## COLLECTOR

ADVENTURER RECREATION AWARD


## PAULTOMPKINS



## ADVENTURER AWARDS

- Household Arts - 7
- Nature - 17
- Recreation - 23
- Spiritual - I5
- Arts \& Crafts - 21



## COLLECTOR REQUIREMENTS

Requirements

- I. Describe what a collector does.
- 2. Name five popular things that people collect.
- 3. Make two different personal collections with at least 20 items in each.
- a. Objects such as stamps, postcards, coins, etc.
- b. Nature objects such leaves, rocks, feathers, shells, etc.


## REQUIREMENTS

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- OR
- c. Make one personal collection of objects; and
- d.As a group or class, collect nature items.
- 4. Have a collector's show and display your personal collections neatly arranged with all objects well identified.
- 5. Show and explain something you have learned about in one of your collections.


## WHAT DOES A COLLECTOR DO?

- A collector is a person who collects certain things as a hobby.This includes gathering things in which he or she is interested in, and learning about them..
- Some examples are stamps, stickers, buttons, coins, dolls, model cars, animal cards, rocks, shells, feathers, etc.
- There is no limit to what you can collect.
- Collecting is FUN.



## COLLECTING IS FOR ALL AGES

Educational
Exciting
Affordable


## NAME 5 THINGS A PERSON COLLECTS

 (HERE'S SOME SUGGESTIONS )* COINS
* STAMPS

* CARDS
* PINS OR SCARVES (ADVENTURERS \& PATHFINDERS)

* MODEL CARS
* DOLLS
* BUTTONS OR ROSETTES
* ROCKS \& SHELLS
* BIBLE EXPO (OLDEST OR VERSIONS)
* NATURE A-Z
- The group leader should make sure that it is permissible to collect in the area you go to. Then enjoy a good nature walk activity, collecting as you go.
- You may wish to collect items such as rocks, leaves or seeds. Look at trees too.
- (A) Collect one item for each letter of the alphabet, as an apple for $A$, a bug for $B$ (use a bug box), carnation for $C$, etc. (You may need to be creative and include some non-nature items.) (B) Leaders could consider a pre-planned Bible or Nature treasure hunt with written clues for the children to follow with a "treasure" at the end of the hunt.


## BIBLE NAMES

An A-Z scrapbook collection of interesting Bible Names - Characters or Cities, Tribes or Rivers. If you started with A for Adam can you think of someone (male or female) or somewhere for most letters of the alphabet?

Who's that in the picture? What did he do?


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## EXAMPLES OF BIBLE NAMES

HOW MANY DO YOU KNOW?

- A - Adam
- B - Barnabus
- C - Caleb
-D - Deborah
- E - Elizabeth

CANYOU CONTINUE TO THE END?

- F - Fishermen
- G - Gideon
- H - Herod
- I - Isaac
- J - Jesus


## FASCINATING FACTS ABOUT COLLECTORS WHAT'S IN A NAME?

- Collector
- Archtophilist
- Bibliophilist
- Conchologist
- Deltiologist
- Numismatist
- Philatelist
- Plangonologist

Collection
Teddy Bears
Books
Shells
Postcards
Coins
Stamps
Dolls


## STRANGE THINGS PEOPLE COLLECT

Soap Bars - Carol Vaugn, 65 from
Birmingham UK, has an impressive collection of more than 5,000 bars of soap from all over the world.


## SOME FAMOUS COLLECTORS

- Angeline Jolie - Antique Knives
- Quentin Tarantino - Board Games
- Claudia Schiffer - Insects
- Tom Hanks - Typewriters
- Demi Moore - Porcelain Dolls
- Leonardo Di Caprio - Action Figures
- Janet Jackson - Pig Figurines
- Elton John - Sunglasses



## TOP THINGS MOST KIDS COLLECT

- I.Lego
- 2.Toy Cars
- 3.Barbie Dolls

- 4. Stuffed Animals

6. Coins/Cash

- 7. Cards
- 8. Rocks/Stones
- 9. Nintendo memorabilia
- 10.Squichies


## LEGO COLLECTING AND DISPLAYS

THERE IS A LEGOLAND IN DENMARK


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## LEGO FUN FACTS



- LEGO's founder, Ole Kirk Christiansen, created the name "LEGO" from taking the first two letters of the Danish words LEG GODT, meaning "play well".
- The famous LEGO brick that we play with today is more than $\mathbf{5 0}$ years old. The bricks made way back in 1958 will still fit perfectly with those you play with today!
- Laid end to end, the number of LEGO bricks sold in a year would reach more than five times round the world.


## MORE LEGO FUN FACTS

. LEGO Minifigures are the world's largest population, with over $\mathbf{4}$ billion of them around the world On average there are $\mathbf{8 0}$ LEGO bricks for every person on earth.

Wow! Pretty amazing, huh?


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## COLLECT 20 ITEMS



Pathfinder National Scarves collected at Camporees. This one is the Scottish Master Guide Scarf.

I have a collection of over 20 scarves from all different countries.


## PATHFINDER SCARVES



## SWAPPING SCARVES AT CAMPOREES

Do you know where these countries are?
They bring back great memories of some wonderful camps and great people.



## CAMPOREE BADGES

There's one available for this camp too.


## PINS AND BADGES



YOU CAN COLLECT MANY PINS


SWAPPING IS GREAT FUN


## MY GRANDAUGHTERS' ROSETTES

AN ONGOING COLLECTION


RUNNING OUT OF SPACE


## CARDS -TOPTRUMPS

Many card sets available



## GETTING STARTED



## DECIDE WHAT YOUWANTTO COLLECT

- The best advice is to start collecting something that you are interested in.
- My first collection was coins and I swapped pennies from my pocket money with any interesting ones from my father's shop.


## START SMALL AND ADD TOYOUR COLLECTION

- "i started collecting in 1963, since then i have concentrated on british coins but at the same time my collection has grown with foreign coins as well. the best advice i can give is to collect to what you can afford, do not overstretch your budget and have a focal point for your collection such as coins from your own country that are readily available." (forum quote)



## DISPLAY YOUR COLLECTION

I started collecting coins as a young boy.

My collection was of pre-decimal British Coins.

These are coins before 1971


## COIN DISPLAY

My display of British Coins


## THE $£ I$ NOTE IN MY COLLECTION

Each Bank Note has a different serial number - we are all unique too.
Each $£ \mathrm{I}$ note is worth the same whether it is brand new or old like this one. We are all worth the same to God.

You can tell it is genuine by the special marks - we are special too as Christian boys and girls.


## COLLECTIONS TELL A STORY

- The Parable of the Lost Coin (Luke I5:8-I0)


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## WHAT CAN WE LEARN FROMTHE STORY?

What is Jesus' point in this story?
I recently lost some coins from my collection - I was so happy when I found them again.
"Rejoice with me I have found my lost coin." Coins are important but so are you - you are priceless to God!

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## COLLECTING IS FOR LIFE

- A friend of mine started learning about Marine Invertebrates at summer camp his leader and the group went down to the beach to see what they could find on the sand and in the shallow rock pools.
- This led to a lifetime career of learning and teaching about nature.
- This could happen for you too.


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## TIME TO GET STARTED

- Have you already got a collection?
- Ask your mum and dad what they collected as children?
- My dad collected stamps.

- Your collection will be unique - just like you.



## WORKSHEET



COLLECTOR (Sunbeam)
British Union e-award
Worksheet Requirements

Name.

1. Describe what a collector does

2. Name five popular things that people collect.

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## SO WHAT AREYOU GOING TO COLLECT?

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