

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	Happy New Year! Suggested Activity	Celebrate the start of 2024, with a session themed around celebrations and new starts. You could hold a small party, make new year promises or create a craft centred around the number '24'.	Indoors	Get Active, Get Creative
08/01/2024	ANIMALS IN THE NIGHT Themed Programme	Join the world of foxes, owls, hedgehogs, bats and badgers, as we discover more about the animals that come out at night. What will you learn about nocturnal animals through our activities and games?	Indoors or Outdoors	Get Learning, Get Adventurous, Get Active, Get Creative, Get into the Bible
15/01/2024	Revisit: Science Experiments Suggested Activity	Revisit our Science Experiments themed programme from Autumn 2019. Become mini scientists as you learn about static energy, make your own lava lamp, create a vacuum and even freeze your own ice cream.	Indoors	Get Learning, Get Active, Get Creative, Get into the Bible
22/01/2024	RSPB Big Garden Birdwatch Suggested Activity	Get involved with the RSPB's Big Garden Birdwatch (26 th – 28 th January 2024), by running a programme centred around the UK's most popular birds. For more information visit https://www.rspb.org.uk	Indoors or Outdoors	Get Involved, Get Learning
29/01/2024	TEDDY ZIPWIRE Activity	Create a mini zipwire in your meeting space, for a teddy to be able to travel on. How fast and far can you make the teddy travel? How exciting would it be to take on a zipwire yourself? A partnership card with PGL.	Indoors	Get Adventurous
05/02/2024	CHINESE NUMBERS Activity	Learn how to read and say the numbers 1-10 in Chinese, using our fun and interactive game. Link with Chinese New Year (10 th February 2024).	Indoors	Get Learning
12/02/2024	TEN COMMANDMENTS Themed Programme	Moses received the Ten Commandments thousands of years ago, but these basic rules are still shaping our lives today. Let's find out more about them and how we can keep them at the centre of our lives.	Indoors	Get into the Bible, Get Active, Get Creative, Get Involved
19/02/2024	Juniors International Team Games Suggested Activity	Compete against Juniors from around the world in some easy to play team games. Try to set your best score and then send your results into BBHQ to be placed on our leaderboard. For more information visit https://boys-brigade.org.uk/juniors-international-team-games	Indoors	Get Active

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26/02/2024	MUM MEDALS Activity	In preparation for Mother's Day (Sunday 10 th March 2024), create a 'Mum Medal' to help recognise the heroic efforts our mums go to in looking after us.	Indoors	Get Creative
04/03/2024	WOMEN OF HISTORY Activity	Celebrate some of the most influential women of our history, who have helped make the world a better place for us to live in. Link with International Women's Day (8 th March 2024).	Indoors	Get Involved
11/03/2024	Red Nose Day Suggested Activity	Help raise money whilst doing something funny, with Red Nose Day. Head to https://www.comicrelief.com/rednoseday for fundraising activities and ideas on how to get involved. Red Nose Day is Friday 15 th March 2024.	Indoors	Get Involved
18/03/2024	EGYPTIANS Themed Programme	Travel back thousands of years to the time of the Egyptians, as you build pyramids, create mummies, crack some papyrus code and discover more about these people of history.	Indoors	Get Learning, Get Active, Get Creative, Get into the Bible
25/03/2024	THE EASTER EGGSHELL Activity	Jesus was crucified, dying on Good Friday, and rising again on Easter Sunday. Recreate the Easter story with your own Easter Eggshell Story, finding out about the significance of each step to the story along the way.	Indoors	Get into the Bible
01/04/2024	CONE AIR HOCKEY Activity	Play a game of air hockey, but in a totally different way. Using equipment you'll find in your cupboard, create an air hockey arena, where children can battle it out to become an air hockey champion.	Indoors	Get Active
08/04/2024	Revisit: In the Jungle Suggested Activity	Revisit our In the Jungle Themed Programme from Autumn 2019. Run a jungle themed evening exploring swamps, creepy crawlies and even take on a Bushtucker Trial.	Indoors	Get Learning, Get Active, Get Creative, Get into the Bible, Get Adventurous
15/04/2024	WHAT A TEAM! Themed Programme	A winning team relies on good communication, support and encouragement. Have your Juniors got what it takes to make the dream team and complete our teamwork challenges successfully?	Indoors	Get Learning, Get Active, Get into the Bible, Get Adventurous
22/04/2024	Earth Day Suggested Activity	Earth Day is celebrated every year, to help raise awareness of why looking after our planet is important. What can you do to get involved and in what ways can you take care of Earth? Earth Day is celebrated on 22 nd April 2024.	Indoors	Get Involved
29/04/2024	Laser Tag Trip Suggested Activity	Enjoy the end of term with a trip out to a local Laser Tag arena. Work in teams to see who can be crowned the laser tag champions for the night.	Indoors	Get Adventurous