

Autumn Term 2026 Planner

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Meet the FAMILY

Hi there! We're Charlotte & Jamie, the husband and wife team behind the Pawprint Family and we believe in #AdventureForAll.

It's our mission to help leaders, teachers and parents save time by providing ideas and opportunities to help them deliver everyday adventure and skills for life. We do this through our family of brands; find out more below and head to the website for your next adventure!



PAWPRINT BADGES

Pawprint Badges provides thousands of free activity ideas and resources to help leaders, teachers and parents deliver fun and adventure.

Every activity helps you share skills for life and is linked to one of our pawesome embroidered badges. Build your collection and celebrate adventures, new skills and knowledge gained.

PAWPRINT TRAILS

Pawprint Trails are treasure-hunt style walks around locations in the UK. Solve puzzles, track down the answers and explore everything our great country has to offer.

From historical sights to popular culture discover something new or rediscover a love for where you live then collect the badge to remember your adventures!

Whether you're looking for the perfect addition to your next family holiday or a few hours of fun with friends; each trail can be completed in a few hours or extended with our activity suggestions in to a weekend or a week's worth of fun!

PAWPRINT TALES

Pawprint Tales are fully illustrated stories that can be enjoyed by the whole family. Join Alfie (our fox-red Labrador) on his adventures around the UK – solving puzzles, turning detective and making new friends. With twists and turns, every tale is an opportunity to discover new places, people and history without needing to leave the comfort of your own home.

Enjoy Pawprint Tales alongside your Pawprint Trails or as a standalone adventure!

PAWPRINT TRUST

Every brand in the Pawprint Family supports the Pawprint Trust with a percentage of profits from every sale providing grants to young people. We're passionate about enabling young people to access life changing adventures.

Share your adventures and join us over on our social channels for even more adventures and a nosy behind the scenes at Pawprint HQ!



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USING YOUR 2024 Seasonal Planner

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Our brand new seasonal planner lets you plan all in one place! Each month you'll find a range of religious holidays and fun days to plan your adventures around. We've also added a larger planning section and a list of suggested activities for each month to get your started! The calendar pages are coloured to identify the relevant season and we've also included badges relevant to the month so you can plan at a glance.

Calendar Key

 **National Holidays and Religious Observances**

 **Fun Holidays and Awareness Days**

 **Anniversaries and Notable Birthdays**

 **Badge and Activity Links**

 **Extra Information**

 **Seasonal Planner/Activities**



Spring



Summer



Autumn



Winter

Not Sure What The Link Is?

Check out the badge links on the pages after each calendar and if you're still unsure drop us a line:
info@pawprintfamily.com

TOP TIPS

-  Make it work for you. Use what you have and adapt activities to suit!
-  Use the planning space underneath the calendar to plan out your adventures for that month.
-  Leave a few gaps in your planning as we release new badges each month.
-  Subscribe to the Tribe News emails to keep up to date with new releases.
-  Track your badge collection using our handy 'Collection Tracker' download.

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September

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
	1	2	3	4 Eat an Extra Dessert Day	5	6 National Read a Book Day
7 National Salami Day	8	9 International Sudoku Day/ Emergency Services Day	10	11 25 Years Ago... The 9/11 attacks take place (2001).	12 Rosh Hashana (Jewish)	13 Roald Dahl Day
14	15	16	17	18 International Equal Pay Day	19 International Talk Like a Pirate Day	20 World Clean Up Day
21 International Day of Peace	22 Mabon (Pagan)	23 International Day of Sign Language	24 World Marmite Day	25 National Doodle Day	26	27
28	29 30 Years Ago... Nintendo launch the N64 and changed the world of gaming (1996).	30				

September planner



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September

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Seasonal Planner/Activities

31st Aug-6th Sept - Reading Challenge

- Make a piece of bookish art for your wall.
- Plan a menu inspired by one or more of your favourite books.
- Write a story together adding one word each as you go around the circle.
- Record your own audio book.

