

DRAGON MUNCHIES

Day 3

Ingredients

- Dragon nails: Cone-shaped corn snacks, approximately 10 per child
- Dragon scales: Triangle-shaped chips, approximately 5 per child
- Dragon tongue: Fruit on a roll, 1 per child

Knight's Grog Drink Ingredients

- Powdered lemonade drink mix, 1 quart for every 5 children

Basic Supplies

- Large serving bowls
- Optional: snack-sized baggies
- Napkins, plates, and cups for serving, 1 per child
- Drink pitchers or coolers
- Stirring spoon

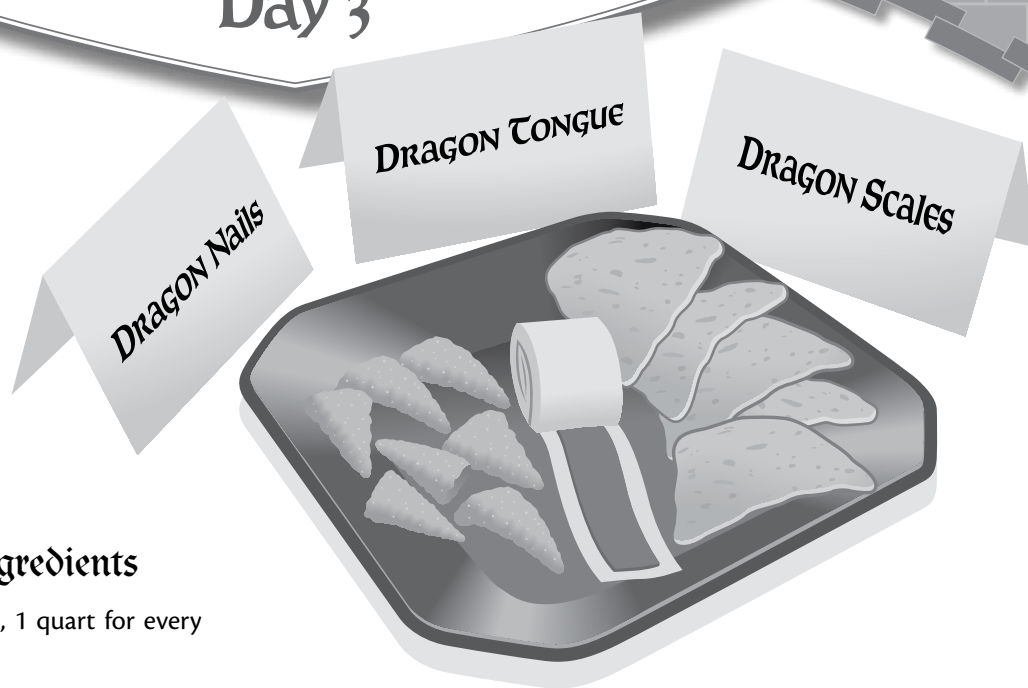
Pre-Prep

1. You can either put the various ingredients in large bowls and have the kids come through the line and serve themselves, or you can make individual baggies ahead of time of each item.
2. Prepare the drink according to package directions.

Teaching Tie-In

Pray for the snack. As everyone munches, say:

Heard any good tales of knights slaying dragons lately?
Take responses. **Did you know those probably aren't make-**



believe stories? The term *dragon* (which is used in some older Bible versions, by the way), was most likely another name for *dinosaur*, and we know from Scripture that dinosaurs, which were land animals, were created by God on Day Six of Creation Week (about 6,000 years ago) and lived with people (God made people on Day Six, too). So it's reasonable to think that there were still some surviving dinosaurs (dragons) during medieval times. That would make for some pretty interesting real encounters between knights and dragons, wouldn't it?

Class Time Directions

Kids may count out their own "nails" and "scales."

Tip Corner

- You can add or substitute other "dragon" possibilities, such as barbecued potato chips (or barbecued anything!), red-hot candies, dragon-roasted marshmallows, or mini meatballs on wooden spears.

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- A serving of 5 chips is equal to approximately 3/4 oz. per child. Make sure they are the triangle-shaped chips rather than the round ones.
- An option with the fruit on a roll is to give each child just part of a roll and stick two grapes (dragon's eyes) at the end.

Super Simple Idea

- Buy pre-made dragon-shaped (dinosaur-shaped) snacks.

DAY 3 OVERVIEW

Obey Truth

Bible Passage	Apologetics Content	Victory Verse
2 Kings 22–23	Obey without delay because there's no other way.	Ephesians 6:14b–15
Rhyme Time	Testimony Time	Contest
Do right in God's sight!	Messenger (Gospel Ready)	Regal Dress-Up
Craft Courtyard	Cook's Kitchen	Sir Gavin's Games
Breastplate Tin Punch or King Josiah Puppet Theater	Dragon Munchies	Royal Games of Skill Charge!

