

# Cub Scout Den Meeting Outline

Month: **December**

Week: **1**

Point of the Scout Law: **Courteous**

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Before the Meeting	Gather materials for gathering and other activities, games and have home assignments (if any) ready.	Gather materials for gathering and other activities, games and have home assignments (if any) ready.	Gather materials for gathering and other activities, games and have home assignments (if any) ready.	Gather materials for gathering and other activities, games and have home assignments (if any) ready.	Gather materials for gathering and other activities, games and have home assignments (if any) ready.
Gathering	Courteous Word Search				
Opening	Magic Words Opening				
Game	All of Our Friends				
Activity	Perfect Poinsettias				
Business items/Take home	Cyber Chip	Cyber Chip	Cyber Chip	Cyber Chip	Cyber Chip
Closing	My Pledge Closing				
After the meeting					

**Materials:**

Gathering: copies of word search, pencils

Opening: flag

Game: copies of chart, pencils

Activities: leaf/flower template, red, green and yellow construction paper, green chenille stems, scissors, glue, push pins

Closing: My Pledge sheets

Home assignments: See home assignment sheets.

Advancement:

Tiger – Cyber Chip, Team Tiger 5

Wolf – Cyber Chip

Bear – Cyber Chip

Webelos - Cyber Chip

Arrow of Light – Cyber Chip

## Be Courteous Word Search

G N P J G J O M J C L E Q Q G  
J N B E P O L I T E M V H Y O  
S V I X G I U G I O P P W R N  
S E Q P H K N D C M L M L A I  
V D R Z L I I L S R E N N A M  
P B M V K E E N V L A J K T G  
Z T N L I W H E D U S O D H N  
Z W A J E C X G J N E T Z A I  
X T F R L C E R Z V E Y E N T  
T E U P U T I S C W K S A K I  
Y O L S B E H A P P Y S S Y A  
Y W E I P F T C M H K O T O W  
N M N H M K B M V I U C E U S  
E Q J B A S X C N K S E T P Y  
D B E W S N P G O A T R E V N

Find the following words that have to do with **being courteous**:

