A Year’s Worth of Mentoring Activities

52 ideas, one for each week of the year

1. Ask Mentee to give you a tour of their school
2. Draw pictures of their favorite things (flowers, cars, toys, family, etc.)
3. Talk about goals
4. Plan a career/Look up careers on the internet
5. Find an activity in the resource handbook
6. Give them (pretend) one hundred dollars, map out what they would do with it and why
7. Visit a place around the world (globe, map, internet)
8. Mentee does a family collage’ (old magazines, construction paper, glue, scissors)
9. Find an activity in the resource handbook
10. Make a card for someone special
11. Play Uno (challenge mentee to add/subtract/etc. their card by the card already down)
12. Share a snack
13. Start a scrapbook
14. Learn about their type of music
15. Mentee does a friend’s collage
16. Have a picnic outdoors
17. Help with schoolwork/school project
18. Plant a flower/tree
19. Do an anagram (E-Exciting, R-Right handed, I-Intelligent, C-Cute) of your names
20. Mentee does a personal (self) collage
21. Visit another place around the world
22. Make a card for a friend
23. Make popcorn and share/Listen as they talk
24. Play Scrabble (challenge mentee to put their spelling words on the board)
25. Create a calendar with (silly) things that your mentee has to do each day (count to 100 backwards, give their mom/dad a kiss on their cheek, sit next to their teacher at lunch/ask teacher to have lunch with them, etc.)
26. Make a mock report card
27. Share a snack
28. Exercise
29. Shoot some hoops
30. Race to see who can name the 50 states on a blank map
31. Play Uno
32. Add to the scrapbook
33. Start a hobby
34. Make a card for someone
35. Visit another place around the world
36. Read newspaper and discuss current events
37. Have a picnic outdoors
38. Help with schoolwork/school project
39. Visit another place around the world
40. Share a snack
41. Exercise
42. Shoot some hoops
43. Add to the scrapbook
44. Make a card for someone
45. Make popcorn and share/Listen as they talk
46. Play Scrabble
47. Visit another place around the world
48. Play Uno
49. Find an activity in the resource handbook
50. Work on hobby
51. Celebrate their success
52. Celebrate your success