JOEY SCOUT SECTION - MEETING PROGRAM				
DATE: //	THEME: Frogs		MEETING TYPE IN/OUTDOORS	LEADER:

TIME	MINUTES	METHODS OF LEARNING	ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION	EQUIPMENT REQUIRED	
	2-3	OPENING PARADE	Announcements	Australian Flag Joey Scout Flag	
	5	Game 1	Leap Frog Relay		
	15	Craft	Frog Hand Puppet	Paper bags Sheets of green, red, black and white paper Template shapes Pencils Glue Scissors	
	5	Game 2	Musical Lily Pads	One lily pad Music machine	
	10	Activity 1	Draw and Colour	Scissors Colour pencils/crayons	
	5	Song	Foggy Songs to sing		
	10	Talk	All about Frogs		
	10	Story	A Froggy Story		
	5	Game 3	Hopping Frogs	Green Balloons on end of string	
	10	Activity 2	Origami Jumping Frog	Paper	
	5	Game 4	Parachute Froggy	Parachute Balloons	
	2-3	CLOSING PARADE	Presentations, Notices	Australian Flag, Joey Scout Flag Prayer	

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OPENING PARADE

Preparation for Opening Parade

Ensure that the Australian flag is correctly folded for breaking, and is hoisted to the masthead by the leader before parade is called. \bowtie

Leader:	"Joey Scouts on Parade"		
Joey Scouts:	Form a circle (Leaders and Helpers join the circle)		
Leader:	"Joey Scouts - Alert"	0	0
Leader or a 7 year old Joey Scout: Breaks the flag Leader: "Joey Scouts - Salute" Leader: "Prepare for Prayer" Prayer (or optional song)		•	Leaders and Helpers
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Special events	y:		
Birthdays:		-	
Leader:	"Joey Scouts - Break off"		

All Joey Scouts and leaders turn to the right and move off.

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GAME 1	Leap Frog Relay	MINUTES - 5
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Method:

Relay game

The Joeys form 2 teams standing in single file with each Joey about 2 metres apart.

Joeys bend down with hands on knees to make themselves as small as possible.

The last Joey in each line leap frogs over his team members until he reaches the front. Then he squats and yells "Go" for the new last Joey to begin.

CRAFT	Frog Hand Puppet	MINUTES - 15
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Make a paper bag hand puppet in the shape of a green frog.

Need:

- Paper bags
- Sheets of green, red, black and white paper
- Template shapes cut out of cardboard for tracing shapes (see pattern below)
- Pencils
- Glue
- Scissors

Method:

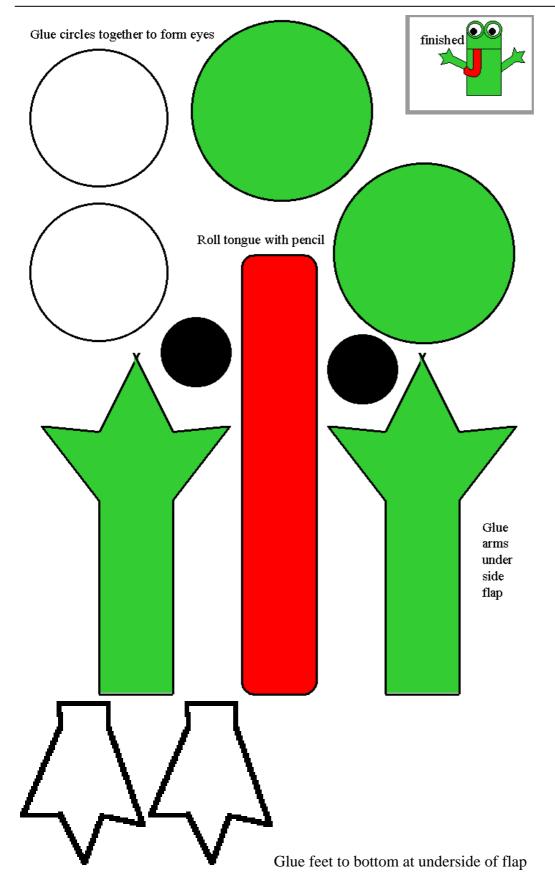
For the basic paper bag – choose one option:

- Use a brown paper bag that can be painted green (this is the messy and slowest option), and glue on a green face flap
- **or** glue green paper on face of a brown paper bag paper is longer than the bag so that it can be folded forward to form the face flap,
- **or** make a green paper bag with 2 sheets of green photocopy paper glued together with one sheet folded over the top of the other so that it forms a face flap

Use template to draw shapes for eyes, arms, feet and tongue onto the coloured paper. Then cut out these shapes. Glue eyes, tongue, arms and feet to the basic paper bag body.

Set aside to dry ready to use during the sing song later.