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Be Polite

Excuse Me

Helping

Kindness

Manners

Please

Service

Sit Up

Smile

Talking

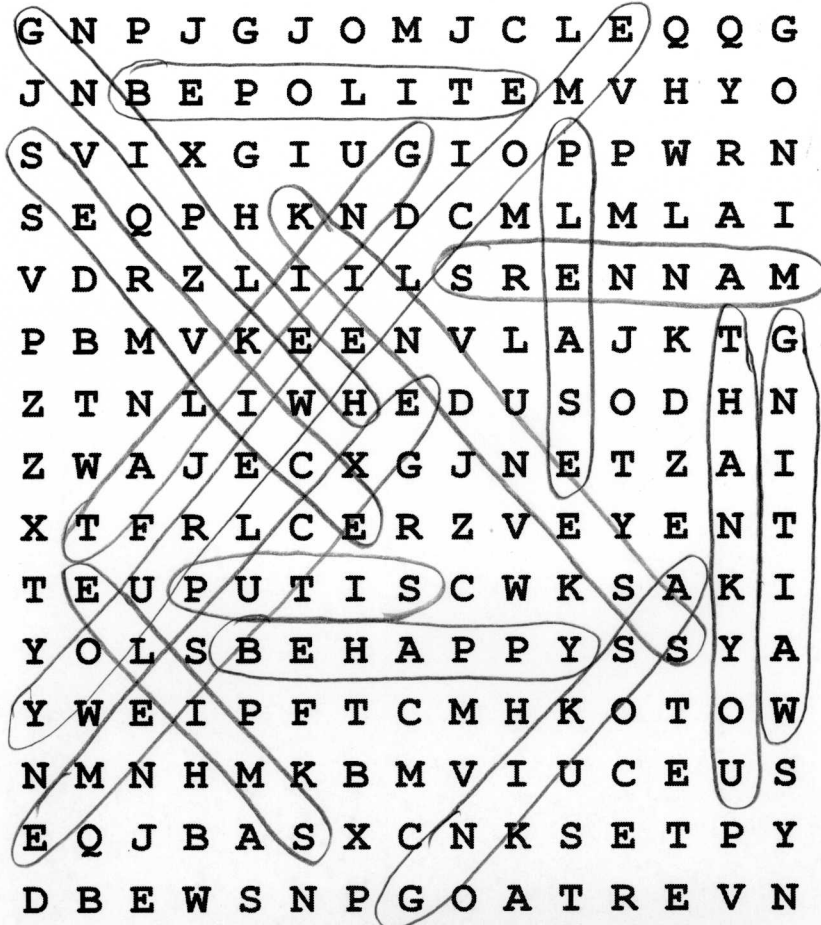
Thank You

Waiting

You're Welcome

The words "thank you!" are written in a colorful, playful font. "thank" is on the top line and "you!" is on the bottom line. The letters are in various colors: 't' is yellow, 'h' is green, 'a' is light blue, 'n' is red, 'k' is yellow, 'y' is orange, 'o' is light blue, and '!' is orange.

## Be Courteous Word Search



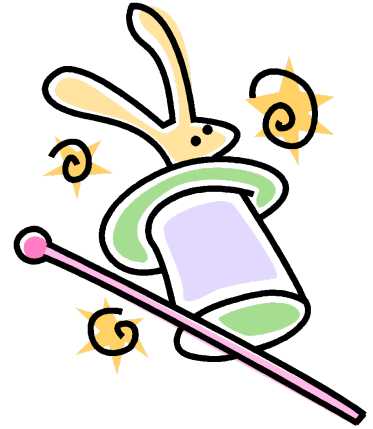
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# Magic Words Opening



## Materials:

Flag

## Cubmaster:

Part of being respectful is being courteous, appreciative, kind and thoughtful. There are important words that tell someone that you are respectful. I call them magic words. I'm sure the Cub Scouts here already know these words.

What do we say when someone gives us something or does something for us?  
These are magic words.

[Hopefully the Cub Scouts will say, "Thank You."]

What do we say when we've requested something... and it starts with the letter "p"?

[Hopefully the Cub Scouts will say, "Please."]

What do we say when someone says, "Thank you" to us?

[Hopefully the Cub Scouts will say, "You're welcome."]

These are simple words but they are important. Do your best to add kind deeds to these magic words.

Please join me in the Pledge of Allegiance and the Scout Oath and Scout Law.

# All of Our Friends

## Materials:

Pencils

copies of “All of Our Friends Chart”



## Instructions:

1. Distribute a copy of the “All of Our Friends Chart” to each Cub Scout along with a pencil.
2. Explain that Cub Scouts will find 5 Cub Scouts and write their names in the left column (under “Name”).
3. They will talk to the Cub Scout and find out about their hair color (and write it on the same line, but the 2<sup>nd</sup> column), their eye color (and write it on the same line, but the 3<sup>rd</sup> column), and their favorite food (and write it on the same line, but the 4<sup>th</sup> column).
4. Give the Cub Scouts a certain amount of time to complete the task of talking and finding out this information (10-15 minutes).
5. Lead the following discussion and ask the following questions:  
Did everyone you talk to have the same hair color as you? Eye color as you?  
Does everyone have the same favorite food? [Have some of them share what things they learned from each other.]

There are probably lots of other questions you could have also asked – like what’s their favorite color or favorite game or favorite show on TV. We would learn more about how are friends are different, but that’s OK. We can still learn to work together and play together even if we are not all the same.

