



Beavers 101: A Summer of Fun



Even though Beavers isn't running the way it usually does at the moment, we can still do loads of the fun, exciting, interesting activities we would normally do and continue to learn new Scouting skills.

We're setting every Beaver Scout across Scotland a massive challenge – to complete as many different activities as you can from our list of 101. There are three different levels for you to aim for;

Bronze; Complete at least **50** different activities.

Silver; Complete at least **75** different activities.

Gold; Complete all **101** different activities.

This week marks the halfway point. Activities 41 – 60 are now here, ready for you to get started on, and there are still another 41 coming over the next three weeks.

You can do them in any order you like. You could do a couple every day, or you could do as many as you can during the time of the week when you'd normally be at Beavers – it's completely up to you. You don't have to complete one week's activities before starting the next – you could even save them up if you're really busy and do them all in a few weeks' time.

There are some activities that you will need an adult to help you with, and some that you can do by yourself, but make sure an adult knows what you are doing at all times. Lots of these activities will also count towards your usual Beaver badges, so if you tell your Leader you're completing them, there may be some badges waiting for you when Beavers starts up again.

Be sure to take loads of photographs while completing these activities and please ask an adult to share these with us on Twitter at @ScoutsScotland and @Owen_C_Forrest using the hashtag #Beavers101. We'll also be putting some videos and helpful hints and tips up on Twitter every week, so be sure to ask an adult to keep an eye out for these!

You could share these activities with your friends and family as well, even if they're not in Beavers. Show them how much fun being a Beaver Scout can be!

Good luck, and have fun!

Have fun, and remember it is essential that government guidance is followed while doing any Scouting at home. Make sure you keep yourself and others safe while taking on your challenges.

Week 3 – Activities 41 – 60

41. Build an indoor bivvi (a shelter you could sleep in) out of things around your home and spend a night in it.
42. Invent and build a machine that makes life easier. Explain to someone what it does.
43. Create a new superhero. What powers do they have? You could try to dress up as your new hero.
44. Make a colourful window decoration and hang it in one of your windows.
45. Find a way you could save energy at home and tell the people you live with about it.
46. Do 20 burpees in a row.
47. The distance from the bottom of England (Land's End) to the top of Scotland (John O'Groats) is 970km. Go on a journey 970 steps long.
48. Try a walking workout.
49. Wash a car, bike, scooter, or similar.*
50. Draw flags from 5 different countries.
51. Keep your bedroom tidy for a week.
52. Crack the codes to figure out our secret message (below).
53. Make three different shadow puppets with your hands.
54. Try juggling.
55. Collect some leaves, make some leaf prints or rubbings (or try leaf pounding), and turn the leaves into a picture of an animal.
56. Learn how to spell your name in the phonetic alphabet.
57. Roll your Beaver Neckie/Scarf properly.
58. Find out when Beavers was started and plan a party for your Colony to celebrate when Beavers will turn 35.
59. Hold your own mini Highland Games at home.*
60. Sit somewhere comfy outside or next to an open window for 10 minutes and record everything you see, hear, and smell. Is there anything you've never noticed before?*

*Make sure you get an adult to help you with these activities.

Young people should be supervised at all times whilst completing the above activities. Please feel free to adapt activities as necessary to suit your own individual circumstances, but please aim to maintain the spirit of each activity.

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Activity 52. Crack the codes to figure out our secret message

Can you figure out what our secret message says? There are four different codes for you to crack!



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Here are some hints that you could use if you get stuck;

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G	H	I	P	Q	R	Y	Z	

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C -●-●	I ●●	N -●	S ●●●	X -●●-
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