

WEEK ONE

**CALLING
ALL AGENTS**

SNACKS MONDAY

BIBLE STORY: 1 KINGS 17: 8-24

DAILY THEME: AGENTS ACCEPT

SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR: Singing Biscuits

- Biscuit dough (store bought or can make homemade).
- Pans (# of pans you need depends on how many campers in each group)
- Parchment paper (to layer the pan with)
- Marker (to write names)
- Jelly
- Honey
- Butter

PREPARATION:

Measure your parchment paper and place on pans so they are ready to go. If you already know campers names for the first rotation, you can write their names on the paper, spaced out.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Give each camper a piece of biscuit to make. Have them form it into any shape they want. As they are forming their biscuits, sing this song with them (by Carolyn Warvel)

One, two, God loves you!
Three, four, do it some more.
Five, six, knead and mix.
Seven, eight, God is great!
Nine, ten, say amen!

Once they are finished shaping their biscuit, have them bring it to a leader to place on the pan. Bake according to directions on the package. Play the game while the biscuits are cooking, but make sure to set a timer so you don't burn the biscuits. Once the biscuits are golden brown, let them sit for a few minutes to cool. Then invite campers to come back to the eating area, sing a grace together and then let them add butter, jelly and/or honey to their

biscuit. Enjoy.

***PRAYER: The Hakuna Matata Grace
(Lion King Movie)***

It's time for snack, what a wonderful phrase, it's time for snack, ain't no passing "CRAZE". We'll be thanking God for the rest of our days. It's our problem freeeeee, philosophyyyy, it's time for a snack!. Thank you God (x4)

DRAG BIG

What did Elijah ask the widow to do? To make some bread. She was running low on oil and flour. She didn't think she had enough, but God provided for them. Our snack today reminds us of the bread the widow made for Elijah, her son and herself.

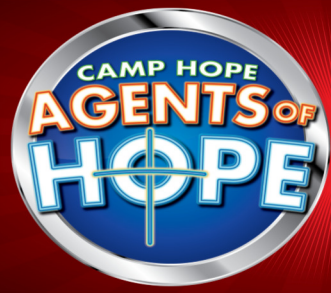
SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR: Ask Dr. Know It All

- No supplies needed

INSTRUCTIONS:

For (at least) the first round, "Dr. Know It All" should be a panel of STAFF members (preferably three, but can work with two). The way it works is that a camper asks a question and then "Dr. Know It All" tries to answer it with each person (on the panel) only saying one word at a time. Sometimes it makes sense and other times it doesn't.

After the first question (or more if you think the kids don't quite get how it works) has been answered, ask for one camper to help as a part of the "Dr. Know It All" panel. This activity can go on as long as it is engaging the campers. Encourage campers to ask questions about the story or theme for the day. If something was said that was not correct, make sure at the end to summarize how it really happened. If they are older campers, you can invite more campers to be part of "Dr. Know It All".



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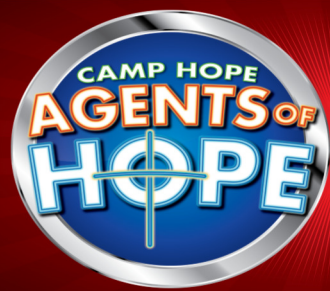
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For younger campers, have staff be "Dr. Know It All".

DRAG BIG

What was your favorite answer? Did Dr. Know It All answer all the questions correctly? In our story today, the widow didn't know Elijah and so she began asking questions just like we didn't know who Dr. Know It All is and so we started asking questions. The players who helped make Dr. Know It All accepted the challenge of answering questions with just one word at a time just like the widow trusted Elijah and made them all food.



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SNACKS TUESDAY

BIBLE STORY: 1 KINGS 18: 20-39

DAILY THEME: AGENTS CHOOSE

***SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR:* Elijah's Altar**

- Grapes (6-8 grapes per camper)
- Cheese
- Pretzels
- Carrots
- Plates and cups

PREPARATION:

Take time to slice the grapes in half; slice the cheese into strips along with the carrots. The campers can break the pretzels to the size they need.



INSTRUCTIONS:

Give each camper the amount of snack they need to build their altar. Have them lay grapes down first. Then the wood is the pretzels. The carrots and cheese make the flames. Make sure to sing grace together and then eat.

PRAYER: Jingle Bell
(*Jingle Bell hymn*)

Constantly, constantly, blessed again am I. Food and drink abundantly are set before my eyes. Certainly, certainly, I will give you praise. Lord I want to live with you and serve you all my days!

DRAG BIG

In our story today, what did Elijah and the other prophets have to do? They each built an altar. What did they have to wait on to see what happened? Whose God would light it on fire. Our altars remind us of how powerful God is and how God lit Elijah's altar on fire.

***SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR:* Idol Buying Game**

- No supplies needed

INSTRUCTIONS:

Have your group sit in a circle and get two volunteers. One will be an Idol seller and the other will be an Idol. The seller must go up to someone in the circle (the Idol buyer) and ask if they want to buy their idol. The person must respond without smiling or laughing, "No I don't want to buy your idol". The seller then says, "but my idol can do.... (fill in the blank), do you want to buy my idol now?" The volunteer who is the idol will do whatever the seller said, like tap dance, jump up and down, crawl like a dog, etc. The "Idol buyer" must say "No I don't want to buy your idol" again without smiling or laughing. If the Idol buyer cracks a smile, they now become the idol, the idol becomes the seller and the seller sits down in the circle and play continues. If the buyer does not crack a smile, then the seller must move on to new buyer.

