

25 Non-Screen Activities You Can Do at Home

1. How many different words can make from the sentence below?
“Learning at home is fun!”
2. Thank a community hero. Think of a member of the community that has helped you in some way and write a short letter with the reasons why they are so special to you.
3. Get Building! You can build a Lego tower, a tower of cards or a tower of something else.
4. Can you create your own secret code? You can use letters, numbers, pictures or something else. Can you get someone else to try and crack your code?
5. Start a nature diary. Look outside each day and make notes or write a poem of what you see. Birds, flowers, changes in the weather, what else?
6. Hold a photo session. Use a camera or a mobile phone to take some snaps. What will you photograph? Your pets, toys, or family members perhaps?
7. Build a reading den. Find somewhere cozy, snuggle up and read or reread your favourite book!
8. Use an old sock to create a puppet. Can you create a puppet show for someone?
9. Make a list of all the electrical things found in each room of your home. Can you come up with some ideas to use less electricity?
10. Design and make an original homemade board game and play it with your family.
11. Do something kind for someone. Can you pay them a compliment, make something especially for them or help them with a task?
12. Can you create a story bag? Find a bag and collect items to go in it that relate to a well-known story. If you can't find an item, you could draw a picture to include. Retell the story for someone using your items you have drawn or collected.
13. List making! Write a list of all the things that make you happy, things you are grateful for and things that you are good at. Share your list with someone.
14. Design and make an obstacle course at home, in your back yard or on your patio. How fast can you complete it?

15. Can you invent something new? Perhaps a gadget or something to help people? Draw a picture or write a description.
16. Keep moving! Make up a dance routine to your favourite song.
17. Write a play script. Can you act out your play to someone else?
18. Read out loud to someone. Remember to read with expression, confidence and volume.
19. Write a song about your favourite subject or perhaps teacher?
20. Go sketching. Find a photograph or picture of a person, place or object and sketch it.
21. Junk modeling! Collect and recycle materials such as yogurt containers, boxes, paper towel rolls or toilet rolls and see what you can create with them.
22. Draw a map of your home or local area and highlight interesting landmarks or features of rooms.
23. Create and write a postcard to a family member. Can you share what makes them so special to you and what you like about them the most?
24. Draw a view. Look out a window from your home and draw what you can see.
25. Get reading! What would you most like to learn about? Can you discover more information about your interest by talking to all your family members or in books? Can you discover a new passion or hobby?