

At-home Parent Resources

Across the internet, you can find resource lists, how-to guides, and recommendations to help parents keep their children in learning mode! We have compiled a list of possibilities below with links to click. The below list is by no means exhaustive but is a great selection for parents that come from reputable sources.

Reading/ELA:

EPIC: Epic! is the Leading Digital Library for Kids 12 & Under. Access 40,000 books, learning videos, quizzes & more by joining free for 30 days. Educators can create an account for free.

Audible: For as long as schools are closed, we're open. Kids everywhere can instantly stream an incredible collection of stories, including titles across six different languages, that will help them continue dreaming, learning, and just being kids. All stories are free to stream on your desktop, laptop, phone or tablet. Explore the collection, select a title and start listening.

CommonLit: CommonLit is a nonprofit education technology organization dedicated to ensuring that all students, especially students in Title I schools, graduate with the reading, writing, communication, and problem-solving skills they need to be successful in college and beyond.

Read Charlotte: Based in North Carolina, Read Charlotte is a community initiative that unites families, educators and community partners to improve children's literacy from birth to 3rd grade. Reading proficiency at 3rd grade is a predictor of future school success.

Vocabulary Spelling City: We're on a mission to expand knowledge of vocabulary words and reading comprehension.

ReadWorks: Content and tools to power teaching and learning from 3rd to 12th grade.

ReadTheory: Personalized reading comprehension exercises for K-12th and ESL students.

Spelling Training: Easy online spelling practice and games.

ABCYA Learning Games

Math:

Log in to Connect Ed (Everyday Math)

Prodigy: Math Learning

Mindfulness:

Mindful Schools: For the next couple of weeks, Mindful Schools will be offering mindfulness classes for kids! Join us online – for mindful activities, mindful movement, read-alouds – and let's have fun exploring mindfulness together.

The Child Mind Institute: Resources for mental health for children and communities.

CDC Guidelines for talking with children about Coronavirus

Physical Education and Physical Activity:

[GoNoodle](#): A favorite of elementary students and teachers!

Social Studies:

NewsELA: <https://newsela.com/>

Virtual Field Trips

Below is a list of just a few virtual trips students can take during our home learning adventure. If your child is interested in a place to visit, now would be a great time for a virtual trip. Most major museums, zoos and national parks/monuments have live cams or virtual tours available. These would be a great brain break for students (and parents!) when they need one. Enjoy!

[San Diego Zoo](#)

[Elmwood Zoo](#)

[Monterey Bay Aquarium](#)

[The Franklin Institute – Explore Your Brain](#)

[The Statue of Liberty Tour](#)

[American Museum of National History](#)

[Great Wall of China](#)

[The Louvre in France](#)

Other popular online resources:

[ABCmouse](#): Online learning curriculum for children ages 2-8. 30-day free trial.

[Brain Pop Jr.](#): Videos for learning. **Sign up for free family access.**

[Brain Pop](#): Resources for learning. **Sign up for free family access.**

[Brain Pop ELL](#): Resources for learning. **Sign up for free family access.**

[Khan Academy](#): Free resources for learning.

[Scholastic Learning](#): Resources for learning.

[Scratch](#): Create Stories, games and animations.