

**PAWPRINT
FAMILY**

Autumn Term 2024 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**

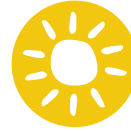
 **Badge and Activity Links**

 **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
30						1
2	3	4 <small>60 Years Ago... The Forth Road Bridge, near Edinburgh, officially opened (1964).</small>	5  International Day of Charity (UN)	6	7  National Cinema Day	8
9	10	11	12	13  Roald Dahl Day	14 National Doodle Day	15
16	17 Mid-Autumn (Mooncake) Festival (Chinese/ Taoist)	18	19  Youth Mental Health Day / International Talk Like a Pirate Day	20  World Paella Day	21  Mabon (Pagan)	22
23  International Day of Sign Language	24	25	26	27  National Doodle Day/World Tourism Day (UN)	28 <small>101 Years Ago... Radio Times magazine published their very first issue (1923).</small>	29 International Day of Awareness of Food Loss and Waste

September planner



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September

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Seasonal Planner/Activities

2nd-8th - Cinema Challenge

- Create your own movie themed invites.
- Pop your own popcorn.
- Play a game of movie bingo.
- Host a movie night with friends or family.
- Have a go at creating your own props or take a look at how special effects are created.

9th-15th - Reading Challenge

- Make a puppet and use it to tell your favourite story.
- Create your own Holes and make crumpets inspired by Louis Sachar's book.
- Write a story together in a group.
- Turn your favourite story in to a song, rap or dance.
- Go on a word hunt at the shops.

16th-22nd - Spain Challenge

- Whip up some tapas.
- Make a traditional Spanish paella.
- Read a travel guide or watch a documentary about Spain.
- Decorate a Talavera tile.
- Visit a Spanish restaurant.

23rd-29th - Hear Challenge

- Identify foods with sound alone.
- Use food to recreate sound waves.
- Visit a hearing clinic for a hearing test.
- Investigate how the ear works.
- Discover how speech can be affected by hearing loss.

30th-6th Oct - Badger Challenge

- Create your own woodland bunting.
- Watch a black and white film.
- Go on a walk and create a badger picture from found objects and natural materials.
- Gather berries and bake a seasonal treat such as crumble or pie.
- Badgers are defensive and brave. Play a game of capture the flag.

Links

5th - Int'l Day of Charity

- Fundraising
- Den Day Challenge

7th - National Cinema Day

- Cinema Challenge

13th - Roald Dahl Day

- Reading Challenge

20th - 29th - GB Beach Clean

- Too Cool For School - Beach
- Summer Challenge
- Seaside Challenge

16th - 22nd - National Coding Week

- Coding Challenge
- Spy Adventures

19th - Int'l Talk Like A Pirate Day

- Pirate Adventures

19th - Youth Mental Health Day

- Mindfulness & Wellbeing Challenge

20th - World Paella Day

- Spain Challenge

21st - Mabon

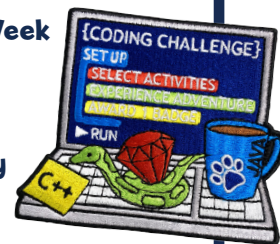
- Wheel of the Year - Mabon
- Autumn Challenge

23rd - Int'l Day of Sign Languages

- Spy Adventures
- Octopus Challenge
- Hear Challenge

27th - National Doodle Day

- Art Challenge



Extra info!

- World Fun Fair Month
- National Cake Week (5th-11th)
- Jeans for Genes (16th-22nd)
- National Coding Week (16th-22nd)
- Great British Beach Clean (20th-29th)
- Cycle to School Week (23rd-27th)



October

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
	1	2	3 Rosh Hashanah (Jewish)	4	5 World Teacher's Day	6 National Badger Day/National Noodle Day
7 World Habitat Day (UN)	8 World Octopus Day	9 20 Years Ago... The Scottish Parliament building in Edinburgh is opened. (2004).	10	11 World Egg Day/ Local Radio Day	12	13
14	15	16 National Fossil Day (USA)	17 Sukkot (Jewish)	18	19	20 International Chef's Day
21	22	23	24	25 World Pasta Day	26 National Pumpkin Day	27 Clocks Go Back
28 National Chocolate Day	29	30	31 Diwali (Hindu)/ Halloween (Secular) World Cities Day			

October planner



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October

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Seasonal Planner/Activities

7th-13th - Octopus Challenge

- 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 using suction.
- Find out some Octopus fun facts.