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GAME 2	Musical Lily Pads	MINUTES - 5
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Need:

- Cut out at least one lily pad (out of poster paper or newspaper) for each Joey.
- Music machine

Method:

Arrange lily pads in a circle, and turn on some music.

Joeys frog hop around the outside of the circle until the music stops.

Then they try to get to a lily pad.

As with "regular" musical chairs, you can play several different versions:

- One lily pad per person so no one is eliminated,
- The "classical" game where there is one less lily pad than child so one person is eliminated each time,
- Or take away one lily pad each time (but not children) so the froggies have to share lily pads, until eventually all the froggies are trying to stand on one lily pad.

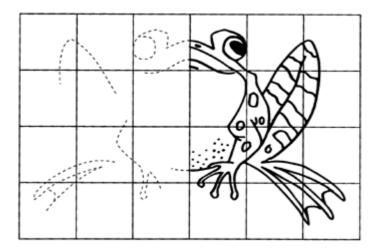
ACTIVITY 1	Draw and Colour	MINUTES - 5
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Option 1: Make and colour a bookmark



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Option 2: Enlarge and copy to an A4 sheet. Complete the drawing and colour the frog.



Need:

- Scissors
- Colour pencils or crayons

SONG	Foggy Songs to sing	MINUTES - 5

Froggy's Catching a Fly

(Tune: Pop goes the Weasel)

Here comes froggy, hoppity-hop Froggy's chasing a fly The fly did not think it was fun It tried to fly away

Round and round the fly went Froggy chased it all around Hoppity-hop, hoppity hop Can't let you get away

Froggy flipped his tongue out The fly got stuck to it And in one gulp the fly was gone In Froggy's tummy.

Round and round the fly went Froggy chased it all around Hoppity-hop, hoppity hop Can't let you get away

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THERE WAS A FROG WHICH SWALLOWED A ...

(Tune: There was an old lady who swallowed a fly) (lyrics by Maggie LLI) (sing to tune of 1st verse of song only)

There was a frog which swallowed a bee I don't know why it swallowed a bee Perhaps it's good.

There was a frog which swallowed a fly I don't know why it swallowed a fly Perhaps it's good.

There was a frog which swallowed a mosquito I don't know why it swallowed a mosquito Perhaps it's good.

There was a frog which swallowed a dragonfly I don't know why it swalllowed a dragonfly Perhaps it's good.

There was a frog which swallowed a grasshopper I don't know why it swallowed a grasshopper Perhaps it's good.

Frog Went A Courtin

A frog went a-courtin' and he did ride, M-hm, M-hm. A frog went a-courtin' and he did ride, Sword and pistol by his side, M-hm, M-hm.

He rode up to Miss Mousie's door, M-hm, M-hm, He rode up to Miss Mousie's door, Where he'd often been before, M-hm, M-hm.

He said, "Miss Mouse, are you within?" M-hm, M-hm, He said, "Miss Mouse, are you within?" "Yes, kind sir, I sit and spin." M-hm, M-hm.

He took Miss Mouse upon his knee, M-hm, M-hm, He took Miss Mouse upon his knee Said "Miss Mouse, will you marry me?" M-hm, M-hm.

"Without my Uncle Rat's consent, M-hm, M-hm, Without my Uncle Rat's consent I wouldn't marry the President." M-hm, M-hm.

Uncle Rat, he laughed and shook his fat sides, M-hm, M-hm, Uncle Rat, he laughed and shook his fat sides
To think his niece would be a bride, M-hm, M-hm.

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Then Uncle Rat rode off to town, M-hm, M-hm, Then Uncle Rat rode off to town To buy his niece a wedding gown, M-hm, M-hm.

"Oh, where will the wedding supper be?" M-hm, M-hm, "Oh where will the wedding supper be?" "Way down yonder in the hollow tree." M-hm, M-hm.

The first to come was the little white moth, M-hm, M-hm, The first to come was the little white moth
She spread out the tablecloth, M-hm, M-hm.

The next to come was the bumblebee, M-hm, M-hm, The next to come was the bumblebee Played the fiddle upon his knee, M-hm, M-hm.

The next to come was a little flea, M-hm, M-hm, The next to come was a little flea
Danced a jig with the bumblebee, M-hm, M-hm.

The next to come was Missus Cow, M-hm, M-hm, The next to come was Missus Cow
Tried to dance but didn't know how, M-hm, M-hm.

Now Mister Frog was dressed in green, M-hm, M-hm, Now Mister Frog was dressed in green Sweet Miss Mouse looked like a queen, M-hm, M-hm.

In slowly walked the Parson Rook, M-hm, M-hm, In slowly walked the Parson Rook Under his arm he carried a book, M-hm, M-hm.

They all gathered round the lucky pair, M-hm, M-hm, They all gathered round the lucky pair Singing, dancing everywhere, M-hm, M-hm.

Then Frog and Mouse went off to France, M-hm, M-hm, Then Frog and Mouse went off to France That's the end of my romance, M-hm, M-hm.

