



A Year's Worth of Mentoring Activities

52 ideas, one for each week of the year

January

- Celebrate National Mentoring Month.
- Make your New Year's resolutions and set your mentoring goals.
- Develop a website.
- Write thank you notes for holiday presents.

February

- Rent each others' favorite movies.
- Read the same book and discuss it.
- Go sledding.
- Talk about your first job.

March

- Go to a high school basketball game.
- Make plans for spring break.
- Talk about planning a career.
- Set goals for physical fitness and work out together.

April

- Go to a baseball game.
- Plant seeds for a garden.
- Talk about taxes.
- Tour a college campus and learn about how to prepare for enrollment.

May

- Go to a high school play.
- Work on a resume.
- Plant a tree.
- Go fishing.

June

- Look for a summer job or internship.
- Go to an free outdoor concert.
- Develop a portfolio to showcase skills.
- Shoot some hoops.
- Go outside and take pictures together.
- Build a birdhouse or craft project.

July

- Talk about news and current events.
- Go to a community parade.
- Search for fireworks displays.
- Go see a movie with a mentoring theme and discuss it.
- Talk about how to look for a job.

August

- Go to the beach.
- Make dinner together.
- Share a talent or teach a skill.
- Talk about planning a budget.

September

- Prepare for the school year.
- Tour your city/town.
- Share each other's worries.
- Volunteer for a fundraiser or service project together.

October

- Go to a football game.
- Tackle some homework.
- Share life experiences.
- Talk about what it takes to succeed.
- Go on a haunted hayride.

November

- Take a walk together.
- Talk about elections and politics.
- Eat a Thanksgiving dinner together.
- Write a book or poem together.

December

- Help make creative presents for each others' friends and families.
- Bake holiday cookies together.
- Make a scrapbook of all the different things you have done.
- Talk about the future.