7th-13th - People Who Help Us Challenge

- Craft a pretend first aid kit using card, felt and recycled materials.
- Host a special buffet and invite community helpers to enjoy some food as a thank you for all the amazing things they do.
- Name as many 'People Who Help Us'.
- Visit your local post office to see how letters are sorted and sent.

14th-20th - Pirate Adventures

- Make your own pirate fancy dress.
- Make some foody ships/boats.
- Play life size battle ships.
- Find out about some famous pirates.
- Learn to speak like a pirate.
- Design and create a pirate flag.

21st-27th - Art Challenge

- Have a go with clay and make a pot.
- Use food to make art.
- Have a game of colour BINGO using the free resource on our website.
- Learn about a famous artist, when they lived and the artwork they made.
- Test out different art materials to make something of your choice.

28th-4th Oct - Gaming Challenge

- Make a Lego® face using ice lolly sticks and paper facial features.
- Make an edible scene from your favourite video game.
- Play a real life game of Pac-Man®.
- Visit a local arcade and have a go at some of the games.

Links

World Fun Fair Month

- Theme Park Challenge

4th - Eat an Extra Dessert Day

- Cake Challenge
- Ice Cream Challenge

6th - National Read a Book Day

- Reading Challenge

7th - National Salami Day

- Italy Challenge

9th - Emergency Services Day

- People Who Help Us Challenge

9th - International Sudoku Day

- Games Challenge

18th - 27th - GB Beach Clean

- Too Cool For School - Beach
- Seaside Challenge

19th - Int'l Talk Like A Pirate Day

- Pirate Adventures

22nd - Mabon

- Wheel of the Year - Mabon

23rd - Int'l Day of Sign Languages

- Spy Adventures
- Octopus Challenge
- Hear Challenge

25th - National Doodle Day

- Art Challenge

29th - Nintendo 64 Launch 30th Anniversary

- Gaming Challenge



Extra info!

- World Fun Fair Month
- Heritage Open Days (11th-20th)
- Jeans for Genes (14th-20th)
- National Coding Week (14th-20th)
- Great British Beach Clean (18th-27th)
- Wool Week (27th-3rd Oct)



October

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
			1  World Vegetarian Day	2  World Farm Animals Day/World Smile Day	3 Shemini Atzeret (Jewish)	4
5  World Habitat Day/World Teacher's Day/National Badger Day	6	7 40 Years Ago... The Independent newspaper is founded (1986).	8  World Octopus Day	9  World Egg Day	10	11
12	13	14  100 Years Ago... Winnie the Pooh was published (1926). National Fossil Day	15	16	17	18
19	20  International Chef's Day	21	22	23	24	25  World Pasta Day/Clocks Go Back
26	27  National Black Cat Day	28  National Chocolate Day	29	30	31  Halloween (Secular)/Samhain	

October planner



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October

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28th Sept-4th Oct - Veggie Challenge

- Make your own vegetable garden using craft paper and recycled materials.
- Whip up a warming soup using your favourite vegetables.
- Name as many vegetables as you can.
- Write a poem or a song about the different types of vegetables.

5th-11th - Octopus Adventures

- Bubble paint with straws.
- Peel oranges to look like octopuses.
- Make an octo-pizza.
- Use a straw to move as many peas as you can from one bowl to another in 1 minute.
- Find out some Octopus fun facts.

12th-18th - Big Dig Adventures

- Cut some fossil shapes into a potato and get involved with some potato printing.
- Hold a fossil themed buffet.
- Complete a fossil scavenger hunt.
- Join/volunteer to take part in an archaeological dig.
- Write your own story about an archaeologist or palaeontologist.

19th-25th - Master Chef Challenge

- Create your own master chef hat.
- Use an ingredient you have never used before in a recipe of your choice.
- Watch an episode of your favourite cooking programme.
- Write your own recipe.
- Table setting races! Who can set the table for dinner the fastest?

26th-1st Nov - Halloween

- Make a pumpkin shaped pinata.
- Dip your own toffee apples.
- Race your way through a spider web obstacle course.
- Find out about Samhain or complete the Samhain badge.

