

Big Preparation List

Game Supplies

- ☐ Sidewalk chalk
- ☐ Socks, scarf, or strip of cloth per child
- ☐ Beanbags/Balls
- ☐ Sheets of paper

Snacks/ Concession Stand

- ☐ Popped popcorn (prepare as you normally do)
- ☐ Premade white cake with white icing
- ☐ Assorted fruit
- ☐ Ice pops or ice cream bars
- ☐ Triangle-shaped corn tortilla chips, 10–12 per child
- ☐ Cheese dip, 2 T. per child

Drinks (1 quart for every 5 children)

- ☐ Any bright-colored drink,
- ☐ Equal portions of white grape juice and ginger ale
- ☐ Powdered lemonade drink mix
- ☐ Any orange-colored drink
- ☐ Any green-colored drink

Craft Supplies

- ☐ Colored cardstock, 1 piece per child
- ☐ White cardstock, 1 piece per child
- ☐ Jumbo craft sticks, 1 per child
- ☐ 1-in. paper fasteners, 1 per child
- ☐ Beading cord, 20–25 in. per child
- ☐ A variety of craft beads (pony, round, faceted, fun foam, etc.)
- ☐ Small hair rubber bands, 2 per child
- ☐ *Optional:* Child size sunglasses
- ☐ Clear plastic jars with screw-on lids, 1 per child
- ☐ Colored chenille stems, 4 per child
- ☐ Small bug stickers, 6–8 per child
- ☐ Pine needles, small pinecones, small sticks
- ☐ Toasted oat cereal, 1/4 cup per child
- ☐ Small paper plates, 1 per child
- ☐ Large brown grocery bags, 2 per child
- ☐ Lunch-size brown paper bags, 4 per child

Printouts (see Resources)

- ☐ Creation Days Help Sheet
- ☐ Wonder Wheel Cover pattern
- ☐ Wonder Wheel Spinner pattern

Craft Supplies (Generally already have)

- ☐ Crayons
- ☐ Masking tape
- ☐ Scissors
- ☐ Hand drill
- ☐ 7/64-in. drill bit
- ☐ 1/4 cup measuring cup

Day One

Games

Supplies

- ☐ Sidewalk chalk
- ☐ Creation Days Help Sheet (see Resources)

Pre-Prep

Make copies of the Creation Days Help Sheets.

Concession Stand

Ingredients

- ☐ Popped popcorn (prepare as you normally do)
- ☐ Any bright-colored drink, 1 quart for every 5 children

Pre-Prep

Prepare popcorn as you would normally. Butter and salt to your taste.

Prepare the drink according to package directions

Popcorn is a choking hazard for children under four so don't serve it to young children.

Craft

Materials

- ☐ Colored cardstock, 1 piece per child
- ☐ White cardstock, 1 piece per child
- ☐ Wonder Wheel Cover pattern
- ☐ Wonder Wheel Spinner pattern
- ☐ Jumbo craft sticks, 1 per child
- ☐ 1-in. paper fasteners, 1 per child

Tools and Basic Supplies

- ☐ Crayons
- ☐ Masking tape
- ☐ Scissors

Nail Pre-Prep

Print the Wonder Wheel Cover pattern onto colored cardstock and the Wonder Wheel Spinner pattern onto white cardstock.

Cut the covers and spinners out.

With a nail, poke out the center points in the covers and spinners.

Day Two

Games

Supplies

- ☐ Socks, scarf, or strip of cloth per child
- ☐ Sidewalk chalk
- ☐ Beanbags/Balls

Pre-Prep

Either draw the bullseye target ahead of time or let the kids do it themselves. Assign point totals to each concentric ring: 10 for the outer ring, 20 for the middle, and 50 for the inner.

Concession Stand

Ingredients

- ☐ Premade white cake with white icing
- ☐ Equal portions of white grape juice and ginger ale, 1 quart of mixture for every 5 children

Pre-Prep

Buy one or more white bakery cakes or bake your own cake. If baking your own, cool and frost cake with white icing.

Craft

Materials

- ☐ Beading cord, 20–25 in. per child
- ☐ A variety of craft beads (pony, round, faceted, fun foam, etc.)
- ☐ Small hair rubber bands, 2 per child
- ☐ Optional: Child size sunglasses

Tools and Basic Supplies

- ☐ Scissors

Pre-Prep

Tie a knot in the middle of the rubber bands.

Cut the beading cord into 20-in. lengths for Toddlers/Pre-Primaries and 25-in. lengths for Primaries/Juniors.

Day Three

Games

No Prep

Concession Stand

Ingredients

- ☐ Assorted fruit, 2 sticks per child

Sunny Lemonade Ingredients

Powdered lemonade drink mix, 1 quart for every 5 children

Pre-Prep

Wash and cut the fruit into bite-sized pieces.

Skewer 6–8 pieces of fruit onto long coffee stirrer or bamboo skewer and put on a plate for serving.

Craft

Materials

- ☐ Clear plastic jars with screw-on lids, 1 per child
- ☐ Colored chenille stems, 2 per child
- ☐ Small bug stickers, 6–8 per child
- ☐ Pine needles, small pinecones, small sticks

Tools and Basic Supplies

- ☐ Hand drill
- ☐ 7/64-in. drill bit

Pre-Prep

Drill several air holes in the lids of each jar, including two for the chenille stem handles.

Day Four

Games

- ☐ Sideway Chalk
- ☐ Sheets of paper

Concession Stand

Ingredients

- ☐ Ice pops or ice cream bars

Fruit Nectar Ingredients

Any orange-colored drink, 1 quart for every 5 children

Crafts

Materials

- ☐ Toasted oat cereal, 1/4 cup per child
- ☐ Colored chenille stems, 1 or 2 per child
- ☐ Small paper plates, 1 per child

Tools and Basic Supplies

- ☐ 1/4 cup measuring cup

Pre-Prep

1. Make several sample Bitty Bird Feeders in different shapes and colors for the kids to see.
2. Measure out 1/4 cup of toasted oat cereal onto paper plates for each child.

Day Five

Games

No Prep

Concession Stand

Ingredients

- ☐ Triangle-shaped corn tortilla chips, 10–12 per child
- ☐ Cheese dip, 2 T. per child

Dino Drink Ingredients

- ☐ Any green-colored drink, 1 quart for every 5 children

Pre-Prep

Put the chips and dip on a plate.

Craft

Materials

- ☐ Large brown grocery bags, 2 per child
- ☐ Lunch-size brown paper bags, 4 per child

Tools and Basic Supplies

- ☐ Scissors

Pre-Prep

For each child, roll the edges of one large grocery bag almost all the way down.