14th-20th - Space Adventures

- Create a toilet roll tube constellation torch to shine on the wall.
- Bake some cake pop planets.
- Act out a space walk.
- Have a game of Saturn ring hoopla.
- Watch a space-themed film.

16th-22nd - Pumpkin Challenge

- Carve a face in a pumpkin.
- Make some pumpkin soup.
- Play pumpkin pairs with our free resource.
- Play 'Spin a Pumpkin' using our free resource.
- Plant pumpkin seeds.

21st-27th - Italy Challenge

- Draw a picture of a gondala.
- Build the Rialto Bridge using bread sticks.
- Learn some words in Italian.
- Host your own carnival themed party inspired by The Carnival of Venice or Carnevale.
- Paint a picture in the style of Leonardo da Vinci.

28th-3rd Nov - Halloween

- Make a pumpkin shaped pinata for your Halloween celebrations.
- Dip your own toffee apples.
- Race your way through a spider web obstacle course.
- Find out about Samhain or complete the Samhain badge.
- Mummify a friend in toilet roll!

Links

Black History Month

- Black History Month

4th-10th - World Space Week

- Space Adventures
- Astronaut Adventures

6th - National Badger Day

- Badger Challenge

8th - World Octopus Day

- Octopus Challenge

11th - World Egg Day

- Eggellent Challenge

11th - Local Radio Day

- Media Challenge

14th-20th - Week of Baking

- Star Baker Challenge

16th - National Fossil Day

- Big Dig Adventures

20th - International Chef's Day

- Master Chef Challenge

25th - World Pasta Day

- Italy Challenge

26th - National Pumpkin Day

- Pumpkin Challenge
- Autumn 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 Brunch Weekend (7th-8th)
- Recycle Week (16th-22nd)



November

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
				1 Samhain (Pagan) Diwali (Sikh)	2 100 years ago... The Sunday Express became the first newspaper to publish a crossword (1924).	3 World Sandwich Day
4	5 Bonfire Night (Secular)	6 National Nacho Day	7	8	9 British Pudding Day	10
11 Remembrance Day	12 Odd Socks Day	13 World Kindness Day	14	15 Children in Need	16	17 10 years ago... Band Aid 30 released their cover of 'Do They Know It's Christmas?' to raise money for the Ebola crisis (2014).
18	19 National Play Monopoly Day	20	21 World Television Day	22	23	24
25	26	27	28 Thanksgiving (USA)	29 National Day of Listening	30 St Andrews Day (Scotland)	

November planner



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28th Oct-3rd Nov - Diwali Challenge

- Make a Diwali lamp (diya).
- Make an edible rangoli pattern.
- Have a game of Tambola (Indian Bingo) using numbers 1-90.
- Prepare for Diwali and help with cleaning.
- Read the story of Rama and Sita (the Diwali Story) and act it out.

4th-10th - Remembrance Day Challenge

- Make a peace dove using our free resource.
- Find out about the work of the Ministry of Food and create your own wartime poster.
- Play a game of football.
- Write your own war/peace poems.
- Find out why we use the poppy as a symbol of remembrance.

11th-17th - 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.

18th-24th - Media Challenge

- Design a character for a new kid's TV show.
- Invent your own TV style game show - why not play it with family/friends?
- Visit a local TV station.
- Check out some TV bloopers.
- Cook up your own TV treats and pretend to film a TV cooking show.