DRAG BIG

How was it trying to say the phrase and not smile? What makes that so hard? In our game, what was the seller trying to sell? An idol. In our story today, the other prophets believed in all these other gods and idols. Elijah helped God show everyone how powerful God is.



SNACKS WEDNESDAY

BIBLE STORY: 1 KINGS 19: 9B-18

DAILY THEME: AGENTS LISTEN

SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR: Catch, Don't Catch

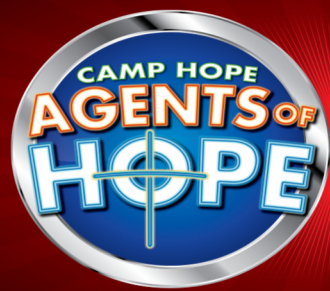
- A ball

INSTRUCTIONS:

Have the group stand in a circle, with one volunteer in the middle with a ball. The volunteer lightly tosses the ball to campers around the circle. The person in the middle says either "catch" or "don't catch". If the camper in the circle does the opposite of what was said, they are out. Play can be sped up for older groups.

DRAG BIG

What made this game easy or hard? You really had to listen to what was being said just like Elijah had to listen very hard to hear God.



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SNACKS THURSDAY

BIBLE STORY: 2 KINGS 2: 1-15
DAILY THEME: AGENTS PERSEVERE

***SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR:* Pass the Trail Mix**

- Cheerios
- Chex
- Dried fruit
- M&M's
- marshmallows
- Ziplock bags (1 per camper)
- Be creative! Add your own ingredients (no nuts)
- Markers (to write names on bags)

PREPARATION:

Place out the ingredients in separate bowls for campers to use. Figure out how much of each snack they should give out so you know for the first rotation. If you know campers' names ahead of time, you can go ahead and write their names on the bags, especially for younger campers. Older campers can write their own names on their bags BEFORE they fill them.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Give each camper a small bowl with one ingredient in it. It is okay if some ingredients are in two bowls. Each camper should also receive a Ziplock bag with their name on it. This will be done as a team. Ask each camper to put a specific number of their ingredient into the bag. Then pass the bag to the next person. They continue this until all bags have all the ingredients in them. When the bags have made a complete circle, the snack is ready. Pray and then enjoy.

***PRA YER:* We Are Thankful**

(Tune of Frère Jacques)

We are thankful (x2)
for our food (x2)

and our many blessings (x2)
thank you Lord (x2) Amen.

DRAG BIG

We passed our bags around and helped make each others' snack. Just like in our story today, Elijah passed his mantle to Elisha. Elisha was now going to be the prophet for God.

***SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR:* Fork Over the Chocolate**

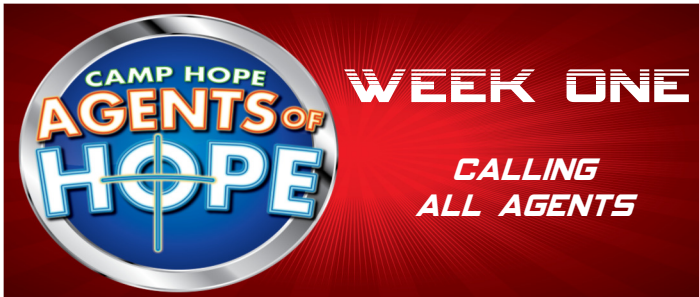
- A few wrapped bars of chocolate
- A plate
- A knife and fork
- Dress-up items such as a hat, jackets and gloves
- A pair of dice

PREPARATION:

Make sure to have baggy clothes for kids to put on like gloves, hat and jacket. You don't need a lot of them. Just a few to make it fun and difficult to do.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Sit the campers in a circle on the floor. Give one player the dice. Place the bar of chocolate and the knife and fork on a plate nearby. Throw the bundle of dress-up clothes into the center of the circle. Have the campers take turns to roll the dice. If a camper rolls a double, they must put on an item of dress-up clothes and unwrap and eat the bar of chocolate only using the knife and fork to cut the chocolate and get it into their mouth. This player must keep going until another player rolls a double. Now the player must hand over the dress-up clothes to the next player who must try and unwrap and eat the chocolate bar with the knife and fork. This continues until you want to stop or time runs out. It will be very hard to eat the chocolate, especially if you have mittens or gloves in the dress up clothes. You can have spare forks so each camper has their

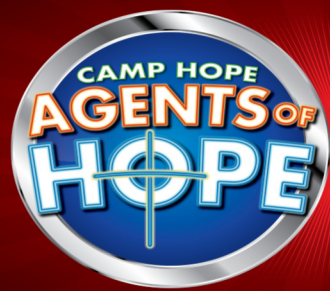


SNACKS THURSDAY

BIBLE STORY: 2 KINGS 2: 1-15
DAILY THEME: AGENTS PERSEVERE

own fork to eat from.
DRAG BIG

How was it trying to eat the chocolate? Were you able to eat much of it? What made it difficult to do? You all had to persevere and not give up just like Elisha had to persevere through being scared of not having Elijah's guidance anymore.