Links

Black History Month

- Black History Month
- Rosa Parks Challenge

1st - World Vegetarian Day

- Veggie Challenge

2nd - World Farm Animals Day

- Farm Challenge

5th - National Badger Day

- Badger Challenge

8th - World Octopus Day

- Octopus Challenge
- World Oceans Day
- Aquarium Challenge

9th - World Egg Day

- Eggellent Challenge

14th - National Fossil Day

- Big Dig Adventures

20th - International Chef's Day

- Master Chef Challenge

25th - World Pasta Day

- Italy Challenge
- Pasta Challenge

27th - National Black Cat Day

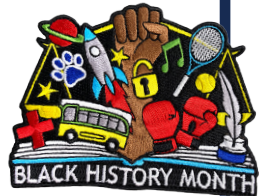
- Purrrrrfect Challenge

28th - National Chocolate Day

- Chocolate Challenge
- Chocolate Factory Challenge

31st - Halloween

- Halloween Challenge



Extra info!

- Black History Month
- ADHD Awareness Month
- The Big Draw (find out more at www.thebigdraw.org)
- National Baking Week (14th-20th)
- Invisible Disability Week (18th-24th)



November

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
30 St Andrews Day (Scotland)						1 World Vegan Day Samhain
2 Dia de los Muertos/Day of the Dead (Mexico)	3 World Sandwich Day	4	5 Bonfire Night (Secular)	6	7	8 Remembrance Sunday/Diwali (Hindu)
9	10	11 Armistice Day	12	13 World Kindness Day	14 World Diabetes Day	15
16 25 years ago... Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone was released in cinemas (2001).	17 Take a Hike Day/ Homemade Bread Day	18	19 20 years ago... The Wii gaming console was released by Nintendo (2006).	20 World Children's Day	21 World Television Day	22
23	24	25	26 Thanksgiving (USA)	27	28	29

November planner



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November

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26th Oct-1st Nov - Grow Your Own Challenge

- Grow your own cress egg head.
- Blend fruits and vegetables into a delicious smoothie or freeze them to make some refreshing ice lollies.
- Play a game of Fruit Salad.
- Watch a time-lapse video of a plant growing from a seed.

2nd-8th - Remembrance Day Challenge

- Make your own medal using clay or card.
- Find out about the 'ban the bomb' symbol.
- Play a trading game with rations/food.
- Visit one of the Imperial War Museums.
- Find out why we use the poppy as a symbol of remembrance.

9th-15th - Kindness Challenge

- Make or decorate a postcard and send it.
- Bake biscuits or cakes to give to friends.
- Take turns in a game or let someone else have a go before you.
- Discuss: what is kindness?
- Donate unwanted items to a local charity.

16th-22nd - Wizarding Adventures

- Try your hand at a woodcraft and whittle your own wand.
- Whip up your own batch of Butterbeer.
- Hold a Wizarding Quiz and test your knowledge.
- Write your own magical charms or spells.
- Host a Wizarding party.

23rd-29th - USA Challenge

- Build a totem pole and find out about the origins of these sculptures.
- Bake some traditional American sugar cookies topped with sprinkles!
- Find the British translations in our Americanisms Wordsearch resource.
- Make a timeline to learn more about the history of the USA.

Links

1st - Samhain

- Samhain Challenge

1st - World Vegan Day

- Grow Your Own Challenge

2nd - Day of the Dead

- Day of the Dead Challenge

3rd - World Sandwich Day

- Picnic Challenge

5th - Bonfire Night

- Bonfire Night

4th-10th - Children's Book Week

- Reading Challenge

9th - Remembrance Sunday

- Remembrance Day Challenge

13th - World Kindness Day

- Kindness Challenge

16th - Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone 25th Anniversary

- Wizarding Adventures

17th - Take a Hike Day

- Walking Challenge

17th - Homemade Bread Day

- Star Baker Challenge

17th-23rd - Road Safety Week

- Transport Challenge

21st - World Television Day

- Media Challenge

27th - Thanksgiving

- United States of America



Extra info!

