

What's the big idea

Forest Life



The idea of this adventure is to focus the Beaver scouts on the care of wild animals in their local environment. Beaver Scouts need to firstly identify the animals and birds that might be in need of help.

In the 'Tribe Theme' the tribe are very close to nature and very aware that animals and birds are very important to life. Humans and animals have to survive together and in times of hardship the humans are kind to their friends in the forest.



Caring for our Friends

Ideas on what to do

Plan

During the winter talk to the Lodge about how they can help the birds and animals that struggle to find food and water. Get some feedback about what things that they have done in the past to help these birds and animals

Do

Make bird feeders cheaply by the following: Take the cookie cutter and punch a nice shape out of the white bread. Punch a hole into it for yarn to hang, thread the yarn through. Let the white bread shapes sit out for a day or two so that they become firm. Spread peanut butter on the bread, then turn over and push into some seeds and nuts. Hang outside on a tree for the birds to eat.

Review

Have a chat outside while watching the bird feeders about how they got on. What did they collect in their memory bags

Comments

Find out what are the best things to leave out for them.

Resources

Bread. Peanut butter. Scone cutters. Seeds and nuts