

Our Judeo-Christian Roots

While Unitarian Universalism is often mistakenly described as a movement in which “you can believe anything you want,” our movement has a distinct history and origin in the Abrahamic faiths (yes, all three!). In a political and cultural landscape where battles are fought over the rightful place and interpretation of our Western religious roots, it is more critical than ever for Unitarian Universalists and other liberal traditions to be grounded in a history of our liberal theology. Older elementary kids explore stories in Judeo-Christian scriptures that have had a great impact on our culture and our Unitarian Universalist movement, delving more deeply into these stories than at earlier stages, and learning a balance of appreciative and respectful cultural literacy.