

Young Men Activity Ideas List

The following lists were compiled from church resources, merit badges, and ideas from around the Stake. Please adapt to your own situation, and share with us your own ideas!

- Activity Planning Suggestion:
 - Quorum Presidencies prayerfully create 2-3 quorum goals per quarter
 - Activities center on accomplishing these goals as a quorum
 - Ex. "In preparation for summer camp, everyone will learn to start a fire and cook a meal on their own."
 - Rewards for accomplishment make it fun!

Physical Activities

Archery, Climbing, Biking, Backpacking, Canoeing, Fishing, Hiking, Horse Riding, Lifesaving/Swimming, Rowing, Shooting, Skating, Sports, Disc Golf, Bowling, Volleyball- Indoor/Sand, Nature Walk, Exercise Competition, Sports Tournament, 5K or Color Run, Swing Dance Lesson, Quorum/Class 5k Challenge, Attend a Sports Game of a Quorum or Class Member, Service and Shooting (cleaning up trash in shooting areas, then shooting), Self Defense Night, Yoga, HIIT, or Pilates, Weight Lifting, Handyman on Demand (service projects for elderly members), Learn to cook, Home Maintenance Skills, Learn first-aid and outdoor survival skills, Learn to safely use basic garden and home tools

Spiritual Activities

Genealogy, Public Speaking, Random Acts of Kindness, Visit Elderly, Evening on the BofM, Improve Teaching Skills, Mini Missions, Mission Memories and Meals, Role Play as Missionaries, Multi Cultural Night, Family Home Evening Practice, Fatherhood Panel Discussion, Motherhood Panel Discussion, Prep for Temple Ordinances, Scripture Study Skills, Learn church technologies, Talk about Family Traditions, Family Story Night, Emotional Health Night, Emergency Prep Night, Hike to the Devotional, Faith Walk, Talk About Bible Customs, Standards Night, Reenact Scenes of BofM, General Conference Quote Game, Scripture games, Standards Games, Youth Choir, Memorize The Living Christ, Actual, Real Missionary Work, Live Like a Missionary Day, Temple Baptisms, Indexing Games, Seminary or Institute Tour, Baking Bread for the Sacrament, Bishopric Service (make dinner for the bishopric), Serve the Primary Chorister (substitute teach Primary singing time), Knots, Fishing, and Fishers of Men, Learn and live "My Gospel Standards", Learn the Articles of Faith, Improve Prayers, Thank Heavenly Father for blessings, Keep the Sabbath Day holy, Serve someone, Do Family History, Learn a Primary Song, Prepare for patriarchal blessing, Worthily receive and hold a temple recommend, Work on family history and serve in the temple, Express gratitude daily, Keep a commandment more completely, Study the life of Christ, Worthily partake of the sacrament each week, Participate in seminary, Discover and develop spiritual gifts

Intellectual Activities

Aviation, Crime, Dentistry, Business, American Culture, Animation, Art, Auto Maintenance, Chemistry, Dog Care, Electricity, Engineering, Energy, Fire Safety, Home Repair, Law, Movie Making, Photography, Plumbing, Robotics, Welding, Wilderness Survival, Woodworking, Career Night, Visit a College, Job Searching, Money Matters, Learn About Nutrition, CPR, Internet Safety, Learn to Conduct Music, Learn to Dance, 3D Printing and Service, Portraits and Perfection (photography), Stocks and Self-Reliance, Career Month (featuring people from different professions), College Tour, CPR & First Aid Night, Learn about Tithing, Improve Reading Skills, Learn How to Be Safe Online, Learn Something New, Attend or Watch Cultural Events, Learn about Different Jobs, Learn about People You Admire, Learn How to Make Good Choices, Improve Memory, Learn a New Language, Write a Story, Improve reading and writing skills, Develop good study habits, Find out what you need to do to get a good job, and start working toward that goal, Learn more about something you are interested in, Talk with people you admire, Learn how to manage money wisely, Study a gospel topic in depth, Learn basic job skills, Attend cultural events, Learn another language, Become more self-reliant, Learn and practice principles of self-discipline

Social Activities

Odessa Hockey Game, Rockhounds Baseball, Attend Football Game of YM, Horseshoes, Mini Golf, Go-Kart Racing, Shooting, Pottery Making, Attend a Play, Presidential Museum, Petroleum Museum, CAF, OC Rodeo, Attend a free Art gallery, Ellen Noel Museum, Circus, Speed Friending, Beautify a Home, Christmas Giving, Food Drive, Make Sweets and Distribute, Scavenger Hunt, Cook-Off, Home Painting, Building Self Confidence Activities, Daddy Daughter/ Son Mother Date, Dating Panel, Follower and Guide, Group Dating Ideas, Manners Dinner, See-Tell-Create, Service Auction, Unbirthday party, Game Night, Outdoor Cooking, Make Cook Books of Unique Youth "Recipes", Attend a Concert, Create a Play for Children to Watch, Make a Movie for Children to Watch, Cultural Music Night, Photo Contest, Talent Show, Iron Chef and Positivity, Bring a Friend Day, Parent Date, Never Have I Ever, Service Scavenger Hunt (with a cool app), Where's Waldo (at the mall), Cinnamon Roll Army, Learn about the Family, Show Love to Your Family, Learn "How to Win Friends and Influence People"--Dale Carnegie, Learn about Other Cultures, Serve Your Neighbors, Learn to Apologize and Forgive, Learn about Your Community, Make a New Friend, Speak Kind Words, Control Your Temper, Welcome Others, Pay more attention to the needs of others, Learn to listen well and express ideas clearly, Love and serve people around you, Spend time with family, Prepare to be a spouse and parent, Develop resilience, Get involved in school or community activities, Find ways to care for the poor, Learn to apologize, Learn to forgive, Speak and act kindly, and avoid gossip.