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SNACKS FRIDAY

BIBLE STORY: 2 KINGS 5: 1-19

DAILY THEME: AGENTS DARE

SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR: Dips Galore

- Carrots
- Celery
- Pita Chips
- Tortilla chips
- Hummus
- Ranch dressing
- Salsa
- Yogurt with honey
- Fruit (strawberries, grapes)
- Plate and cups

PREPARATION:

This is a day to have any snacks that kids like that are able to be dipped. Make sure to try and keep it as healthy as you can. You can have some veggies, fruit and chips with different dips for them to try. Cut up all the veggies and fruit so they are ready to go. Make any dips that aren't premade.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Let campers pick different veggies, fruits and chips to dip. Try and get them to take some of each at least to try it. Make sure to know how much each camper can have so you don't run out of things.

PRAYER: Indiana Jones

(to the tune of the Indiana Jones theme song)

Thank you Jesus

For this food

It was really

Really good, good, good!

Thank you Jesus

For this food

A-a-ah, A-a-ah, A-a-ah, A-a-men

DRAG BIG

For our snack, we took different things like veggies and fruit and we dipped them into different dips. In our story today, what disease did Naaman have? He had leprosy. What did Elisha tell him to do? To dip himself seven times into the Jordan River. We had dips for us to enjoy to remind you about how Naaman was healed from dipping himself seven times.

SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR: Pair Tag

- No supplies needed

INSTRUCTIONS:

Have the group pair up with a partner. Then have them talk and come up with a plan to get the other pairs out. For the first round, and for younger campers, they need to stay together, holding hands or locking elbows (like elbow tag) the whole time. The object is to get other pairs out first before they tag you. Once a pair is tagged, they need to sit down. If they are sitting, they can help to get other pairs out without moving from their spot. The second round, older campers can separate from their partners and try and tag other pairs out.

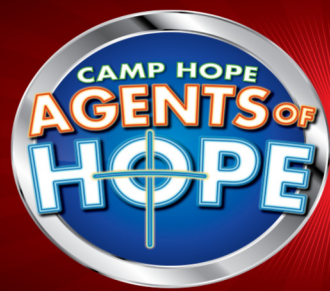
DRAG BIG

How was it trying to stay with your partner?

What were some strategies you came up with?

What worked the best? What didn't work well?

In our game, you all had to work together in order to get other teams out. In our story today, Naaman's family and servants had to work together to get him healed. Without the servant girl's help and his other servants' advice, he wouldn't be healed.



WEEK TWO

AGENTS
ACADEMY

SNACKS MONDAY

BIBLE STORY: 1 SAMUEL 16: 1-13

DAILY THEME: AN AGENT IS PURE OF HEART.

SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR: Cheese Crown Fruit Jewels

- Cheese (pre-sliced or blocks that will need to be sliced)
- Dried fruit (raisins, cranberries work best, but get what kids might like)
- Whipped Cream Cheese
- Snack size Ziploc bags
- Plastic knives (1 per camper)



PREPARATION:

This recipe calls for the whipped cream cheese, but you can use whatever you think would work best for your camp. To get the dried fruit to stay on the cheese, you will need something to help it stick. You can scoop whatever "paste" you are using into some snack size Ziploc bags. Then when the first rotation comes, you can cut the corners on one side of the bottom of the bag. Then it will be like a pastry bag chefs use to put frosting decorations on a cake. This will be how they add the "paste" to attach their jewels to their crown. If you were given a block of cheese, cut it into squares giving campers enough cheese to cut pieces off to make the crown.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Give each camper a square piece of cheese and a plastic knife. They are to cut the cheese to make it look like a crown. Then give them each a snack size Ziploc of the "paste" to decorate their crown with. Then let them add their jewels to their crown. Make sure campers understand that they will get to eat their crowns so make sure they are only using food they like and will eat. We don't want to waste food.

**PRAYER: High-Ho
(from Snow White)**

We know, we know,
From whom all blessings flow
We thank Him then, we say Amen
We know, we know! (Repeat twice.)

DRAG BIG

In our story today, what did Samuel go looking for? A new king to crown. Who did Samuel crown as the new king? David. When you think of a king or queen, what comes to mind? Most kings and queens we think of wear a crown. So to remember that David was crowned king today, we made our own cheese crowns. Even though David didn't wear a crown for a long time, this is the day we remember he was crowned as king.

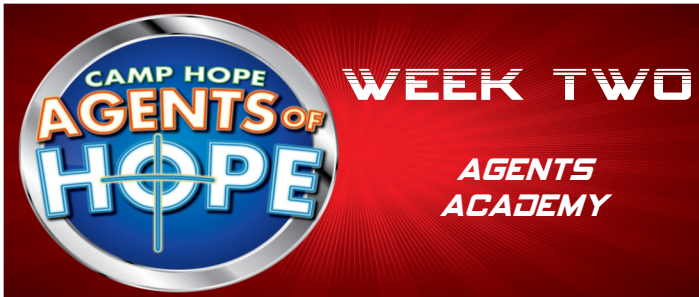
SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR: Purify Your Heart

- Rice
- Several objects to bury in the rice
- Something heart shaped to bury in the rice
- Chairs
- Chopsticks (and spoons)

INSTRUCTIONS:

The object of this game is to get campers to sift through bowls of rice to find all the objects in their bowl. For Younger Campers, give each camper a bowl with rice and several objects in it. Then give them chopsticks to start off with and a spoon to use if they start to have a difficult time with it. You want to make sure to have a heart buried in each bowl.

