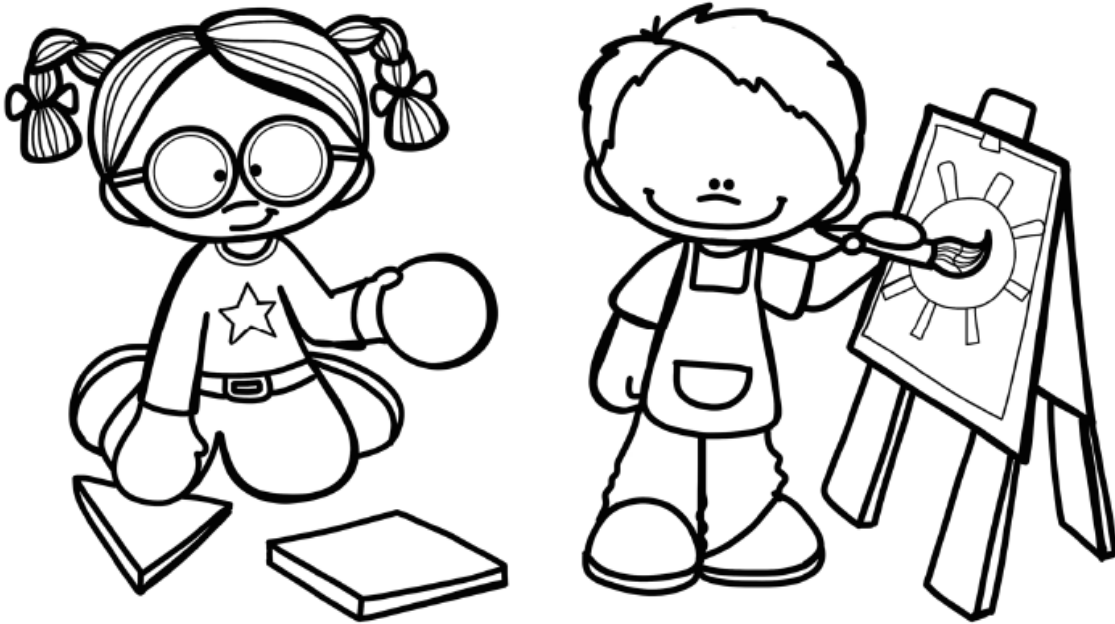




# Home Learning Activities



**Parents,**

**Here are some Math, Literacy, Science, Fine Motor, Art, and Movement activities your child can do at home.**

**These activities use simple materials that you might have around your house.**

**Pick and choose the activities you want to do. You might want to color in a square as you complete each activity.**



## Math

<p>Practice counting with pieces of cereal, buttons, Barbie shoes, or Legos, etc.</p>	<p>Name the shapes of your food at each meal and snack time.</p>	<p>Count out 15 Legos. Build something with them.</p>	<p>Draw a short flower and a tall flower. Draw a short tree and a tall tree.</p>	<p>Practice writing some numbers. Use sidewalk chalk, paper, or write in the sand.</p>
<p>Draw 6 green worms and 5 red worms. How many worms in all?</p>	<p>Put your toy under your arm, above your head, beside your knee, around your waist.</p>	<p>Collect some leaves &amp; rocks. Make a pattern: rock, leaf, rock, leaf, rock, leaf, and so on.</p>	<p>Build a tower with 5 blocks and a tower with 8 blocks. Which has more? Continue with other numbers.</p>	<p>Use play dough or cereal pieces or sticks to make shapes.</p>

## Literacy

<p>Choose a book and search for the letter "a" on each page. Try other letters.</p>	<p>Practice writing your name and other letters on paper, in the sand, &amp; with sidewalk chalk.</p>	<p>If you were a bird, where would you fly? Draw a picture. Tell someone about your picture.</p>	<p>Say your favorite nursery rhymes.</p>	<p>Find an item in your house that begins with Aa. Try with other letters.</p>
<p>Bingo: Write 10 letters on paper. Call out letters randomly for your child to find &amp; circle or stamp.</p>	<p>Make silly rhyming names for your family &amp; friends, such as "Wentley Bentley" or "Warah Sarah".</p>	<p>Make letters with play dough, sticks, Legos, buttons, or anything you find.</p>	<p>Make a book with folded paper. Draw pictures, write letters. Tell your story to a family member or pet.</p>	<p>Bury letters in the sandbox (or hide around the house) for your child to find and name.</p>



## Science

<p>Draw what you see in the sky at night. Draw what you see in the sky in the day.</p>	<p>Test objects in water to see if they float or sink. Try: spoon, sponge, toy, leaf, block etc.</p>	<p>Place a wet paper towel in a ziplock with a dry lima bean. Tape it to the window to grow.</p>	<p>Make bubble solution with 1 spoon of dish soap &amp; ¼ cup water. Stir. Use dry rigatoni for a bubble blower.</p>	<p>Build a ramp with blocks or a board and test objects to see which will roll.</p>
<p>Pour milk in a pie pan to cover the bottom. Add drops of food color on edges. Dip toothpick in soap &amp; dip it in the milk.</p>	<p>Place different objects in a sock. Feel without looking and guess what it is.</p>	<p>Pour different amounts of water in 6 glasses. Add food color. Tap the glasses with a wooden spoon.</p>	<p>Draw something you can taste, something you can see, smell, hear, touch.</p>	<p>Go on a critter hunt in your yard. See how many types of bugs or animals you can find.</p>

## Fine Motor

<p>Put Legos or snap cubes together.</p>	<p>Pick up Cheerios or marshmallows with tweezers. Move them from one bowl to another.</p>	<p>Practice buttoning a shirt and snapping pants.</p>	<p>Pop bubble wrap.</p>	<p>Play with play dough or clay.</p>
<p>Cut out pictures from a magazine or catalog and glue on paper.</p>	<p>Punch holes in paper with a toothpick.</p>	<p>Go on a tweezer trek. See what you can find in your yard that you can pick up with tweezers.</p>	<p>Slice a banana with a spreader or dull knife.</p>	<p>Practice zipping a jacket.</p>



# Art

<p>Paint a picture.</p>	<p>Draw with crayons.</p>	<p>Draw in the dirt with a stick.</p>	<p>Draw with sidewalk chalk.</p>	<p>Create 3-D art with empty toilet paper or paper towel tubes. Add ribbons, colored paper, washi tape, etc.</p>
<p>Create with play dough or clay.</p>	<p>Glue two wiggle eyes to paper (or draw them). Then come up with a person or animal to draw.</p>	<p>Draw with light-colored crayons (yellow, light blue, white), then paint over it with watercolor.</p>	<p>Get a pencil and dip the eraser in paint to make polka dot art.</p>	<p>Make a rainbow collage by finding colored pictures in magazines.</p>

# Get Moving

<p>Count to 10 while exercising: jumps, squats, kicks, toe touches, etc.</p>	<p>Dance to Go Noodle videos on YouTube.</p>	<p>Move like animals: frog jump, crab walk, elephant walk, monkey swing, turtle crawl.</p>	<p>Dance fast. Dance slow.</p>	<p>Play freeze: dance or run, then stop when a family member says "FREEZE!"</p>
<p>Lay pillows around the floor and do frog jumps over them.</p>	<p>Play "The floor is lava". Move around the room without touching the floor.</p>	<p>Draw a line on the driveway with chalk. Make it zigzag and curve. Walk the line, making sure to stay on.</p>	<p>Dance along with your favorite songs.</p>	<p>Play hopscotch.</p>