

## Rainbow Royal Family Activity Evening



A fun evening designed to help Rainbows learn all about the Royal family and of course its newest members! This one off evening is perfect when accompanied by the Princess Charlotte or Prince George badges (£1 each) available from Coventry Guide Shop. Please get in touch to order your badges early as we have limited stock available.

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Plan for one hour Rainbow meeting:

Time	Activity	Resources
10 minutes	Download a simple crown/tiara template from the internet and print and cut out in card. On arrival, get the Rainbows to colour in and decorate their crown or tiara. You could also cut out some medal shapes for the Royal 'men'	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Crown/tiara template downloaded.</li> <li>• White card</li> <li>• Colouring crayons</li> </ul>
10 minutes	Rainbow Song, Welcome and chat. Pass around pictures of the Royal family (you will need to have one picture for each Rainbow). Leader led discussion about who is on the pictures. Challenge the Rainbows to see if anyone recognises any of the Royal family members. Identify them all by the end of the chat.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pictures of Royal family (you could laminate these for future use/games, have names on separate cards etc). You can decide how many members you wish to include. The list below is a guideline.</li> <li>• HM The Queen</li> <li>• HRH The Duke of Edinburgh Phillip)</li> <li>• HRH The Prince of Wales (Charles)</li> <li>• HRH The Duchess of Cornwall (Camilla)</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lady Diana</li> <li>• HRH The Duke of Cambridge (William)</li> <li>• HRH The Duchess of Cambridge (Kate)</li> <li>• HRH Prince George of Cambridge</li> <li>• HRH Princess Charlotte of Cambridge</li> <li>• HRH Prince Henry of Wales (Harry)</li> <li>• HRH The Princess Royal (Anne)</li> <li>• Captain Mark Phillips</li> <li>• Sir Timothy Laurence</li> <li>• Zara Phillips</li> <li>• Mike Tindall</li> <li>• Mia Tindall</li> <li>• Peter Phillips</li> <li>• Autumn Phillips</li> <li>• Savannah Phillips</li> <li>• Isla Phillips</li> <li>• HRH The Duke of York (Andrew)</li> <li>• Sarah, Duchess of York.</li> <li>• HRH Princess Beatrice of York.</li> <li>• HRH Princess Eugenie of York.</li> <li>• HRH The Earl of Wessex (Edward).</li> <li>• HRH The Countess of Wessex (Sophie).</li> <li>• Lady Louise Windsor</li> <li>• James, Viscount Severn</li> </ul>
10 minutes	<p>Explain what a family tree is and make a giant one on the floor with the pictures. Each Rainbow to bring a picture up and place it on the family tree as the Leader explains how each member of the family is related. For example: “The Queen is Harry’s Grandmother” etc.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• As above.</li> </ul>
10 minutes	<p>In small groups Rainbows to complete their own family tree using the simple tree picture provided. Each group could have a Leader, Unit Helper, Young Leader or Rainbow Helper working with them.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Family tree pictures.</li> <li>• Pencils</li> </ul>

10 minutes	<p>Play Royal Family Match Up game: All Rainbows take a card with a picture of a member of the Royal family. Run around swapping the cards with as many Rainbows as possible until the Leader calls out 'Match your picture!' Rainbows then need to shout for others with the matching picture to theirs or hold up their picture if they are unsure who it is. The last Rainbows to get into their matching group are out! (Leader can decide if this means they sit out or continue to play the game!)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pictures of the Royal family - at least 3 of each person. (Make enough for your group of Rainbows).</li> </ul>
5 minutes	<p>Rainbows to keep their Royal family cards and get into family groups with the Queen at the front for a Royal family procession. Rainbows should wear their tiaras/crowns/medals from earlier! They could pretend they are being announced into a grand ball. Alternatively Leaders and helpers could line up as members of the public as they process around and the Rainbows could practice their best Royal wave (you could demonstrate this beforehand!) Ensure that a big fuss is made when the Royal babies arrive!</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tiaras/Crowns/medals made earlier</li> <li>• Procession music if possible!</li> </ul>
5 minutes	<p>Close your meeting how you would normally, making sure to hand out your Royal Baby badges (Charlotte, George or both!)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Royal Baby badges available from Coventry Guide Shop.</li> </ul>

We hope you have enjoyed this fun and FREE plan! Please email us with any suggestions of future evenings you would like us to produce resources for as well as feedback/pictures (if you have permission) of your girls taking part in any of our activities above. We will feature the best photos on our website where you can find more challenges and craft ideas.