# All of Our Friends

Name	Hair Color	Eye Color	Favorite Food



## Perfect Poinsettias



### Materials

Flower/Leaf templates (1 per Cub Scout to trace)

Red and green construction paper (1 sheet per Cub Scout)

Scissors

Pencil (for tracing templates onto colored paper and for punching a hole)

Green chenille stem (1 per Cub Scout)

Glue

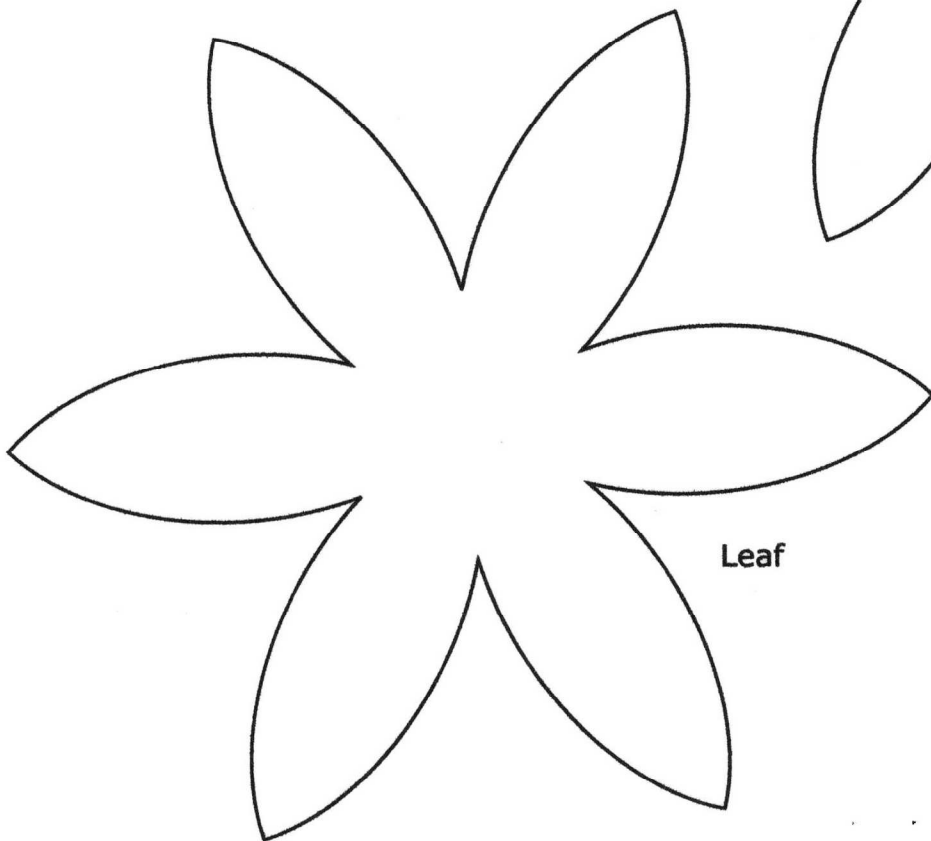
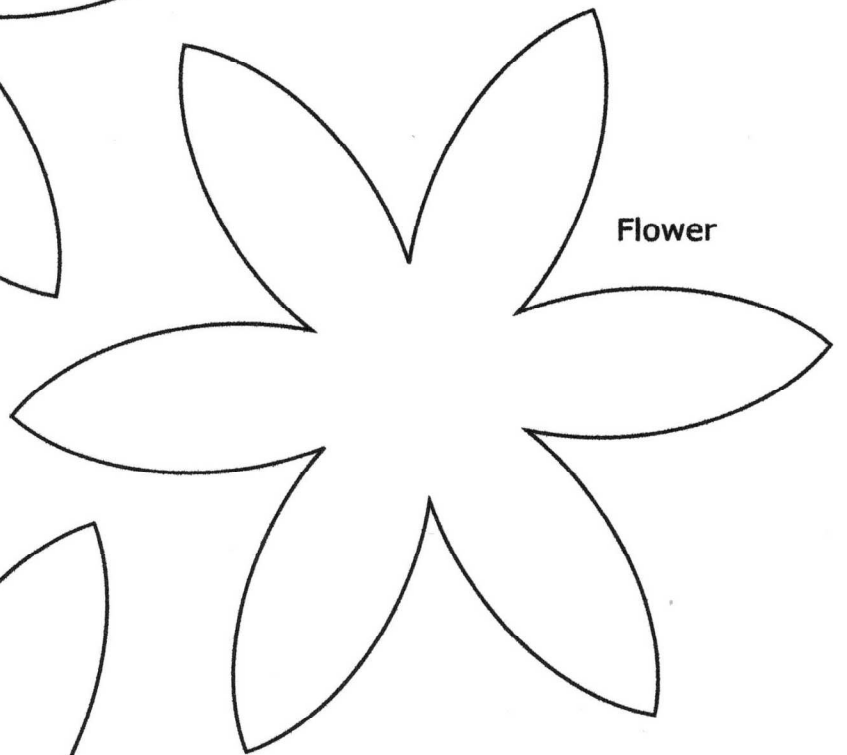
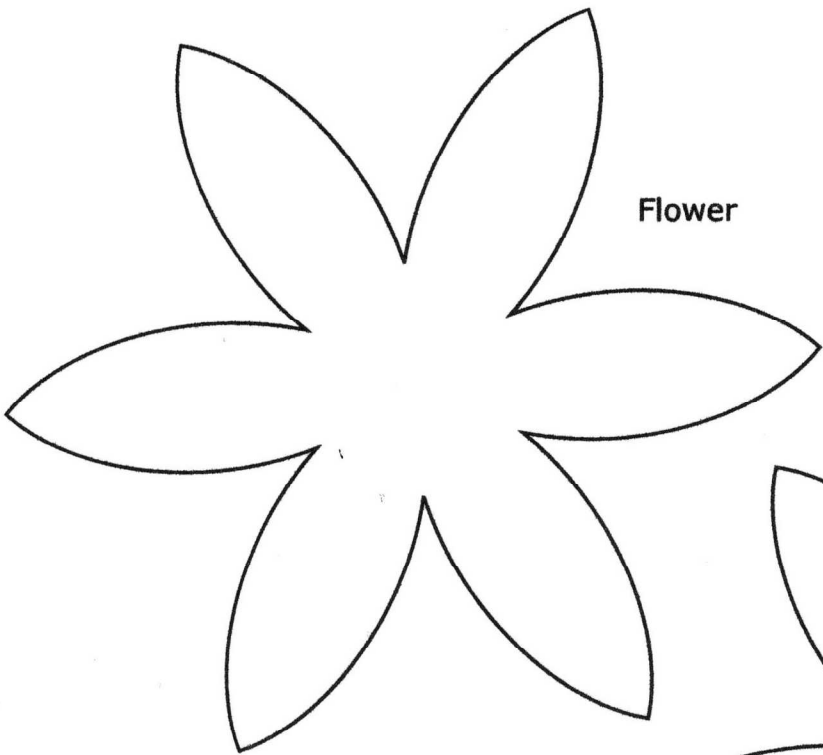
Small pieces of yellow construction paper rolled into small balls

