Aspiring Adventure

Teams are divided into 8 teams of 5 and assigned a color. Each team is given an envelope in their color which tells them which station to go to first. At each station, when they complete their task, the team is given a number of points. The adult manning the station keeps track of the points and then gives the team their envelope telling them the next station they go to. They must complete them in order.

Station 1 - Entertainment and Media

Garbage In, Garbage Out game

- Materials required:
 - o List of slogans and scriptures with parts missing (one for each team)
 - o Answers for the person running the station
 - o Pens
- Directions:
 - Have the team go through the list of slogans and see if they can identify the company or the product.
 - Then have them go through the scriptures and try to fill in the parts missing.
- Points:
 - o The team gets a point for each scripture answer they get right.

Discussion:

"Whatever you read, listen to, or look at has an effect on you." Media and music have a
powerful influence on your mind. You need to be selective about what you allow to
have that influence.

Station 2 - Gratitude

Thank You Cards

- Materials required:
 - o Thank you cards, pens
- Directions:
 - o Each team member will write a note to someone in our ward a parent, leader, bishopric member, someone who has done something nice for them, whoever.
 - o The card recipients name needs to be on the front of the envelope.
 - o Cards will be delivered on Sunday.
- Discussion:
 - o "The Lord wants you to have a spirit of gratitude in all you do and say. Live with a spirit of thanksgiving and you will have greater happiness and satisfaction in your life."

Station 3 - Sabbath Day

Articles of Faith

- Directions:
 - The team needs to recite all of the Articles of Faith. Everyone can participate on each article.
- Points:
 - o The team receives a point for everyone they get right. They don't have to know what number each is or do them in order.
- Discussion:

o Knowing the Articles of Faith will help you share the gospel. Like the Primary kids, you should be learning and re-learning these until you can recite them all from memory.

Station 4 - Friends

Human Darts Game

- Materials:
 - o Canned whipped cream, corn pops, safety goggles, plastic poncho, towel, tub of water
- Directions:
 - The team spreads the whipped cream on the face of one member. That person stands on the straight line.
 - The rest of the team is given 3 corn pops. They stand on the curved line and throws corn pops trying to get them to stick to the whipped cream.
- Points:
 - o The team gets a point for each corn pop that sticks until the end.
- Discussion:
 - "Choose your friends carefully. They will greatly influence how you think and act, and even help determine the person you will become." Choose friends who will help you stick to your values.

Station 5 - Dress and Appearance

Raincoat activity

- Materials:
 - A box of clothes (including the firemen's hat with visor and a raincoat), squirt bottles full
 of water
- Directions:
 - One member of the team is chosen to wear the clothes. The team (not the person chosen) picks out what clothes to put on their choice. The goal is to cover them as much as possible.
 - The team then takes the squirt bottles and squirt the person.
- Points:
 - They get 8 points just for doing it.
- Discussion:
 - Once the person was dressed, were they appropriately covered? We are asked to dress modestly to show respect to our bodies and to protect ourselves. "The way you dress is a reflection of what you are on the inside. Your dress and grooming send messages about you to others and influence the way you and others act."

Station 6 - Family

Indexing activity

- Materials:
 - o Laptops ready to do indexing on the church website
- Directions:
 - o Each team will do 10 lines of indexing accurately (or a certain amount of time).
- Points:
 - The team gets a point for each line.
- Discussion:

Redeeming the dead is one-third of the mission of the church – which shows how
important it is! With the technology we have today, it is the easiest it has ever been to
make a difference.

<u>Station 7</u> - Agency and Accountability Book of Mormon wall hanging quiz

- Materials:
 - o Book of Mormon wall hanging
- Directions:
 - Each member of the team will determine what story the picture is portraying and tell
 that story. Each member has to participating by telling one of the stories. Once each
 member has responded, anyone can answer the last few.
- Points:
 - o The team will receive a point for each story correctly identified and told.
- Discussion:
 - o Each of these people had agency to choose whether or not to do what God asked them to do. You will never be asked to stand on a wall and testify of Christ while people shoot arrows at you like Samuel. Or go on a mission to a land where the people will most likely kill you, like Ammon. Or leave everything and move your family without knowing where you're going, like Lehi. But "You are responsible for the choices you make. You should not blame your circumstances, your family, or your friends if you choose to disobey God's commandments. You are a child of God with great strength. You have the ability to choose righteousness and happiness, no matter what your circumstances."

When all stations are complete, the team comes back to the house. The points are totaled and prizes are given.