



# PROGRAMME PLANNER

Some great activities and ideas to use with your group over the next term:

WEEK	THEME / ACTIVITY	DESCRIPTION	LOCATION	ACTIVITY AREAS / AWARDS
06/01/2020	<b>New Year Resolutions</b>	Start 2020 by challenging your group to think of resolutions for the new year. Write them down, seal them in an envelope and keep hold of them. Open them up after a few weeks to check how you've getting on.	Indoors	Get Learning
13/01/2020	<b>DEFEND THE CASTLE</b> Activity	A game focusing on teamwork. Teams will take it in turns to defend their castle, whilst the rest of the group try to destroy it.	Indoors	Get Active
20/01/2020	<b>CHINESE NEW YEAR</b> Themed Programme	Celebrate the Chinese New Year, with an evening of games, crafts & activities centred around this fun annual celebration.	Indoors	Get Creative, Get Learning, Get Active, Get into the Bible
27/01/2020	<b>FEED THE BIRDS</b> Activity	Create simple bird feeders that your group can take home, place in the garden and watch the birds feed. Linked to RSPB's Big Garden Birdwatch. <a href="https://www.rspb.org.uk/get-involved/activities/birdwatch">rspb.org.uk/get-involved/activities/birdwatch</a>	Indoors	Get Involved
03/02/2020	<b>World Nutella Day</b>	Get into the kitchen and create tasty Nutella based snacks to celebrate 'World Nutella Day' (5th February). For snack inspirations, head to <a href="https://www.nutelladay.com">nutelladay.com</a>	Indoors	Get Creative
10/02/2020	<b>Valentine's Day</b>	Share some love this Valentine's Day, by creating cards or gifts for loved ones, parents, friends or special people in your lives.	Indoors	Get Creative, Get Involved
17/02/2020	<b>Creating Music</b>	Get creative with music, by using everyday items found around your meeting place to create musical instruments such as drums, shakers, cymbals and so on. Can your group create their own tune?	Indoors	Get Creative

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24/02/2020	<b>LENT</b> Activity	Take your group on a Bible adventure to explore Jesus' 40 days in the desert and the temptations he experienced along the way.	Indoors	Get into the Bible
02/03/2020	<b>WORLD BOOK DAY</b> Themed Programme	Get dressed up as your favourite book characters and hold a 'World Book Day' themed party, with games, crafts and activities themed around some of your favourite books. World Book day is Thursday 5th March 2020.	Indoors	Get Creative, Get Active, Get into the Bible, Get Learning
09/03/2020	<b>IT'S ROCKET SCIENCE</b> Activity	Become rocket scientists for the day as your group create and launch mini rockets from film canisters. Linked to British Science Week (6-15th March 2020) find out more at <a href="http://britishscienceweek.org">britishscienceweek.org</a> .	Indoors	Get Learning
16/03/2020	<b>Mother's Day</b>	Celebrate your Mum or a mothering figure in your life, by creating a card and gift for Mother's Day.	Indoors	Get Creative, Get Involved
23/03/2020	<b>TOY STORY</b> Themed Programme	To infinity and beyond! Join Woody, Buzz and all the crew for a Toy Story themed evening, as your group take on activities from everyone's favourite Pixar film.	Indoors	Get into the Bible, Get Creative, Get Active, Get Learning
30/03/2020	<b>Lambing</b>	Spring is here and so is lambing season. Take a visit to a local farm, see the lambs for yourself and learn a little about them too.	Outdoors	Get Adventurous, Get Learning
06/04/2020	<b>EASTER</b> Themed Programme	Celebrate Easter with a themed programme. Head out on an Easter egg hunt, create Easter crafts, play games and learn all about the Easter story. A great way to get excited for Easter.	Indoors	Get Creative, Get Active, Get into the Bible, Get Involved
13/04/2020	<b>BUG HUNTING</b> Activity	The evenings are getting lighter, so now is a great time to get outside & exploring the world around you. Take your group on a bug hunt and see how many bugs you can find. Can you identify them all?	Outdoors	Get Adventurous
20/04/2020	<b>Planting Flowers</b>	Help brighten up your local area by planting flowers or creating a flower box to sit outside your Church or meeting place. Make a sign to go with it, so people know who created the display.	Indoors / Outdoors	Get Creative, Get Involved
27/04/2020	<b>BAKING BISCUITS</b> Activity	Get your group into the kitchen as they create their very own biscuits. Following a super easy recipe, your group will create some delicious treats in no time!	Indoors	Get Creative