

General Conference Countdown

You can get ready for general conference by cutting out the strips below and taping the ends to form a chain. Each day for the two weeks before conference, take a link from the chain and do what is written on the strip. As the chain grows shorter, conference gets closer!

- 1. Read about Lehi's Liahona (see 1 Nephi 16:10, 28–29 and Alma 37:38–40). How are the words of the prophets like a Liahona for families today?
- 2. Find pictures of the prophet and apostles in the May or November Ensign or at Ids.org/church/leaders and learn their names.
- 3. Imagine you have been asked to give a talk in Primary about prophets. What would you say?
- 4. Sing the hymn "We Thank Thee, O God, for a Prophet" (Hymns, no. 19).
- 5. What gospel topic would you like to learn more about during conference? Make a list of words to listen for.
- 6. Pray for help to focus and feel the Spirit during conference. You could also pray for the Church leaders who will speak.
- 7. Share with your parents or family members why you are looking forward to conference.
- 8. Read about King Benjamin speaking to his people (see Mosiah 2:1, 5, 9, 41). How was that meeting like general conference?
- 9. Draw a picture of your favorite prophet from the scriptures.
- 10. Make a journal where you can take notes or draw pictures about the talks during conference. You can find a printable conference notebook at **lds.org/general-conference/children**.
- 11. Sing the song "Follow the Prophet" (Children's Songbook, 110).
- 12. Read about the righteous Nephites in 4 Nephi 1:12–13, 16. What did they do when they met together?
- 13. Play "Prophets and Apostles," a matching game at Ids.org/general-conference/children.
- 14. Talk about this teaching from Elder M. Russell Ballard: "If you will listen to the living prophet and the apostles and heed our counsel, you will not go astray" ("They Spoke to Us," *Friend*, June 2001, 4).

