

## **PodPack**

Hiking

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Welcome to the Kids' Poetry Club PodPack on Hiking!



Every episode of *Kids' Poetry Club* comes with a free PodPack of activities based on that week's poems.

Just download it from kidspoetryclub.com, print it out, and join in the fun!

Check out the final page for information on how to submit your own poems and drawings to *Kids' Poetry Club!* 

#### Activity 1: Landscapes

In the episode, Queenie and Chicken have looked at books about landscape painters, and then paint the lovely view from their lookout. Queenie pretends to be Georgia O'Keefe, and Chicken pretending to be Gwendolyn Bennett. Take a look at some landcsape painting in books or online, and then use the space below to do a drawing of the view out of your window. If you want, you can then send it into the Club as part of the Home competition.

#### Activity 2: Draw A Map

In the episode, Queenie carries a trusty map with her on every hike. Do a little research online to learn about map symbols. Then, in the space below, draw a map of how to get from your home to a friend's home. Make sure you include all of the details that people will need to follow the map correctly, like landmarks and street names. Use some of the symbols that you learned about in your research.

#### Activity 3: A Poem To Read

#### "My Picnic"

I found a nice spot and laid down my blanket, then went back to the car to go fetch the hamper.

I opened it up, and got out the treats: the vegetables and fruits, and three types of cheese.

I had biscuits and cake, and juices galore, enough for us all, and a large number more.

I arranged it all nicely, then went back to the car to fetch cushions and napkins. Though the walk wasn't far,

the animals pounced quickly and as you'd predict, I went hungry the day that my picnic was nicked.



### Activity 4: Fill Your Backpack

In the episode, Queenie tells Little Dazzy Donuts all about the items that she carries around in her backpack. It includes several that are really important for a hike - like a first aid kit. Think about what you would take on a hike to ensure that you were fully prepared, and then write the list below.



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