

Dear Parents/Guardians:

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The Elementary and MS/HS Libraries have worked together to compile a list of digital resources families can use during the extended closure. Some are subscription based resources and others are free web resources.

No access to the internet, no problem! We have included 25 non-screen activities from pobble.com.

As always reading books and other print resources in your home is always recommended.

Subscription based resources will appear on the top of the list. Please note if you are using the digital version of this document students grades 3-12 can use the passwords posted in their library Google Classroom pages.

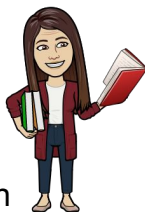
We have done our best to preview the non-subscription resources we are providing. We recommend previewing the sites before using with your families as some may contain advertisements.

Please feel free to contact your librarian with any questions.

Sincerely,



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Suggested Schedule COVID-19 DAILY SCHEDULE

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| Before 9:00am | Wake up | Eat breakfast, make your bed, get dressed, put PJ's in laundry |
| 9:00-10:00 | Morning walk | Family walk with the dog Yoga if it's raining |
| 10:00-11:00 | Academic time | NO ELECTRONICS Sudoku books, flash cards, study guide, Journal |
| 11:00-12:00 | Creative time | Legos, magnatiles, drawing, crafting, play music, cook or bake, etc |
| 12:00 | Lunch | |
| 12:30PM | Chore time | A - wipe all kitchen table and chairs. B - wipe all door handles, light switches, and desk tops. C - Wipe both bathrooms - sinks and toilets |
| 1:00-2:30 | Quiet time | Reading, puzzles, nap |
| 2:30-4:00 | Academic time | ELECTRONICS OK Ipad games, Prodigy, Educational show |
| 4:00-5:00 | Afternoon fresh air | Bikes, Walk the dog, play outside |
| 5:00-6:00 | Dinner | |
| 6:00-8:00 | Free TV time | Kid showers x3 |
| 8:00 | Bedtime | All kids |
| 9:00PM | Bedtime | All kids who follow the daily schedule & don't fight |

District Subscription Resources

Online Learning Resources for Elementary (Databases):

<http://slsweb.ocmboces.org/SandyCreek/elem.php>

Password: *can be found in library Google Classroom*



Online Learning Resources for Middle & High School (Databases):

<http://slsweb.ocmboces.org/SandyCreek/jrsr.html>

Password: *can be found in library Google Classroom*



Sora (OverDrive)

(Students in grades 3-12. Login using your Google account information.)

<https://soraapp.com/welcome>

NCLS eMedia Library (Any person with a public library card. Students can link this account to their Sora account.)

<https://northcountrylibraries.overdrive.com/>



Please check out the library website <https://www.sandycreekcsd.org/resources/library> for additional sources of free/discounted eBooks and audiobooks.



IXL (math)

<https://www.ixl.com/signin/sandycreek>

Lexia (reading)

<https://www.lexiacore5.com/>

Student Specific logins-students will need to know their logins, usage varies by grade level.

Book Resources

Kate Messner: Read, Wonder, and Learn! Favorite Authors & Illustrators Share Resources for Learning Anywhere – Spring 2020

<http://bit.ly/katemessnerspring2020>

Free downloads of fun drawing activities from author Jarrett Lerner

<https://jarrettlerner.com/activities/>

Daily Doodles w/ Mo Willems author of Pigeon and Elephant & Piggie

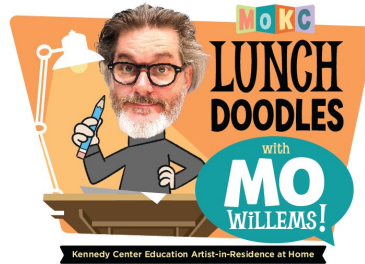
<https://www.kennedy-center.org/mowillems>

Read ebooks

<https://www.uniteforliteracy.com/>

Story Time From Space-Books Read from Space!

<https://storytimefromspace.com/>



Video Resources

Poly: Explore the World of 3D and Virtual Tours (3D glasses NOT needed!)

<https://poly.google.com/>

Discovery Education

<https://google.discoveryeducation.com/public:session/login>

Sign on with your school Google credentials (grades 6-12)

NBC Learn

<https://archives.nbclearn.com/portal/site/k-12?init=signin>

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150+ Educational Shows on Netflix

<http://bit.ly/150netflix>

Miscellaneous Resources

Education Companies Offering Free Subscriptions due to School Closings (updated frequently!)

<http://www.amazingeducationalresources.com/>

Virtual National Tours

<http://bit.ly/33nationalparktours>

Kids Activities

<https://kidsactivitiesblog.com/>

Printable Learning Worksheets PreK-6

<http://bit.ly/printableworksheets>

75+ Educational Activities for When You're Stuck Indoors

<http://bit.ly/70educationalactivities>

Scholastic Learn at Home

<https://classroommagazines.scholastic.com/support/learnathome.html>

Non-screen activities you can do at home

Pobble

What can you do when there's no school and you're stuck at home? Here are 25 fun ideas to choose from.

25
ideas!



1 How many different words can you make from the letters in this sentence, below? Grab a pencil and paper and write a list!

'Learning from home is fun'

2 Thank a community hero. Think of someone that helps you in some way and write a short letter to thank them.

Thanks!

3 Get building! You could build a Lego model, a tower of playing cards or something else!



4 Can you create your own secret code? You could use letters, numbers, pictures or something else! Can you get someone else to try and crack it?

5 Start a nature diary. Look out of the window each day and keep note 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 or toys perhaps?

7 Build a reading den. Find somewhere cosy, snuggle up and read your favourite book!



8 Use an old sock to create a puppet. Can you put on a puppet show for someone?



9 Make a list of all the electrical items in each room of your home. Can you come up with any ideas to use less electricity?

10 Design and make a homemade board game and play it with your family.



11 Do something kind for someone. Can you pay them a compliment, make them something 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.

13 List making! Write a list of things that make you happy, things you're grateful for or things you are good at.



14 Design and make an obstacle course at home or in the garden. 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 it out to other people?



18 Read out loud to someone. Remember to read with expression.



19 Write a song or rap about your favourite subject.

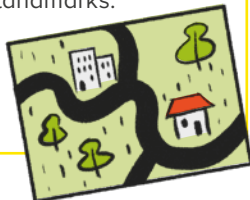


20 Get sketching! Find a photograph or picture of a person, place or object and sketch it.



21 Junk modelling! Collect and recycle materials such as yoghurt pots, toilet rolls and boxes and see what you can create with them.

22 Draw a map of your local area and highlight interesting landmarks.



23 Write a postcard to your teacher. Can you tell them what you like most about their class?

24 Draw a view. Look out of your window and draw what you see.



25 Get reading! What would you most like to learn about? Can you find out more about it in books? Can you find a new hobby?