

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	New Year Collage	Individually, or as a group, create a collage of your dreams & goals for the New Year, using both pictures and words. Design the collage into a '2020' shape.	Indoors	Get Creative
13/01/2020	Birds of Prey	Invite a keeper of birds of prey to your meeting space. Learn about the birds, see them fly and ask questions about how they live in nature.	Indoors	Get Adventurous, Get Learning
20/01/2020	MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY Activity	Get involved with Martin Luther King Jr Day (20th Jan), by learning about the civil rights activist and challenge your group to dream about a better world for them and their communities.	Indoors	Get Learning
27/01/2020	SUPERBOWL Themed Programme	The Superbowl is one of the biggest sporting events in the world. Hold a Superbowl themed evening learning about American Football, trying out some key American Football skills and creating themed crafts.	Indoors	Get Active, Get Learning, Get Creative, Get into the Bible
03/02/2020	TALKING ABOUT MY EMOTIONS Activity	Our mental health & wellbeing are an important part of keeping fit and healthy. Encourage your group to find ways to talk about their emotions with this fun and easy activity. Link to Children's Mental Health Week (3rd – 9th Feb) childrensmentalhealthweek.org.uk	Indoors	Get Active
10/02/2020	National Pizza Day	National Pizza day (9th Feb) is the perfect excuse for your group to get into the kitchen to create their dream pizza. What toppings will they choose?	Indoors	Get Creative
17/02/2020	Random Acts of Kindness	17th February is Random Acts of Kindness day. Challenge your group to do a ROK for someone else. They could collect for a foodbank, create gifts for a local BB group or maybe carry out jobs around your Church building.	Indoors	Get Involved

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24/02/2020	FAIRTRADE Themed Programme	Fairtrade helps food producers & workers around the world. Get involved with a Fairtrade evening. Learn about the importance of Fairtrade, try out Fairtrade products & challenge your group to do more to support Fairtrade. Link with Fairtrade Fortnight (24th Feb – 8th March) fairtrade.org.uk	Indoors	Get Involved, Get Learning, Get Active, Get Create, Get into the Bible
20/03/2020	APPLE PIES Activity	Time to bake a tasty treat! Get into the kitchen and start creating some yummy apple pies.	Indoors	Get Creative
09/03/2020	SCIENCE EXPERIMENTS Themed Programme	It's British Science Week (6th – 15th March). Get involved with a themed evening based around all things science. Grab your lab coats, take on some experiments and become junior scientists for the evening. Find out more at britishscienceweek.org	Indoors	Get Learning, Get Active, Get Creative, Get into the Bible
16/03/2020	ST PATRICK'S DAY Themed Programme	Celebrate St Patrick's Day (17th March), the patron saint of Ireland, with a themed evening. An evening full of Irish themed crafts, games & activities for your group to get involved with.	Indoors	Get Learning, Get Active, Get Creative, Get into the Bible
23/03/2020	Water Safety	Learn about water safety at the beach. Find out what all the warning signs & flags mean and try to spot the dangers & hazards. If you have a RNLI station nearby why not organise a visit and get your group out and about. Resources available from the RNLI website at rnli.org/youth-education/education-resources	Indoors/Outdoors	Get Learning
30/03/2020	BE A GOOD EGG Activity	Learn the art of giving and be a 'good egg' this Easter. As a group donate some Easter eggs & create Easter cards for people who need & deserve them.	Indoors	Get Involved
06/04/2020	Easter Crafts & games	Celebrate Easter by holding an Easter crafts & games evening. Get creating Easter treats, learn about the Easter story & take on an Easter egg hunt.	Indoors	Get Learning, Get Creative, Get Active, Get into the Bible, Get Adventurous
13/04/2020	FIRE-STARTING Activity	Develop an important survival skill by learning how to start a fire without matches. A tricky skill to master, has your group got what it takes?	Outdoors	Get Adventurous
20/04/2020	JIGSAW PRAYER Activity	Encourage your group to pray for others, with a simple prayer based around jigsaw pieces.	Indoors	Get into the Bible
27/04/2020	Pond Dipping	Get outside and exploring local ponds. Grab a net and bucket, try and identify the pondlife and learn about the creatures and their habitat. rspb.org.uk/fun-and-learning/for-families/family-wild-challenge/activities/pond-dipping/	Outdoors	Get Adventurous