Additional Resources and Activities for At Home Learning

VOOKS: www.vooks.com/parent-resources

Vooks is a great resource to use in the home with your children. Vooks is a streaming library of ad-free, kid-safe animated read-aloud storybooks, trusted by teachers and enjoyed by millions of children around the world every week. It is an entire library of storybooks, brought to life, to help encourage the love of reading. You can sign up for Vooks and use the take-home resources to help keep your children reading 20 minutes a day during these extraordinary times.

STORYLINE ONLINE: https://www.storylineonline.net/

Storyline Online, streams videos featuring celebrated actors reading children's books
alongside creatively produced illustrations. Reading aloud to children has been shown to
improve reading, writing and communication skills, logical thinking and concentration,
and general academic aptitude, as well as inspire a lifelong love of reading. Storyline
Online is available 24 hours a day for children, parents, caregivers and educators
worldwide. Each book includes supplemental curriculum developed by a credentialed
elementary educator, aiming to strengthen comprehension and verbal and written skills
for English-language learners.

Ken Nesbitt's Poetry for Kids: https://www.poetry4kids.com/poems/

Funny poems just for kids by author Ken Nesbitt!

NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC KIDS: https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/

• Interactive science and social studies site with games, activities, videos, and much more!

ABCya: https://www.abcya.com/

• Games for students in grades k-6 that align to Common Core State Standards.

PBS KIDS: https://pbskids.org/

 PBS KIDS is committed to making a positive impact on the lives of children through curriculum-based entertainment. With a 360-degree approach towards learning and reaching children, PBS KIDS leverages the full spectrum of media and technology to build knowledge, critical thinking, imagination and curiosity.

KAHOOT! https://kahoot.com/

 Search from millions of existing games on any topic: math, reading, science, social studies topics, brain teasers, trivia of all sorts, news quizzes, popular science – you name it! You can play these kahoots as is, or duplicate and edit them to add a personal touch. You can also create your own!

Reading Wonders Resources:

- Kindergarten High Frequency Words
- First Grade High Frequency Words
- Second Grade High Frequency Words
- Grades 3-6 High Frequency Words
- Sound/Spelling Cards (K-6)
- Word Building Cards (grades 3-6)

Education.com: https://www.education.com/

- Unlimited access to an expanding library of resources that cover 800+ skills
- Step-by-step learning with fun, interactive games for preschool-5th grade

Kate Messner: https://www.katemessner.com/

 This is a library of resources for kids, families, teachers, and librarians to make sure that reading & learning can happen anywhere this spring. You'll find a growing collection of resources that include everything from first-chapter and picture book read-alouds (shared with permission from publishers!) to drawing and writing mini-lessons.

Virtual Field Trips

- https://www.discoveryeducation.com/community/virtual-field-trips/
- https://www.waterford.org/resources/3-great-virtual-field-trips-for-early-learners/
- https://www.scholastic.com/teachers/articles/teaching-content/virtual-field-trips/
- https://www.virtualfieldtrips.org/video-library/
- https://www.weareteachers.com/science-virtual-field-trips/
- https://naturalhistory.si.edu/visit/virtual-tour

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