Mary Had a Little Frog

(Tune: "Mary had a Little Lamb")

Mary had a little frog, Little frog, little frog, Mary had a little frog, It's skin was green as grass. And everywhere that Mary went, Mary went, Mary went, Everywhere that Mary went, The frog would jump and splash.

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TALK	All about Frogs	MINUTES - 5
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It's easy to find information about frogs. Search on the net or borrow a book from your local council or school library.

Maybe you could find a frog expert in your area that could talk to the Mob about frogs. Perhaps there is a frog breeder in your area that could bring a few frogs along for the Mob to see and handle.

The message: Take **CARE** not to pollute the frog ponds and creeks so that the frogs have a healthy place to live.





STORY A Froggy Story MINUTES - 10

There are some wonderful stories and aboriginal dreamtime tales concerning frogs and these are readily available. Search on the net or borrow a book from your local council or school library.

GAME 3	Hopping Frogs	MINUTES - 5
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Need:

Green Balloons on end of string

Method:

Everyone blows up a balloon, ties a string around the balloon and his ankle leaving about a half a metre or so of string between his ankle and the balloon. When everyone is ready, Joeys frog hop about and try to break each other's balloons by hopping on them, but also try to keep from losing their balloon - if their balloon breaks, they may try to break other Joey's balloons- but the "winner" is the one who has his balloon unbroken.

GAME 4	Parachute Froggy	MINUTES - 5
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Need:

Parachute (a sheet or blanket can be used in place of a parachute) One, two or three green balloons with Froggy faces drawn on them

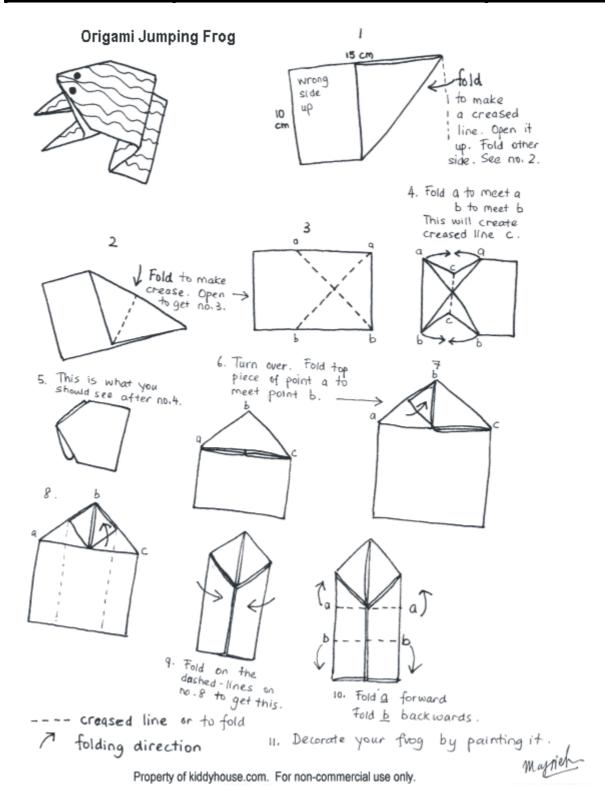
Method:

During play all the Joeys hold the edge of the parachute and flap the parachute up and down. Place the balloon(s) on top of the parachute and tell the Joeys the parachute is a lily pad, and the

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ground is the pond. As the lily pad "waves" around, try to keep the frog on the lily pad and out of the pond.

ACTIVITY Origami Jumping Frog MINUTES - 5



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Sit the Joeys down in a	quiet place for the announcements prior to parade:
Announcements:	
Details for Next week	
Activity details etc	
	CLOSING PARADE
Leader: Joey Scouts:	"Joey Scouts on Parade" Form a circle
Presentations:	
Certificates	
Challenge Badges	
Awards etc	
Leader:	"Joey Scouts - Alert"
Leader:	" Joey Scouts - Salute"
Leader:	lowers the flag (lowering must only be done by a Leader) The other leaders drop the salute as the flag comes to the lowest
Leader:	point and all the Joey Scouts do the same. "Prepare for Prayer"
Prayer:	(Joey Scout may read or say a prayer)
Leader:	"Good-bye Joey Scouts"
All reply:	"Good-bye Joey Scouts".
Leader:	"Joey Scouts - Dismiss"

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All Joey Scouts and Leaders turn to the right, Salute and move off.

Program Checklist

No.	ITEM	AVAILABLE
1.	Australian Flag	
2.		
3.	Paper bags	
	Sheets of green, red, black and white paper	
	Template shapes	
	Pencils	
	Glue	
	Scissors	
4.	One lily pad	
	Music machine	
5.	Scissors	
	Colour pencils/crayons	
6.	Green Balloons on end of string	
7.	Paper	
8.	Parachute	
	Balloons	
9.		

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