

PROGRAMME PLANNER

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

WEEK	THEME / ACTIVITY	DESCRIPTION	LOCATION	ACTIVITY AREAS / AWARDS
01/01/2024	24 for 24 Suggested Activity	Start 2024 with some conversations around what you'd like to achieve as a group in 2024. Come up with 24 things as a BB group you want to do. This could be activities, games, skills, trips etc. Use these ideas to help share your programme for the rest of the year.	Indoors	Get Involved
08/01/2024	BASKET CHALLENGE Activity	Dribble a basketball around the room. However, when the music stops, it's every player for themselves, as they try to score a basket, in a dash not to be the last left. A game of speed and accuracy, whilst under pressure.	Indoors	Get Active
15/01/2024	WHAT A TALENT! Themed Programme	What hidden talents have you got concealed away, how are you using your God given talents and what difference could you make to others with them? A themed programme centred around the Parable of the Talents.	Indoors	Get into the Bible, Get Active, Get Learning, Get Involved
22/01/2024	Burns Night Suggested Activity	Celebrate the life and work of Robert Burns with a traditional Scottish celebration. This could include a Burns Night supper or activities that explore Scottish culture.	Indoors	Get Learning
29/01/2024	Time to Talk Suggested Activity	Mental Health has been identified as one of the biggest issues facing young people today. Make room in your programme to encourage conversations, friendships and connections. Time to Talk Day falls on 1 st February. Find out more information at https://timetotalkday.co.uk	Indoors	Get Active, Get Involved
05/02/2024	BALLOON SPLASH Activity	Take on some competitive tasks to earn resources for your challenge, before working in teams to create the best contraption to protect a water balloon from destruction. In partnership with PGL (https://www.pgl.co.uk).	Indoors or Outdoors	Get Adventurous
12/02/2024	Pancakes Suggested Activity	Young people often need no excuse to stuff their faces, but Shrove Tuesday (13 th February) is the perfect reason to get in the kitchen! Make pancakes from scratch, master the art of flipping them, and then load them with all your favourite toppings.	Indoors	Get Creative

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19/02/2024	Top Team Suggested Activity	Top Team is a national competition run by The Boys' Brigade and is open to groups across the UK & RoI. The challenges will see you take on a range of activities. Submit your results to BBHQ to find your place on our leaderboard. For more information visit https://boys-brigade.org.uk/top-team-challenge	Indoors	Get Active, Get Learning
26/02/2024	AROUND THE WORLD IN 60 MINUTES Activity	Take on our problem-solving challenge, which will see you head all around the world searching for clues. Can you visit all the locations, find what you need and solve the puzzle... all within the 60-minute deadline?	Indoors	Get Learning
04/03/2024	HOLLYWOOD Themed Programme	Welcome to Hollywood, the place where movie stars are made. Use our themed programme to transport yourself to 'Tinseltown' and put your movie knowledge to the test. Could be linked to the Oscars (10 th February 2024).	Indoors	Get Learning, Get Creative, Get Active, Get Involved, Get into the Bible
11/03/2024	Games Tournament Suggested Activity	Split into small groups and play a series of your favourite games. Teams should play each other in a tournament style competition, gaining points for their team. Which team will finish the session on the highest points?	Indoors or Outdoors	Get Active
18/03/2024	BIBLE QUOTE OR NOT? Activity	Can you identify which quotes are from the Bible and which are instead quotes from well-known people? What do all the words of inspiration have in common and how can they impact our lives?	Indoors	Get into the Bible
25/03/2024	30 MINUTE HOT CROSS BUNS Activity	Hot Cross Buns are traditionally eaten on Good Friday, representing the cross Jesus was crucified on and the spices he was embalmed with. Try this speedy, no yeast recipe, which can be made in 30 minutes.	Indoors	Get Creative
01/04/2024	World Health Day Suggested Activity	World Health Day is celebrated on 7 th April each year, helping to highlight and promote the importance of looking after our health. Take on some health-related activities. This could include starting our Health & Fitness Staged Award. Visit https://www.who.int/campaigns/world-health-day	Indoors or Outdoors	Get Active, Get Involved
08/04/2024	THE 12 HOUR SPONSORED CHALLENGE Activity	Take on an endurance themed fundraising challenge, over the course of 12 hours. As a group, decide what endurance activity you'd like to take on, before collecting sponsors and then tackling the challenge.	Indoors or Outdoors	Get Involved
15/04/2024	SKILLS FOR LIFE: DEFIBRILLATOR Themed Programme	Defibrillators save lives. Would you know where to find one and how to use it, if someone's life depended on it? Help expand your knowledge on this life saving piece of kit and how we can all become defibrillator champions.	Indoors	Get Learning, Get into the Bible, Get Creative, Get Active
22/04/2024	SNOOKERED Themed Programme	Brush up on your snooker skills and see how you get on with this themed programme. Link to the Snooker World Championship (20 th April – 6 th May).	Indoors	Get Active, Get Learning, Get into the Bible
29/04/2024	Cinema Trip Suggested Activity	Finish the term with a trip to the Cinema. Grab some popcorn and a soft drink and enjoy seeing the latest blockbuster film on the big screen.	Indoors	Get Adventurous