

How to make a Memory Keeper

What is a Memory Keeper

A Memory Keeper is a box where you will keep notes about all the amazing things you experienced at K-Kids service projects and events. Each time you participate you'll write about what you learned and how the experience made you feel. You'll want to keep these notes in a special place and that's what the Memory Keeper is used for, to store your best K-Kids memories.

You can create your very own Memory Keeper with the following supplies.

Needed materials

1. A computer with internet access
2. A printer
3. Memory Keeper box template. Available on the K-Kids website.
4. Heavy weight copy paper or card stock.
5. Scissors
6. 3 x 5" index cards.
7. Markers in various colors.
8. Tape and/or glue.



Instructions

1. Download the [Memory Keeper box template](#) from the K-Kids website.
2. Print templates on paper, one for each K-Kids member, and a few extra.
3. Create a memory index card sample

Write the following questions on one side of a 3 x 5" card. On the back of the same card write the words (Draw a picture of something you'd like to remember about the activity). Keep this card as a reminder of what to write about after each K-Kids project.

Questions to write on the card

Describe the activity or project:
What did I learn?
What did I enjoy most?
What will I do differently now?
How has this changed my view?



Things to do

- Store Memory Keeper boxes in the K-Kids meeting room.
- After each meeting write down what they've learned. Refer to the sample index card you created to remind you of writing topics.
- At the end of the year you will be asked to share which projects they liked best.
- At the end of the school year you'll take your Memory Keeper home and continue to record thoughts about good deeds you do over the summer months.