

**PAWPRINT
BADGES**

Museum Challenge



From Science and Natural History to Art and Chocolate...
There is estimated to be around 2,500 museums in the UK and this challenge pack just scratches the surface of the things you might see. Ready? Let's go!

For even more programme ideas check out our 'Museum' board over on www.Pinterest.com/PawprintFamily

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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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HOW TO: Use Your Challenge Pack



This Challenge Pack has been divided into 4 sections: Craft, Food, Games and Other. In order to help you provide a balanced and varied programme for your young adventurers we recommend that the following number of activities are completed by each age group:

Age 3 - 5							Craft	Food	Games	Other	PICK
Age 5 - 7											
Age 7 - 11		+									
Age 11 - 14		+									
Age 14 - 18		+									
Age 18+		+									

Leaders, Teachers & Parents
Award yourselves a badge for supporting your young adventurers in their activities!

TOP TIPS

- Adapt activities as necessary to meet your needs.
- Add your own activity ideas or develop them into projects.
- Use what you have; don't buy in lots of new materials/equipment.
- No need to send us evidence, responsible grown-ups decide when the badge has been earned.
- One challenge badge can take as long as you like; from a few hours to days or even a full term!

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Craft

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ADMIT ONE Make your own museum in a shoebox. What will you choose to exhibit?

ADMIT ONE Put together a costume and dress up like something you might find in a museum such as an Egyptian mummy, someone from the Victorian era, or even a dinosaur skeleton.

ADMIT ONE Craft your own museum tickets. Why not use the Design Your Own Tickets resource on our website to help you get started?

ADMIT ONE Paint your own masterpiece fit to display in an art gallery.

Did you know?

The Louvre in Paris is the largest art gallery in the world and is home to around 35,000 pieces of art - including the famous 'Mona Lisa' by Leonardo da Vinci.

ADMIT ONE Try your hand at an old fashioned craft that you might see in a museum. Why not try making your own paper doll or learning how to knit a shawl?

ADMIT ONE Model your own dinosaur skeleton. Can you learn the names of the different bones for your Other challenge?

ADMIT ONE Have a go at pressing flowers in order to preserve them.

ADMIT ONE Make a plane out of junk model materials.

Did you know?

The Imperial War Museum was set up during World War One to record the experience of people living through war and conflict. Now there are 5 branches, including IWM Duxford where you can get up close to historic aircraft and even see some of them fly.

ADMIT ONE The Bayeux Tapestry can be seen in a museum in Normandy, France. It's 70 meters long and was made in the 11th century. Have a go at embroidery or design your own tapestry that tells a story.

ADMIT ONE Create a collage with tickets you've collected from different museums.

ADMIT ONE Design a poster to advertise a museum. Why not tell people what they can see at your local museum, or set up your own museum for your friends and family to visit? You could even make a visitors' book for people to sign.

ADMIT ONE A zoetrope is a type of old fashioned animation that is often found in museums, where a sequence of images are viewed through slits in a spinning cylinder. Have a go at making your own zoetrope or flip book.



Food

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ADMIT ONE

Put together a packed lunch for a trip to the museum.

ADMIT ONE

Have a go at following an old recipe, such as one for a wartime treat from the days of ration books.

ADMIT ONE

Taste test some old fashioned food such as Spam® or aniseed balls. Do you like them? How are they similar or different to the food you eat today?

ADMIT ONE

Make an edible museum.

Here's an idea!

Why not make an exhibition of your favourite foods, or lots of foods that share the same colour. You could even recreate a museum that you've visited using only edible materials.

ADMIT ONE

Bake bread in the shape of a museum of your choice. The architecture of museums can be very different. For example, the Louvre has big glass pyramids outside but the British Museum has lots of pillars.

ADMIT ONE

Decorate a cake to look like an artefact that you found in a museum.

ADMIT ONE

Construct a dinosaur skeleton from the popular twig shaped savoury snacks.

ADMIT ONE

Paint your own edible masterpieces with colourful icing and construct an art gallery exhi-biscuit wall.

ADMIT ONE

Make aeroplane propeller marshmallow pops. Head to our 'Museum' Pinterest board to find out how to make this delicious snack.

