

BEAVERS

**Badges and activities
to do at home**



Hi everyone,

With the weekly meetings currently on hold we've put together this booklet of badges, links and fun activities that can be worked on at home.

Help your Beaver choose the one(s) that interest them most and complete all of the requirements listed. You can use email and our Facebook page to show them working on them.

Badges are flexible, and if you can show they have completed badge in their own way that's great!

Please choose to complete badges that they haven't already earned with us, If they want to do a badge they have already then they can earn an "Activity Plus" badge to go with it. Please contact us to discuss the requirements for this.

Some of the items listed will need adult help and supervision.

If you have any questions about completing a badge, or you're not sure about something, please contact us and we'll always try to help you.

Stay safe and well.



Beavers Book Reader Activity Badge



How to earn your badge

- Design a cover for your favourite book and tell your Colony, Lodge, Explorer Scout Young Leader or Beaver Leader why this book is your favourite.
- Read at least six books. Books you have read on an e-reader count too. Books read on e-book readers count too
- Show that you know how to look after a book.
- Make a bookmark and explain what bookmarks are for.

To show that your Beaver has completed the above tasks, you could post photos of them reading their chosen books, the book cover and the bookmark. You could also post a short video on our closed parent Facebook page of them telling us which is their favourite book and why, explaining how to look after a book and what bookmarks are for

Visit the page below for more details on how to complete the badge.

<https://scouts.org.uk/beavers/activity-badges/book-reader/>

Digital Citizen Staged Activity Badge



How to earn your badge

- Show that you can:
 - turn on and log into a computer
 - use a piece of software, for example email or a game
 - name the main parts of a computer system
 - connect a peripheral (for example a scanner or printer) to your computer and use it.
- Create a piece of digital media. It could be artwork, a photograph, music or animation.
- Use the internet for research:
 - decide on an area of interest
 - find three websites with content that matches your area of interest
 - collect relevant information by printing or saving as files
- Using your internet research, design a presentation and tell others about what you have found out. This could be an electronic or paper based presentation

Again you can use our Facebook page to share photo's and video's of your Beaver completing the tasks. When we return to weekly meetings your Beaver can bring in their artwork and presentation.

Visit the page below for more details on how to complete the badge.

<https://scouts.org.uk/staged-badges/digital-citizen/>

Make your own den and sleep in it



Not a badge but a lot of FUN!!

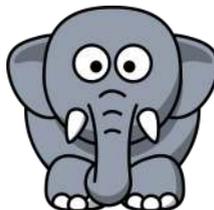
Ok so this one's from Elephant and it was one of his favourite things to do as child a long long long time ago when there was still only 3 tv channels!!!

FOX

Thanks Fox! Ok when I was about the same age as the Beavers and was stuck in doors for any reason , my brothers and I would make a den.

Sometimes we did this using chairs and blankets, sometimes we did this in our bedrooms using whatever was at hand. And sometimes we used cardboard boxes.

Why not help your Beaver's make their own den and post pictures of them on our Beaver Facebook page



Beavers Beaver Activity Badge



How to earn your badge

- Design a model of something you would like to build. The design can be on paper or a computer.
- Make a list of all the things you are going to need to build your idea.
- Build your idea using the things you need. Your model could be made using building blocks, gears or recycled items such as toilet roll tubes or cardboard boxes.
- Explain to your Lodge Leader, Explorer Scout Young Leader or Beaver Leader how long your build took to finish, if anything went wrong and what you would change if you built it again.

To show that your Beaver has completed the above tasks, you could post photos of them completing them. You could also post a short video on our closed parent Facebook page of them making the model and explaining the last task

Visit the page below for more details on how to complete the badge.

<https://scouts.org.uk/beavers/activity-badges/builder/>

Beavers Personal Challenge Award



This one is a little different....

This badge has two parts, The Leader Challenge and Their Challenge. The beavers can work on the 1st part of this whilst at home and help you too.

For a period of 2 weeks each Beaver has to help around the home with chores (supervised by you of course). Some of things they can do are to help are but not limited to :-

- washing dishes
- dusting and polishing
- tidying up
- vacuuming

Once again you can also post a short video on our closed parent Facebook page showing them working on the badge.

Visit the page below for more details on how to complete the badge.

<https://scouts.org.uk/beavers/awards/personal/>

Something Completely different



Not a badge but a lot of FUN!!

You've probably all heard of DYSON. Well James Dyson has set his engineers the task of coming up with various challenges specifically designed for children to do at home.

Use the link below to visit their page and try some of them with your Beavers. We would love to see pictures and videos on Beaver Page

<https://www.jamesdysonfoundation.co.uk/resources/challenge-cards.html>



Beavers Skills Challenge Award



This one follows on from the personal challenge

This Award is split into 4 sections with each section needing the Beaver to complete certain tasks. Here we are concentrating on sections 3 and 5 of the Award.

Section 3: Do two creative activities, these could be

- act or mime
- play a musical instrument
- make a model from salt dough
- make up a dance
- paint a picture
- make a card

Section 5: Learn and use three of these skills

- learn your own address and phone number
- tie your shoelaces
- decorate some cakes or biscuits
- set an alarm clock to get up at the right time in the morning
- fold or roll your scarf
- make your bed
- keep your bedroom tidy
- light a candle

Once again you can also post photo's or a short video on our closed parent Facebook page showing them working on the badge.

Visit the page below for more details on how to complete the badge.

<https://scouts.org.uk/beavers/awards/my-skills/>

These are just a few of the badges that the Beavers can earn.

If none of the ones we have listed interest your Beaver or they want to do more then visit the Scout Associations Page on Beavers to look at all the badges they can earn.

<https://scouts.org.uk/beavers/>

Don't forget to share photo's and video's of them having a go at the badges.

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