53:5 d) John 3:16
4. What does Psalm 82:6 call the children of the Most High?  
a) Servants b) **Gods** c) Priests d) Warriors