25th-1st Dec - St. Andrew's Day

- Design your own building like Charles Rennie Mackintosh.
- Discover how haggis is made.
- St. Andrew was a fisherman, make a fish dish or learn how to fillet a fish.
- Host your own talent show.
- The telephone was invented in Scotland, try different methods of communication.

Links

1st - Samhain

- Wheel of the Year - Samhain

1st - Diwali

- Diwali Challenge

3rd - World Sandwich Day

- Picnic Challenge

5th - Bonfire Night

- Bonfire Night

4th-10th - Children's Book Week

- Reading Challenge

9th-15th - Int'l Week of Science and Peace

- S.T.E.M Challenge

11th - Remembrance Day

- Remembrance Day Challenge

13th - World Kindness Day

- Kindness Challenge
- Kindness Award

15th - BBC Children In Need

- Fundraising

17th-23rd - Road Safety Week

- Transport Challenge
- Hedgehog Challenge

21st - World Television Day

- Media Challenge

29th - National Day of Listening

- Hear Challenge

30th - St. Andrew's Day

- St. Andrew's Day Challenge



Extra info!

- Children's Book Week (4th-10th).
- International Week of Science and Peace (9th-15th).
- Anti-Bullying Week (11th-15th).
- BBC Children In Need (15th).
- Road Safety Week (17th-23rd).



December

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
30	31  New Year's Eve					1  Christingle
2 English Breakfast Day (UK)	3 80 years ago... The Home Guard is stood down - World War II (1944).	4  National Tree Dressing Day/ National Cookie Day	5  On this day... American film producer, Walt Disney was born in Chicago, Illinois (1901). World Soil Day (UN)	6	7	8
9	10 Human Rights Day	11  International Mountain Day	12  Christmas Jumper Day/ Gingerbread House Day	13  National Hot Chocolate Day	14  Monkey Day	15
16	17 10 years ago... Libby Lane becomes the first woman to become a bishop of The Church of England since the change of the canon law.	18	19	20  Games Day	21	22
23	24	25  Christmas Day (Christian/ Secular)	26  Kwanzaa/ Hanukkah (Jewish)/ Boxing Day (Secular)	27	28	29

December planner



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30th Nov-1st 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.

2nd-8th - Biscuit Challenge

- Build and decorate a gingerbread house.
- Make your own Jenga with biscuits.
- Bake some biscuits and sell them to raise money for a charity.
- Experiment: Which biscuit is best for dunking?
- Create your own biscuit packaging. Take a look at existing branding and create an updated version.

9th-15th - Monkey Challenge

- Make a monkey mask.
- Cook some chocolate bananas on a fire.
- Mix up some 'Chunky Monkey' popcorn.
- Try tail bowling with a tennis ball and a pair of tights (see challenge pack for info).
- Learn to tie a Monkey's Fist knot.

16th-22nd - Kwanzaa Challenge

- Create a kinara, candle holder.
- Gather for a feast on 31st December, known as a Karamu.
- Create a game based on the 7 principles of Kwanzaa.
- Learn a traditional African dance.
- Create a kente cloth pattern.

23rd-29th - 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.

Links

1st - Christingle

- [Christingle Challenge](#)

4th - National Cookie Day

- [Biscuit Challenge](#)

5th - World Soil Day

- [Virtual Botanical Adventure](#)

11th - Int'l Mountain Day

- [Walking Challenge](#)
- [Mountains Collection](#)

12th - Gingerbread House Day

- [Gingerbread Challenge](#)

12th - Christmas Jumper Day

- [Christmas Jumper Day Challenge](#)

13th - Hot Chocolate Day

- [Chocolate Challenge](#)
- [Hot Chocolate Challenge](#)

14th - Monkey Day

- [Monkey Challenge](#)

20th - Games Day

- [Games Challenge](#)

25th - Christmas Day

- [Christmas Challenge](#)
- [Elf Challenge](#)

26th - Kwanzaa

- [Kwanzaa Challenge](#)

26th - Hanukkah

- [Hanukkah 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).
- Nat'l Tree Week (23rd Nov-1st Dec).
- 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?



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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