

PROGRAMME PLANNER

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

WEEK	THEME / ACTIVITY	DESCRIPTION	LOCATION	ACTIVITY AREAS / AWARDS
05/05/2025	VE DAY: WORLD WAR II TIMELINE Activity	Find out more about the events that led up to VE Day (8th May), by exploring who the key figures of World War II were, followed by some of the major moments of the war, that finally led to the end of the war.	Indoors	Get Learning
12/05/2025	CLIMATE JUSTICE Themed Programme	Christian Aid is celebrating 80 years of fighting poverty and injustice around the world. This Christian Aid Week (11th-17th May 2025) discover more about their campaign on climate justice and what we can do to help make a difference. A partnership card with Christian Aid.	Indoors	Get Involved, Get Learning, Get Creative, Get into the Bible
19/05/2025	THINK, SOLVE, THRIVE Themed Programme	Take on a series of team based challenges, with the focus on working together to solve problems and thrive as a team. A partnership card with the Young Leaders Network, as part of 'Spotlight 2025'.	Indoors or Outdoors	Get Learning, Get Active, Get into the Bible
26/05/2025	Survival Skills Staged Award Suggested Activity	Learn some basic survival skills and put them to the test, by taking on stage 1 of the 'Survival Skills' Staged Award. Once young people have completed stage 1, certificates could be awarded. Find out more at https://boys-brigade.org.uk/achievements/survival-skills	Indoors or Outdoors	Get Adventurous
02/06/2025	National Fish & Chip Day Suggested Activity	Celebrated on the first Friday of June each year, National Fish & Chip Day is a celebration of one of the UK's most famous meals. Get involved by either cooking your own fish & chips or taking a visit to your local fish & chip shop.	Indoors	Get Learning, Get Creative
09/06/2025	COLOUR POWDER GAMES Activity	Colour Powder Games are a unique activity that use cups of coloured powder to transform some basic games into colourful explosions of activity. These games are ideal for an outdoor space or a residential.	Outdoors	Get Active
16/06/2025	FROZEN MOCKTAILS Activity	Indulge in a cool and refreshing treat with our frozen mocktails, packed with vibrant flavours. The perfect way to cool down on a warm summer's day.	Indoors	Get Creative

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23/06/2025	HIGHER Activity	Take part in our ‘Braver, Further, Faster, Higher Challenge’ , as we challenge all age groups to take on a category of the challenge. As a Company, attempt to tick off all four categories to claim your certificate. Company are tasked with the ‘Higher’ category, taking on an activity that requires them to reach new heights in a unique and adventurous way.	Indoors or Outdoors	Get Adventurous
30/06/2025	Revisit: Ultimate Frisbee Suggested Activity	A fast-paced team game using just a standard frisbee. Any game with the word ‘ultimate’ in is worth a try, right?!	Outdoors	Get Active
07/07/2025	IS IT OK? 24/7 SMARTPHONES Activity	In a world where smartphones, internet access & social media is accessible 24/7, we encourage young people to explore the pros and cons of unlimited access and debate if they think access should ever be limited, reduced or protected.	Indoors	Get Involved
14/07/2025	IMPERFECT PEOPLE, PERFECT GOD Activity	The Bible is full of stories of people who had flaws, who society would write off, but that God used to do amazing things. We’ll be exploring some of these people in the Bible, thinking about how God sees us, and how he can use us to do amazing things too.	Indoors	Get into the Bible
21/07/2025	Revisit: I’m a Survivor Suggested Activity	You’ve been stranded at sea with very little equipment. Use your survival skills to prioritise the equipment you have and create a plan for survival.	Indoors	Get Adventurous
28/07/2025	Bike Ride Suggested Activity	Get active and adventurous by heading out on a bike ride in your local area. Which part of your community could you explore?	Outdoors	Get Adventurous, Get Active
04/08/2025	Go Wild Suggested Activity	Revisit some of our ‘Go Wild’ activities. There are over 20 adventurous activities for you to have a try at. You could spread these out across the Summer term and work towards a certificate or medal. Find out more at https://boys-brigade.org.uk/go-wild-challenges	Outdoors	Get Adventurous
11/08/2025	Revisit: The Answer’s Out There Suggested Activity	A trivia quiz like no other. We’ve set the questions, but you need to go and physically find the answers in your neighbourhood. Can you be creative enough to find the answers required?	Outdoors	Get Adventurous
18/08/2025	Firepits Suggested Activity	Summer evenings are ideal to spend around a firepit, toasting marshmallow, sharing stories, listening to music and spending quality time with each other.	Outdoors	Get Adventurous
25/08/2025	My Programme, My Say Suggested Activity	Spend some time with the group considering the activities you’ve done recently. Which activities did they enjoy and which did they enjoy less? Use these discussions to help generate ideas for future programmes. Check out our ‘Essentials’ activities to help you to do this.	Indoors	Get Involved