## Advent calendar activity ideas

Category	Activity	
Christmas	Bake cookies for santa / Reindeer food	
Christmas	Christmas Light Scavenger Hunt.  Drive around town looking for Christmas lights. Create a list of things to spot (e.g., snowman, reindeer, nativity scene).	
Christmas	Dance to Christmas music	
Christmas	Decorate grandparents' tree	
Christmas	Listen to Christmas carols/show	
Christmas	Paint your nails Christmas style / Christmas book	
Christmas	Take photos with Santa	
Christmas	Visit Cathedral Christmas trees	
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Crafts	Bird feeder	
Crafts	Christmas craft	
Crafts	Create gift labels	
Crafts	Decorate gift paper	
Crafts	DIY gifts	
Crafts	Harvest/Plant Christmas flower	
Crafts	Make Christmas cards	
Crafts	Make Christmas garland	
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Crafts	Make Christmas ornaments.	
Crafts	Make thank you cards to teachers	
Crafts	Paint a Christmas picture	
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Crafts	Wrap presents	
Family	Camp out	
Family	Charades	
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Family	Christmas dress Family dinner/movie night	
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Family	Make a Christmas drink and have a family game night	
Family	Op shop for Fancy dress family dinner	
Family 	Paint your nails Christmas style / Christmas book	
Family 	Visit the last Toy Library open sessions for Christmas toy hires	
Family	Shopping for gifts	
Food	Bake cookies for Santa / Reindeer food	
Food	Bake Gingerbread (1)	
Food	Brownie mix in a jar	



**Food** Butter cookies Food Almond clusters **Food** Chai tea latte mix Food Choc bottom slice Food Christmas caramels Food Christmas drink Food Decorate gingerbread house (3) Food Dehydrate oranges for garland/fancy drinks Food Get berries for Christmas day Food Make a Christmas recipe Food Peppermint choc bark Food Popcorn ball kits Food Put together gingerbread house (2) Food Salted Caramel nuts Food Salted choc honeycomb Food Turkish delight **Give** Donate to charity (Supermarket bins) Go for a walk and do acts of kindness (pick up litter, pay for someone's **Give** coffee). **Give** Leave a note and cookie treats for a neighbour Get a Toy Library voucher to gift to a family with a new baby/young children **Give Give** Op shops for Christmas gifts - teachers, family Give Wrap gifts and deliver Receive Christmas advent calendar Receive Christmas book Receive Christmas shirts. Christmas music and decorate Christmas tree



Receive

## **Example Christmas advent calendar plan**

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Monday, 1 December 2025	Christmas advent calendar	Make Christmas ornaments.
Tuesday, 2 December 2025	Visit Cathedral Christmas trees.	
Wednesday, 3 December 2025	Make thank you cards to teachers	
Thursday, 4 December 2025	Christmas clothes.	Christmas music and decorate Christmas tree
Friday, 5 December 2025	Christmas book.	
Saturday, 6 December 2025	Donate to charity (Supermarket bins)	Make a Christmas recipe
Sunday, 7 December 2025	Dehydrate oranges for garland/fancy drinks (1)	
Monday, 8 December 2025	Op shops for Christmas gifts - teachers, family (1)	
Tuesday, 9 December 2025	Make Christmas cards (1)	
Wednesday, 10 December 2025	Decorate gift paper (2)	Have a family game night
Thursday, 11 December 2025	Wrap gifts and deliver (3)	
Friday, 12 December 2025	Christmas book	
Saturday, 13 December 2025	Make a Christmas drink (2)	
Sunday, 14 December 2025	Take photos with santa	Make Christmas garland. (2)
Monday, 15 December 2025	Go for a walk and do acts of kindness (pick up litter, pay for someone's coffee).	
Tuesday, 16 December 2025	Christmas Light Scavenger Hunt, Drive around town looking for Christmas lights. Create a list of things to spot (e.g., snowman, reindeer, nativity scene).	
Wednesday, 17 December 2025	Bake Gingerbread	
Thursday, 18 December 2025	Put together gingerbread house	Op shop for Fancy dress family dinner
Friday, 19 December 2025	Decorate gingerbread house	
Saturday, 20 December 2025	Paint your nails Christmas style	Make a bird feeder
Sunday, 21 December 2025	Christmas dress Family dinner/movie night	
Monday, 22 December 2025	Christmas book	
Tuesday, 23 December 2025	Get Christmas berries.	
Wednesday, 24 December 2025	Bake cookies for Santa / Reindeer food	



## Printable day cards



























