For Older Campers, do this as a relay. Split your group into as many teams as you have bowls. Have a couple bowls with more objects in it. Have campers start on one end of the playing area and



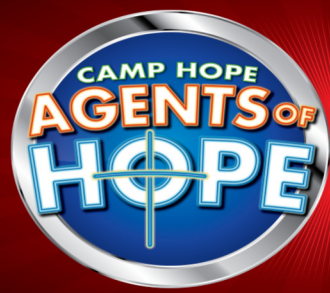
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have the bowls with chopsticks on a chair on the other end of the playing area. The game is to see which team can find all their objects first and get them out of their bowl, only leaving the heart in the bowl and on top of the rice. The first player in each line will run to the bowl, pick up the chopsticks, sift through the bowl with rice and find an object. They have to pick the object up using only the chopsticks and set it on the chair next to the bowl. That player then puts their chopsticks down and runs back to tag the next player in line to go. Play continues until all other objects are out of the bowl and sitting next to it and the heart is sitting on top of the bowl. If chopsticks are too hard, give each team a spoon to use. (Hint: remember how many items you bury.)

DRAG BIG

In our story today, David was chosen to be the next king because of his pure heart. Samuel wanted to choose other people, but God saw what was in their hearts. In our game, we had to take everything else out and only leave the heart to make it pure, nothing else with it. Our theme for today is *An agent is pure of heart.*



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SNACKS TUESDAY

BIBLE STORY: 1 SAMUEL 17: 1-11; 32-51

DAILY THEME: AN AGENT IS BRAVE.

SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR: David & Goliath

- Bananas
- Pretzel sticks
- M & M's
- Raisins
- Grapes
- Marshmallow crème or peanut butter or something to help keep the face on the banana.
- Bowls and small plates
- Small carrots
- Twizzlers
- Small plates

PREPARATION:

Cut bananas to two different lengths. Have one much longer (taller) than the other. Make two piles for each size. Each camper will get one of each. Separate the pretzels sticks, M&M's, twizzlers, grapes, carrots and raisins into bowls. Make sure to have enough small plates for each camper.

INSTRUCTIONS:

They are going to create a David and a Goliath with their snack. Give each camper one banana of each different size. Next, give each camper some pretzel sticks to stick into their bananas for arms and legs. Then have them take the raisins and make a face for both David and Goliath. Then have them take a grape, bite it in half and place the half in your hand as a helmet for Goliath. Then give each camper 5 stones (M&M's) for David. Now give your Goliath a sword with the carrot. Give each camper Twizzlers to make a sling shot for David.

PRAYER: Jesus Was A Cool Dude

(Tune of We will Rock You by Queen)

Jesus was a cool dude, 40 days without food, then He made the golden rule and that's okay...

He's got blood on His face, thanks for the grace,

spreading His love all over the place, singin'

we will, we will praise him (woo or huh)

praise Him (woo or huh) Amen Amen Amen (woo or huh) Amen (woo or huh)

DRAG BIG

We made our own David and Goliath. Let's review the story and then we can eat our snack together after we sing our grace.

SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR: Bucket Sling Game

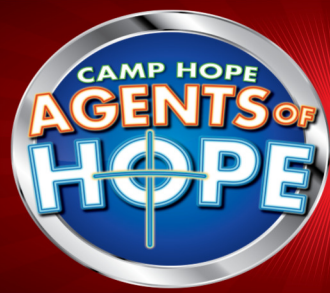
- Long socks for every 4 campers
- Tennis balls (1 for every team created)
- One large bucket (you can do 1 bucket per team or one large bucket for all teams to aim for)

INSTRUCTIONS:

Get a long sock for every 4 campers along with a tennis ball. Place the tennis ball in the toe of each sock and then twirl it around and throw. This was how a sling was done back then. Have a large bucket available. Have the teams work together to see who can get their sling shot into the bucket first. This is not as easy as it sounds. Be sure campers do not throw them at anyone.

DRAG BIG

In our story today, how did David beat Goliath? He used a sling shot and stones. In our game, we used socks and tennis balls like David would have used as a sling shot back then. It reminds us of how talented and brave David was.



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SNACKS WEDNESDAY

BIBLE STORY: 1 SAMUEL 18: 1-11 & 19: 1-4, 6-7

DAILY THEME: AN AGENT IS LOYAL.

SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR: Monkey Bread

- 3 (12 ounce) packages refrigerated biscuit dough
- 1 cup white sugar
- 2 teaspoons ground cinnamon
- 1/2 cup margarine or butter
- 1 cup packed brown sugar
- 9 or 10 inch pan
- Plastic bags (2 should be enough; can reuse all day)
- 1 Sauce pan

1 recipe per rotation

PREPARATION:

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Grease your pan using butter or margarine and spray if you want. Make sure you have all the ingredients you need. Do one batch ahead of time to make sure it works and that batch will be for the first rotation. Each rotation will make for the next rotation and the last rotation will make for staff.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Have kids stand in a line. Give them each one step to help with. Then let them go to the back of the line. Mix white sugar and cinnamon in a plastic bag (one camper can pour this into a bag). Cut biscuits into quarters (one camper can help with this). Shake 6-8 biscuits in cinnamon and sugar mixture (one camper can help with this). Arrange pieces in the bottom of the prepared pan (one camper can do this). Repeat until all biscuits are covered in cinnamon and sugar and sitting on the bottom of the pan. In a small saucepan, melt the margarine or butter with the brown sugar over medium heat (staff can do this while the campers are helping to make the first part). Boil 1 minute. Pour over the

biscuits that are in the pan. Place pan in oven and bake for 35 minutes (play the game while it is baking). Let bread cool in pan for 10 minutes, then turn the pan upside down and on a plate. You won't need to cut the bread, it will pull apart.

