



Suggested At Home Learning and Activities

During this unprecedented closure, we suggest that children continue to engage in some academic activities at home. The suggestions below can serve as a helpful starting point for academic activities. Please know these activities are not required and will not be collected or graded. Your child’s teacher may share additional suggestions via SeeSaw, ClassDojo, Google Classroom, and/or email.

Grade Levels	Suggested Daily Activities
Pk-2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Keep a journal of daily activities. Your child may draw pictures or write sentences. ● Read books for at least 15 minutes each day. Your child can read independently or with someone, and should alternate between reading fiction and non-fiction books. ● Exercise and move the body at least 30 minutes each day. ● Visit https://www.sd735.org/studentlinks to see what online resources students have access to. ● Visit https://skokielibary.info/resources/research/kids to see their list of online resources for students. ● Visit https://www.commonsemmedia.org for all things digital for expert reviews, objective advice, helpful edu tools, and so much more!
3-5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Keep a journal of daily activities. Your child should focus on writing complete paragraphs. ● Read books for at least 30 minutes each day. Your child should alternate between reading fiction and non-fiction books. ● Exercise and move the body at least 60 minutes each day. ● Visit https://www.sd735.org/studentlinks to see what online resources students have access to. ● Visit https://skokielibary.info/resources/research/kids/ to see their list of online resources for students. ● Visit https://www.commonsemmedia.org for all things digital for expert reviews, objective advice, helpful edu tools, and so much more!
6-8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Keep a journal of daily activities. Your child should focus on writing multiple complete paragraphs using descriptive language. ● Read books for at least 45 minutes each day. Your child should alternate between reading fiction and non-fiction books. ● Exercise and move the body at least 60 minutes each day ● Consult grade-level websites for documents, activities, and assignments. ● Visit https://www.sd735.org/studentlinks to see what online resources students have access to. ● Visit https://skokielibary.info/resources/research/kids/ to see their list of online resources for students. ● Visit https://www.commonsemmedia.org for all things digital for expert reviews, objective advice, helpful edu tools, and so much more!

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Helpful Articles for Talking with your Child about COVID-19

The following articles may serve as helpful resources, if you'd like to discuss COVID-19 with your child.

- [Talking with children: tips for caregivers during infectious disease outbreaks](#)
- [How to talk to kids about the Coronavirus](#)
- [Talking to kids about Coronavirus](#)
- [Talking to Children About COVID-19 \(Coronavirus\): A Parent Resource](#)
- [How to talk to Your Anxious Child About the Coronavirus](#)