The origin of language, or how humans started “talking” to each other “using words,” has been a topic of research forever. Divine Source Theory is perhaps the most ancient theory of it all. As you might have already guessed from its name, Divine Source Theory takes us deeper into our religious and mythological roots.

**What is the divine source theory of language origin? The Divine source theory of language origin suggests that language was created by divine being(s) and thus has a divine origin. According to this theory, language was not created by humans themselves or was a result of human evolution, but rather was a gift from a higher power.**

Today, we will discuss our first theory from the module, “Theories of language origin.” We will look at our first theory – “Divine Source Theory of Language Origin,” in depth and explore its key features and the evidence used to support it. We will also examine some of the experiments that have been conducted to test this theory and evaluate their results. Let’s begin!