Pushpins (to help punch two holes)

### Directions:

1. Cut out a flower/leaf template from the copied cardstock. Each Cub Scout needs one template to trace.
2. Trace the template 2 times on red paper and 1 time on green paper.
3. Cut out the flower and the leaf that have been traced onto the colored paper.
4. Glue the 2 flowers together. Position the flowers in such a way that the first flower's petals stick out from the spaces in between the second flower's petals.
5. Glue the leaf behind the bottom flower. Position the leaf so that its points stick out from the poinsettia's petals.
6. Using a pushpin and a pencil, carefully poke two holes in the center of the glued poinsettia.
7. Bend your green chenille stem in half and pull it through the holes in the poinsettia.
8. Make 3 small pieces of yellow paper and roll them into 3 balls. Glue these balls onto the middle of the flower on top of the chenille stem.
9. Once the flower has dried completely, you can use the chenille stem to attach your flower to almost anything as a decoration.







## My Pledge Closing

**Setup:** Cubmaster leads the audience in reading the pledge out loud together.

**Materials:**

Copies of this pledge for Cub Scouts to read



As a Cub Scout, I pledge to always have respect for my leaders, for others, and for myself.

As a Cub Scout, I pledge to always show respect in thought, in word and deed.

As a Cub Scout, I pledge to be careful in what I say and not speak angry words that hurt others.

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