PRAYER: Roar

(Katy Perry Song)

I got the heart of Lord, our Savior, blessing this food, 'cause he is our father and I'm gonna thank HIIIM for the food on our plate, 'Cause he is our father and I'm gonna thank HIIIM
AAAAmen
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I'm gonna thank HIIIM

DRAG BIG

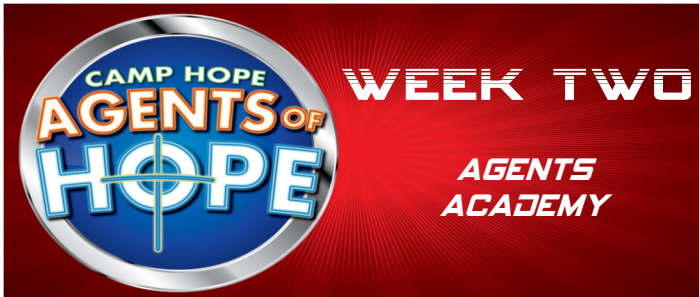
Today, we helped make bread together. We all worked together to make our monkey bread just like Jonathan and David worked together to help keep David away from King Saul. We were being loyal to each other like our theme is today *An agent is loyal.*

SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR: Friendship Tag

- Cones to mark playing area
- Piece of string or rope (if you don't want them to link arms or hold hands)

INSTRUCTIONS:

Have campers line up on one end of the play area. Designate one or two campers as "it". The campers who are "it" say "go" and the other campers must try to get to the other side of the play area without getting tagged or going out of bounds. When a camper is tagged, they form a chain with the campers who are "it". You can have the campers link up by holding hands, linking arms, or holding on to a piece of string or rope. The remaining campers



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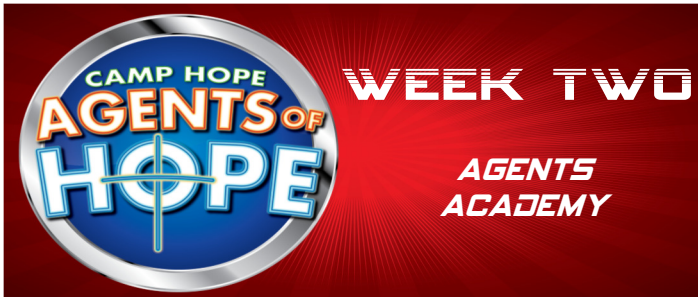
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who have not been tagged gather at the opposite end of the game area and wait for "it" to say "go". They then try to make it to the other side without get tagged by the chain of campers and without going out of bounds.

The game ends when the entire group is part of a single chain. The last one caught becomes the new "it" for the next game.

DRAG BIG

In our game, we linked arms to create a chain like a friendship chain. This way, we all worked to help get more players tagged, just like Jonathan helped David to escape from his father.



SNACKS THURSDAY

BIBLE STORY: 2 SAMUEL 11: 1-17, 22-27
DAILY THEME: AN AGENT MAKES MISTAKES.

SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR: Choice Pizzas

- Tortillas or pita bread or English muffins or store premade crust (1 per camper)
- Tomato sauce
- Mozzarella cheese
- Pepperoni
- Pineapple
- Veggies
- Bowls
- Cookie sheets
- Wax paper or parchment

PREPARATION:

Place cheese, pepperoni, pineapple (cut if needed), and veggies into different bowls. Make sure to have enough crusts for each camper. Place wax paper / parchment down on cookie sheets so you can write the camper's name by each pizza. Heat the oven to 400 degrees. Make sure to set a timer for 10 min when you place pizzas in the oven and keep your eye on them. You don't want them to burn.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Give each camper a piece of crust. Then let them build their own pizza. Invite them to put sauce on first and then any fixings they might want. Have them bring their pizza over to a leader and place it on a pan and make sure their name is written by their pizza. Once everyone has finished making their pizza and washed their hands, go and play the game. After the pizzas are finished cooking, come back and sing grace and let them enjoy.

PRAYER: Kokomo
(Beach Boys song)

Alpha, Omega, ooh I wanna thank you. For the food on our table. Makes us strong and able

The hands that prepared it and the friends that shared it at Camp Hope, where faith grows, fast and then we let it show. Thank God we love you so. Praise God for Camp Hope.

DRAG BIG

For our snack today, you got to pick and choose what you wanted on your pizza. How did your pizza turn out? Did you all like it? If you didn't like it, what would you have changed about your pizza? In our story today, King David made many choices that we consider mistakes. He hurt people by the choices he made. We all make mistakes and some made mistakes in what they put on their pizza. Mistakes happen, but David chose his mistakes.

SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR: Four Corners

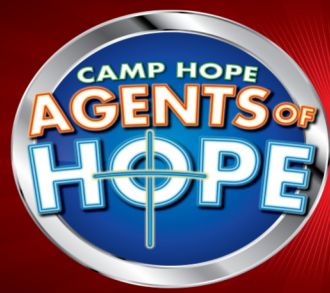
- No supplies needed

INSTRUCTIONS:

Point the group to the four corners of your area. Number the corners off one, two, three and four. You need one volunteer to stand in the middle, eyes shut and start singing a random song that everyone can join in singing. Everybody picks a corner to stand in. The volunteer picks a corner and whoever is in that corner is out. The players who are out, come to the center and sit down. The volunteer closes their eyes again, and starts singing while everyone picks a corner to stand in. Continue this cycle until there are only a few people left. Pick a new volunteer and start the game all over.

DRAG BIG

In our game, we each had to pick a corner to stand in. Some of us chose correctly while some of us made a mistake and picked the wrong one. This reminds us of our theme that even *An agent makes mistakes.*



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SNACKS FRIDAY

BIBLE STORY: 2 SAMUEL 12: 1-10, 13

DAILY THEME: AN AGENT SAYS "I'M SORRY".

SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR: God's Forgiveness

- Different types of fruit - like strawberries, pineapples, grapes, berries, bananas, etc. (any left over from this week)
- Melted chocolate (milk, dark, and white)
- Bowls and small plates
- Toothpicks
- Sprinkles
- Small Dixie cups

PREPARATION:

Cut up all the fruit and place them in separate bowls. Try and melt the chocolate right before the group comes so it will still be soft and usable. Give each camper a little bit of each type of chocolate. Let the campers pick the fruit they want to use and let them dip their fruit in their chocolate.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Give campers a plate and toothpicks. The toothpicks are for them to pick the fruit up with and dip them in the chocolate that they want. Let them have several pieces of fruit.

PRAYER: O Fill My Cup

Boys: O Fill my cup

Girls: O fill my cup, let it overflow

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Girls: O fill my cup, let it overflow

Everybody: Let it overflow with love

Second Verse: Amazing Grace (*words are sung to the tune of O Fill My Cup, but switch parts of boys and girls*)

DRAG BIG

For our snack, we used fruit to dip into chocolate. Chocolate can be very messy. When we make mistakes and hurt other people it makes a mess in our relationships, but when we say "I'm sorry" and admit when we are wrong, we can mend those relationships. Our snack was a little messy to remind us that we can make things messy in our lives, but we can fix them by saying "I'm sorry" when we are wrong.

SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR: Simon Says With a Twist

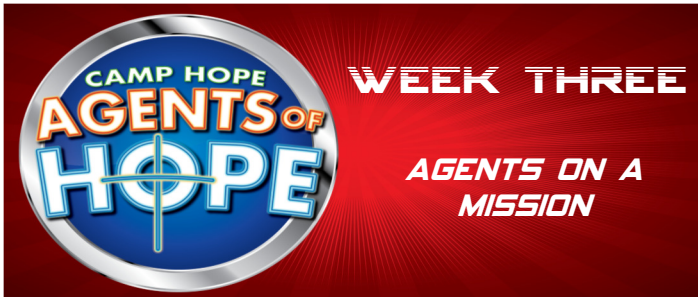
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INSTRUCTIONS:

Ask for a volunteer to be the leader. The leader then tells everyone to do different actions. Campers are to do them when the leader says "Simon Says". If the leader doesn't say Simon says and they do the motion, they are out. The twist is that when someone gets out, if they say "I'm sorry" to the leader, then they can stay in. After a few players start to get out, switch leaders. Try and let each camper get a chance to be the leader. If you still need something else to do, have campers pick one of their favorite games that they played this week in snack. Try and think of some beforehand so you can jump right into another game.

DRAG BIG

Our theme for today is *An agent says "I'm Sorry"*. In our game, we all made mistakes sometimes and when we said "I'm sorry" to the leader, we were allowed to continue to play.



SNACKS MONDAY

BIBLE STORY: LUKE 2: 25-40
DAILY THEME: MISSION: WAITING

***SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR:* Clock Cookies**

- Premade cookie dough (small scoop per camper)
- Pan
- Parchment paper
- Marker (to write names on)

PREPARATION:

Preheat the oven to what the package suggests. Then cut the dough in pieces so you can give a piece to each camper to make their cookie. You can either do cookie scoops or slice it. Write names on the parchment paper, if you know their names ahead of time. While the cookies bake, play the game.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Give each camper a piece of cookie. Invite them to shape it into something they have had to wait for before or something then can tell time with, like the face of a clock. Have them bring their cookie dough to the pan and place it there. Make sure to write their name by it. Then place the cookie sheet in the oven and bake for 8-10 minutes and check. You don't want to burn them; you just want them golden brown.

***PRAYER:* Come Lord Jesus
(Tune of Jeopardy, Twinkle Twinkle, or Indiana Jones)**

Come Lord Jesus, be our guest and let these gifts to us be blessed. Amen.

DRAG BIG

For our snack, you each made your cookie into something that you had to wait for. Then we actually had to wait for our cookies to be baked.

Our theme for today is "*Mission: waiting*". Waiting can be hard, especially when you are hungry and eager to eat. Hopefully, our game helped to pass the time.

***SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR:* Statues**

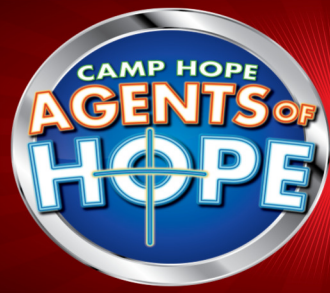
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INSTRUCTIONS:

Ask for a volunteer to be "It". When that person says "statue", everyone else has to strike a pose. The person who is "It" is trying to see people move as they walk around to look at the different statues. If they catch someone moving, they are out and have to sit down. When you start getting several people out, ask for a new volunteer and start over.

DRAG BIG

In our game, we all had to be still and wait until we could move without getting caught. Was it easy or hard to wait to move? In our story today, Simeon and Anna had to wait way longer than we did before they got to meet Jesus.



WEEK THREE

AGENTS ON A MISSION

SNACKS TUESDAY

BIBLE STORY: LUKE 2: 41-52
DAILY THEME: MISSION: LOOKING

SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR: Homemade Tortilla Chips

- Tortillas, flour and corn (for any gluten allergies)
- Cooking spray
- Pan
- Parchment paper
- Different kinds of salsa
- Salt
- Plates and cups

PREPARATION:

Preheat the oven to 400 degrees. Prepare the pan by placing parchment paper on it to help with sticking. Put salsas in different bowls so campers can try each one.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Give each camper a tortilla and invite them to tear it into medium size pieces. Then have them bring them to the pan or bring the pan to them. Lay them flat on the pan. Spray them with cooking spray. Bake them for about 5 minutes on each side. Then give each camper a handful of chips and let them choose what salsa they want to eat.

PRAYER: Superman

(Tune of Superman theme song)

Thank you God for giving us food (x2)
for the food that we eat,
for the friends that we meet,
thank you GOD!
for giving us food!
Amen. Amen.

DRAG BIG

In our story today, Mary, Joseph and Jesus

headed to Jerusalem to celebrate the Passover meal. One of the things they eat at Passover is unleavened bread. Our snack today is considered unleavened bread. When you think of a loaf a bread that you make a sandwich with, is it flat or big? It is big because it had yeast in it to make it rise. Tortillas don't have yeast in them, so they don't rise. When Moses and his people left Egypt, they had to leave in a hurry and their bread didn't have time to rise. Eating unleavened bread is a reminder of a time when they were slaves and God freed them. The Passover meal reminds them of all they went through to leave Egypt.

SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR: Binder Clip

- A couple binder clips of various sizes

INSTRUCTIONS:

Have everyone close their eyes. Start with the largest binder clip. Place it on someone where it can be visible for players to see it. Invite everyone to open their eyes and walk around to see if they can find the clip. Once they see it, don't say anything, just sit down. If your group is large, you can have two of the same size binder clips and players have to see at least one or both of them. You choose. Then the next round use a smaller clip. Continue to go down in size and make it harder each time. The player that has the clip needs to play like they don't know where it is and walk around looking for it.

DRAG BIG

Our theme for today is "*Mission: looking*". Our game was all about looking. We had to look everywhere to find the different size binder clips, just like Mary and Joseph looked everywhere for Jesus.



WEEK THREE

AGENTS ON A MISSION

SNACKS WEDNESDAY

BIBLE STORY: LUKE 3: 2-16, 21-22

DAILY THEME: MISSION: NAMING

SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR: Locust & Wild Honey

- Celery (couple pieces for each camper)
- Pretzels
- Chocolate chips
- Nutella or peanut butter (check for allergies)
- Honey
- Bananas for heads
- Small paper plates



PREPARATION:

Cut the celery up into halves or quarters. Place the chocolate chips and pretzels into small bowls for them to do (do not break the pretzels, let them do it). Place Nutella/peanut butter out into bowls as well. Make sure to have enough small plates for each camper. Place honey out for them to drizzle onto their bugs before they eat.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Give each camper a couple pieces of celery. Then give them the spread to put in the middle. Then pretzels to make legs, bananas for heads and then drizzle some honey over it.

PRAYER: Coca-Cola

(Tune from old Coca-Cola commercial)

The sun will always shine, the birds will always sing, where ever there is God, there's always the real thing.* doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo Amen doo doo doo doo doo doo Jesus is the Real thing yeah

*(optional second verse: Jesus Christ came down and died for our sins, so we thank him now as this meal begins)

DRAG BIG

In our story today, we met a character named John the Baptist. John the Baptist liked to eat locusts and wild honey. So our snack is a reminder of who John the Baptist is and how important he is.

SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR: Red Light, Green Light Obstacle Style

- Chairs
- Rope
- Balls
- Any object that can be placed for players to have to go around, over or under.

PREPARATION:

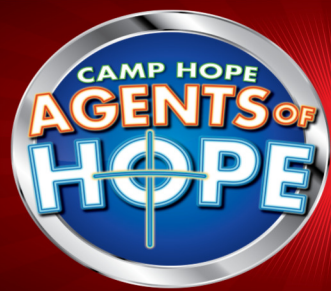
Lay out the different obstacles. After each round, move things around so they aren't always the same.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Ask for a volunteer. Have them stand at one end of the playing area. Everyone else stands at the other end. The volunteer turns and has their back face the other players. The volunteer then yells, red, yellow or green light. Red means campers have to stop, green means they can go and go fast, and yellow means they can walk, but slower than regular. With this game, the players have to go around the obstacles that are in their way making it harder to get to the volunteer. Whoever reaches the volunteer first is the next caller. Play several rounds.