ADMIT ONE

Try making a local recipe that would feature in a museum about the town, city or county that you live in.

Did you know?

Staffordshire is known for its oatcakes which are a bit like savory pancakes. Similarly, the Cowper and Newton museum in Olney, Buckinghamshire has information about the pancake race tradition that originated in the town.

ADMIT ONE

Learn how to conduct some food based science experiments like the ones you might see demonstrated at a science museum. Why not have a go at using vinegar to make a bouncy egg?

ADMIT ONE

Visit a food themed museum, such as Cadbury World in Birmingham or the Wensleydale Creamery Visitor Centre in North Yorkshire.



Games

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- ADMIT ONE** Have a game of I Spy... during a trip to a museum.
- ADMIT ONE** Play 'I went to the museum and I saw a...' as a twist on the classic alphabet memory game played in a group.
- ADMIT ONE** Try some old fashioned games such as Victorian hoop rolling, or Cribbage.
- ADMIT ONE** Complete a treasure hunt in a museum.

For Leaders!

You could provide a photo trail or a list of questions to your adventurers. Then they can look for the artifacts in the photos or the answers to the questions as they explore the museum. Why not award points or prizes to the player or team that finds the most?

- ADMIT ONE** How many types of museum can you name in one minute? Why not take on more rounds to name the artifacts you might find in each type?
- ADMIT ONE** Take part in a toilet roll wrapping race to make your own Egyptian mummies.
- ADMIT ONE** Complete our Howard's Hieroglyphs resource to discover this ancient alphabet. Why not count this towards your Howard Carter Challenge too?
- ADMIT ONE** Museums exhibit artifacts that each have their own history. Collectively, these objects and individual stories fit together to tell a bigger story about a subject or period of time. Complete a jigsaw to piece together a picture.
- ADMIT ONE** Test your fine-motor skills in an astronaut themed game involving gloves.
- ADMIT ONE** Sort some household waste into the correct bins. Younger adventurers could sort by whether things can be recycled or not and older adventurers could separate by materials.

Why?

'Treasure in the Trash by Nelson Molina' is a museum in New York City that exhibits a huge collection of items that people have thrown away.

- ADMIT ONE** For your Craft challenge, have a go at constructing your own miniature trebuchet, similar to one you might find at a medieval museum such as Warwick Castle. Then see how far you can launch your payload. Why not go head to head with a friend to see who can make the best trebuchet?
- ADMIT ONE** Dig for dinosaur bones in a natural history themed sensory activity.



Other

-  Take a trip to a museum.
-  Put together a time capsule that describes what your life is like. What will people learn about us during a trip to a museum in a few decades or even centuries time?
-  Create your own museum and tell a story with objects. How do these artifacts describe or represent your subject?
-  Write a review for your local museum. What did you enjoy and why should other people visit?
-  Plan a trip to a museum. Think about how you'll get there, what time you'll need to leave and how much money the tickets will cost.
-  Anne Frank's diary has been translated into more than 70 languages as an account of people's experiences during World War Two. The original copy is on display in her house which has been turned into a museum. Start writing your own diary to document your life, or have a go at reading Anne's.
-  Coins are often found in museums and The Royal Mint Museum's collection includes over 80,000. Have a look at some old or foreign currency. How is it different to the money you use?
-  Make a timeline of the key events in your life.
-  Watch 'Night at the Museum' or a similar film or television programme.
-  Read a book about a museum, or have a go at writing your own museum story. Why not make some illustrations for your Craft challenge?
-  Visit an antiques shop or village.
-  Find out some extra facts about something that you saw during a trip to the museum. Which was your favourite exhibition and what would you like to learn more about?
-  Make a donation to the museum that you visit if you're able to. Lots of museums are free to enter in the UK, but they rely on the donations of visitors to maintain their exhibitions.
-  How many types of bird can you name? The Natural History Museum in London is home to a total 2,500,000 birds of over 9,000 different types; holding the Guinness World Record for the largest collection of birds.

Adventure Complete?

Reward your young adventurers with their Museum Challenge badge 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?



Even More Rewards!

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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