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Mini Pizza Shields

Day 4

Ingredients (for 12)

- Package of English muffins
- Pizza quick sauce or spaghetti sauce (12 heaping T.)
- Mozzarella cheese (12 heaping T.)
- Optional: Pepperoni or other toppings

Royal Punch Drink Ingredients

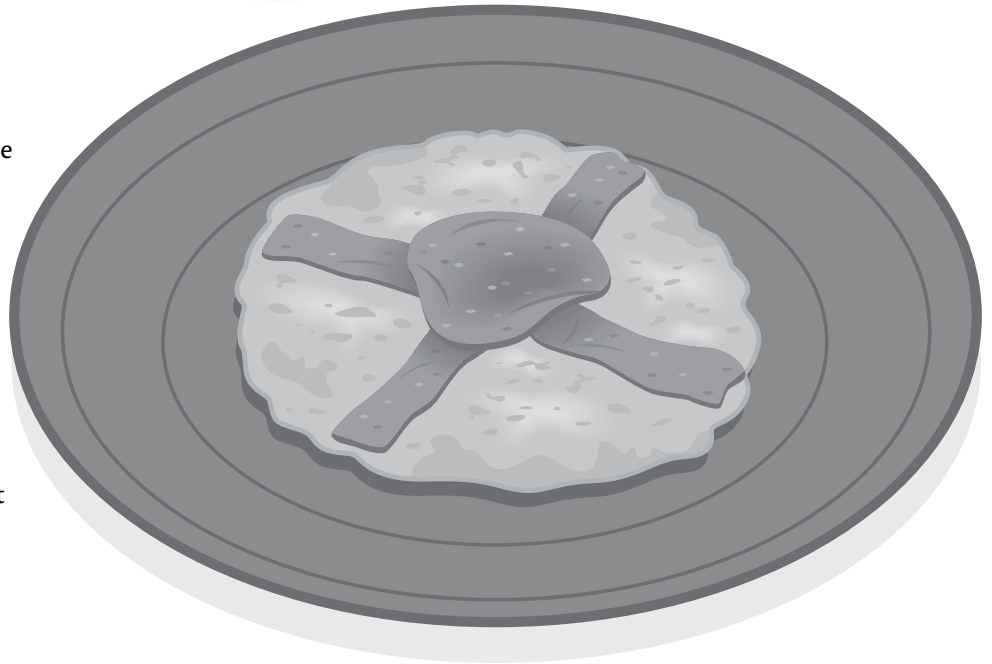
- Any orange-colored drink, 1 quart for every 5 children

Basic Supplies

- Fork for splitting English muffins
- Spoon
- Knife for cutting pepperoni
- Cookie sheet
- Napkins, cups, and small paper plates for serving, 1 per child
- Drink pitchers or coolers
- Stirring spoon

Pre-Prep

1. Preheat the oven to 425° F.
2. Carefully divide each English muffin in two using the fork. (Don't just cut or pull apart by hand.) Spread a heaping tablespoon of sauce on each one, followed by mozzarella cheese. If desired, cut the pepperoni (or other toppings) and lay on top to resemble the decoration on a medieval shield.



3. Place on a cookie sheet and bake for 8–10 minutes or until bubbly.
4. Prepare the drink according to package directions.

Teaching Tie-In

Pray for the snack. As everyone munches, say:

Shields were an important part of the knight's armor. They protected him from fire-tipped arrows the enemy would send his way. Today's pizza snack is reminiscent of a shield and is a reminder to be on our guard against attacks from our spiritual Enemy.

Class Time Directions

Let each child put on his own sauce, cheese, and toppings to decorate. Do game time while they're baking, then come back and eat.

Tip Corner

- This recipe yields twelve. Multiply it to make the total number needed.
- You can make these ahead of time and keep warm at a low temperature in an oven or warming oven.

- If your first rotation is early in the morning, you may want to leave off the pizza sauce or make a breakfast version.

Super Simple Idea

- Purchase pre-made mini pizzas and bake as directed, or serve some other round snack reminiscent of a shield.

DAY 4 OVERVIEW

Think Truth

Bible Passage	Apologetics Content	Victory Verse
1 Kings 2–11	Guard against false teachings and temptations.	Ephesians 6:16
Rhyme Time	Testimony Time	Contest
Learn to discern! (J/P) Win against sin! (PP/T)	Watchman (On Guard)	Design a Helmet
Craft Courtyard	Cook's Kitchen	Sir Gavin's Games
Faith Shield	Mini Pizza Shields	Fight for What's Right Hat Stack

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