DRAG BIG

Our theme for today is "Mission: naming". If you were the person yelling out commands, you were naming things for people to do just like God named Jesus as His son.



WEEK THREE

AGENTS ON A MISSION

SNACKS THURSDAY

BIBLE STORY: LUKE 4: 1-13

DAILY THEME: MISSION: CLAIMING

SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR: Desert Trail Mix

- Cranberries or raisins
- Granola
- M&M's
- Sunflower seeds (no shell)
- Chocolate chips
- Nuts, if no one is allergic
- Banana chips or any dried fruit
- Snack size Ziploc bags (1 per camper)
- Bowls and spoons

PREPARATION:

Place each item in a separate bowl along with a plastic spoon for them to pour things into their own bags. When the campers come (and BEFORE filling), write their names on their bags.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Give each camper their own bag. Have them write their name on it (for Younger Campers, write their names on theirs for them). Then let them take spoonfuls of the food they want in their trail mix.

PRAYER: Johnny Apple Seed

Oh, the Lord is good to me, and so I thank the Lord; for giving me the things I need, the sun and the rain and the apple seed. The Lord is good to me. Amen.

DRAG BIG

In our story today, What happened with Jesus? Jesus was tempted. Did Jesus eat anything while he was out in the desert? How do you think that was for him? If you were to go out to the desert, would you take food with you? A good food to take on a hike or when you are out and about is trail mix. You each got to make your own to

make sure you would eat it. You each claimed what you liked and placed it in your bag. Jesus claimed who he was, the Son of God.

SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR: Desert Venture

- No supplies needed

PREPARATION:

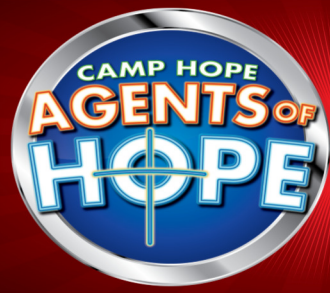
Write questions beforehand so you don't have to think of them on the spot.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Have campers stand at one end of the playing area and have the leader stand at the opposite end. Now the leader will ask campers questions about the story from today or any story this week or things that campers might know. They need to be true or false questions. Ask campers the question and then they need to raise their right hand if they think it is true or raise their left hand if they think it is false. If they get the answer correct, they get to take a step forward through the desert. If they are wrong, they take a step back (if they are on the starting line, they just stay there). First player to get to the leader can lead next. Make sure to have a lot of questions written ahead of time.

DRAG BIG

In our game, we had to claim whether we thought the question was true or false and make our way across our desert. Jesus wandered in the desert for 40 days; how hard was it for you to move through our desert? What made it hard? For Jesus, it was hard because he had to resist temptation.



WEEK THREE

AGENTS ON A
MISSION

SNACKS FRIDAY

BIBLE STORY: LUKE 9: 28-36
DAILY THEME: MISSION: SHOWING

SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR: Homemade Granola Bars

- 2 1/2 c. Old Fashioned Oats
- 1/2 c. Rice Krispies
- 1/4 c. Unsweetened coconut
- 1/2 c. M&M minis, plus more for top
- 1/2 c. brown sugar
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 1/4 c. butter, softened
- 1/4 c. Coconut oil, melted
- 1/4 c. honey
- 1/2 tsp. vanilla
- Pan
- Cooking spray
- Knife to cut the finished bars
- Parchment paper

PREPARATION:

Preheat oven to 350 degrees F. Place the oats in a pan and bake them in the oven to dry them out for 10 – 15 minutes, stirring half way, until lightly golden. Line a 13x9 pan with parchment paper, and spray with cooking spray.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Have campers help you mix all the ingredients together. Have them form one line and at each step, let a different camper mix. Mix together dry ingredients, then stir in wet. Press into prepared baking dish and bake for 18 minutes. While this is baking, play the game. Make sure to set a time. Take them out of the oven to cool and cut them into rectangles!

PRAYER: Hey Jesus

(Toni Basil, Hey Mickey song)

Oh Jesus you're so good, you're so good, you give us food. Hey Jesus, thank, thank you Jesus.

Oh Jesus you're so sweet, thank you for the friends we meet. Hey Jesus!!! Amen!

DRAG BIG

In our snack, we took different ingredients and transformed them into granola bars, just like Jesus transformed into a brilliant light in our story today.

SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR: Love Charades

- Paper and pen to write a list

INSTRUCTIONS:

Split the group into two teams. Have them sit down and explain that they will have to act out what is on their card to get their team to guess what they are doing. Everything will have to do with showing things. They cannot talk or point to things. The first team will go and if they can't guess it, the other team can try and steal the point by guessing it. Whichever team has the most points at the end wins. Here are some options to have them act out that are about showing Christ's love to others:

1. Pray for a friend.
2. Sweep the floor.
3. Feed the hungry.
4. Give money to the poor.
5. Write thank-you letters.
6. Hug someone.
7. Read the Bible to someone.
8. Hold the door open.
9. Set the table for dinner.
10. Rake your neighbor's leaves.
11. Come up with your own.

DRAG BIG

Our theme for today is "*Mission: showing*". We are all supposed to go out and show Christ's love to others. What are some other ways you can do this?