- Children's Book Week (4th-10th)
- International Week of Science and Peace (9th-15th)
- Anti-Bullying Week (16th-20th)
- Road Safety Week (15th-21st)
- World Vegan Month



December

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
	1 Christingle	2	3	4 National Cookie Day	5 125 years ago... Walt Disney is born in Chicago, Illinois (1960). Hanukkah (Jewish)	6
7	8 Bodhi Day (Buddhist)	9	10	11 International Mountain Day	12 Gingerbread House Day	13
14 Monkey Day	15	16	17	18	19	20 80 years ago... It's a Wonderful Life premiered in New York City (1946). Games Day
21 World Basketball Day	22	23	24	25 Christmas Day (Christian/Secular)	26 Kwanzaa/Boxing Day (Secular)	27
28	29	30	31 New Year's Eve			

December planner



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December

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Seasonal Planner/Activities

30th Nov-6th Dec - Christingle Challenge

- Create a candle for your Christingle.
- Prepare a dish of your choice using oranges to enjoy with friends or family.
- Have a relay to see who can build their Christingle the fastest.
- Watch a video of a Christingle service.
- Read a book about Cristingle.

7th-13th - Gingerbread Challenge

- Build a gingerbread house.
- Whip up a gingerbread martini mocktail full of gingery goodness.
- Help the gingerbread man find his way back home with our Gingerbread Maze. Available on our website for free.
- Discover the history of gingerbread.

14th-20th - Monkey Challenge

- Make your very own sock monkey.
- Mix up some Chunky Monkey milkshakes with chocolate ice cream, banana and peanut butter.
- Pin the tail on the monkey.
- Read a monkey themed story.
- Visit a tree top adventure course and swing in the trees.

21st-27th - Christmas Challenge

- Make an advent wreath with candles.
- Create a star tree topper.
- Enjoy a 12 course meal to represent the 12 apostles.
- Have a game of J is for Jesus.
- Put on a nativity play.

28th-3rd Jan - New Year Challenge

- Make your own New Year's Eve wish hand.
- Craft a new year lantern.
- Make corn bread to symbolise gold, as is tradition in the USA.
- Have a 'Quiz of the Year' - who, what when, etc. but only from the past year.

Links

1st - Christingle

- Christingle Challenge

4th - National Cookie Day

- Biscuit Challenge

5th - Hanukkah

- Hanukkah Challenge

5th - Walt Disney's Birthday

- Cinema Challenge
- Theme Park Challenge

11th - Int'l Mountain Day

- Walking Challenge
- Mountains Collection
- Time Outside Challenge

12th - Gingerbread House Day

- Gingerbread Challenge

14th - Monkey Day

- Monkey Challenge

20th - Games Day

- Games Challenge

21st - World Basketball Day

- Keep Moving Challenge

25th - Christmas Day

- Christmas Challenge
- Elf Challenge
- Christmas Post Challenge

26th - Kwanzaa

- Kwanzaa Challenge

31st - New Year's Eve

- New Year Challenge



Extra info!

- BADGEVENT!! Join the Pawprint Family for a magical, badge-filled Advent!
- Decembeard (from Bowel Cancer UK)
- Illuminated Street Week (2nd-8th)
- Nat'l Grief Awareness Week (2nd-8th)

Adventure Complete?

Reward your young adventurers with their badges to mark their achievements!

Head to the website to bag yours, download certificates and discover even more adventures!



Create a Keepsake!

Experienced adventure? Made memories? Then it's time to create a keepsake! Our Pawprint Family camp blankets are the perfect place to sew your badges and look back on them for years to come.



Personalise it!

Got your camp blanket? Then it's time to make it yours! Our alphabet badges are big, bright and bold...the perfect addition to your camp blanket, hoodies, bags and more. What will you personalise first?



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We're all about added value here at Pawprint Family. In addition to the 1000s of free activity ideas and resources you'll find loyalty stickers in every order and you can claim Children's University learning hours too!



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