

AL Choice Board - Harry Potter Edition!

Challenge Menu Week 9	K-2	3-5	6-8
Make it!	Make your own Hogwarts house themed bookmark! (This activity requires scissors. Supervision may be necessary.)	Craft a Harry Potter wand! Find some sticks outside, or use an old pencil to bring this magical craft to life.	Make a Howler! Use the techniques of origami to create this note holder. When you're done, make a quill, and get writing!
On the Computer!	Play Harry Potter's Silliest Word Wordsearch! Can you find all of the letters in the silly, made-up words from the Harry Potter books? Try this one next!	Watch familiar faces read Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone - including Daniel Radcliffe (Harry Potter), Eddie Redmayne (Newt Scamander), and more! *requires free sign-up with email	Read tales from beyond the books! Learn about the only Wizarding School in North America, Hogwarts Ghosts, the invention of Floo Powder, and much more.
Write it!	Draw your favorite characters in your own Harry Potter Scrapbook! Practice writing the character's names and the titles of the books.	After listening to each chapter above, take the chapter quiz! For even more fun, complete the chapter challenge and win points for your Hogwarts house! Find all of the quizzes here.	Help Harry Potter author, J.K. Rowling, illustrate her new book, The Ickabog! Read each chapter, then create a drawing. Enter your drawing for a chance to be included in her new book!



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Build it!	10+ Things to Do with NASA at Home A select collection of NASA resources to fill the days and nights while everyone is at home.	Make your own illusion!	Jumping Frog Game! How to make the Frog Interactive Frog Jumping Brainteaser
Code it!	Engineering Activities for Kids! Pick from 25 different activities!	Engineering Activities for Kids! Pick from 25 different activities!	Create your Own Google Logo and bring it to life using code!
Solve it!	Square it!	Try these Rebus Actvities!	Check out these cryptography games on the CIA website!



Challenge Menu: Week 7	K-2	3-5	6-8
Write it!	Squiggle Stories Use a given squiggle or create your own to draw a picture. Then, write about your picture!	Poetry Scavenger Hunt Look around your home or neighborhood for bits of language you can make into a piece of poetry! Copy down words, phrases, or sentences from signs, magazines, or snippets of conversation you overhear. Then, build a poem out of the pieces of language you gathered.	Byrdseed TV Story Starters: Space 12 word random story starters. Keep hitting the refresh option to get a new, random story starter set!
Create it!	Marble Run or Maze Use materials you have at home to create a marble run or maze. Use a marble, a small ball, or anything that will roll to travel through the run or maze!	Marble Run or Maze Use materials you have at home to create a marble run or maze. Use a marble, a small ball, or anything that will roll to travel through the run or maze!	Create a Collage (no screen) Time limits push you to make quick connections! 10 min: collect random images from old magazines and junk mail 20 min: cut and paste images on paper. Don't worry about creating a pretty, perfect work of art; just notice the beauty in your world!
Lead it!	Responsibility: Being a leader means showing responsibility. You can show responsibility by taking care of yourself. Make a list of things you can do at home to be responsible and do them on your own. Examples: Make your bed, brush your teeth, help with the dishes, put away your toys.	Speak Up! Public speaking is an important part of being a leader. Each time you speak in public, you have an opportunity to grow in your leadership strength and influence. Make a list of topics that you care deeply about and practice giving a speech that persuades your audience to care.	TED Talk: Try Something New for 30 Days Is there something you've always meant to do, wanted to do, but just haven't? Matt Cutts suggests: Try it for 30 days. This short, lighthearted talk offers a neat way to think about setting and achieving goals.



Challenge Menu: Week 6	K-2	3-5	6-8
Make it!	Mindfulness Wands Make a magic wand that teaches you about breathing and helps keep you calm.	Make Mandalas Use natural resources to craft a mandala. Then, practice some mindful coloring.	DIY Relaxation Pad Sew your own heating pad and eye mask that will help you sleep better and relax.
On the Computer!	Work out your brain and body with yoga Do yoga with ani mals, Frozen characters, and more! Available in Spanish!	Mindfulness with JusTme Practice breathing and self love with rapper JusTme. Find even more videos here.	Middle School Stress Watch this video about stress in middle school. Then, practice some meditation to help relieve your stress. Available in Spanish!
Write it!	Make a ZONES Tool Menu What can you do when you feel sad, tired, or frustrated? Make a menu of choices that can help you.	Start a Gratitude Journal Use this template, or create your own. If you don't have a notebook, you can make your own journal. Available in Spanish!	Start a Self Care Tracker Take time each day to write about how you are taking care of yourself.



Challenge Menu: Week 5	K-2	3-5	6-8
Build it!	Build a Fort Use anything you have at home like blankets, chairs, pillows, etc! Once inside, read a book, spend the night, or watch a movie!	Make a paper rocket that can be launched from a soda straw - then, modify the design to make the rocket fly farther!	Build a Wind-powered Car Demonstrate physics concepts like mass, forces, and friction with your car design
Code it!	Meet Poly Try this coding and math activity. If you like this one, there are more to try here	Pixar in a Box A behind-the-scenes look at how Pixar artists do their jobs. Animate bouncing balls, build a swarm of robots, and make virtual fireworks explode. Click the "Start here!" button on this page to get started!	MIT App Inventor Click on "Create Apps!" and sign in using your Google account to get started.
Solve it!	Money Master Practice using money from all over the world!	Play Deep Sea Duel Okta the octupus wants to play you in a game where the first person to choose cards with a specified sum wins!	Solve the Outbreak Use epidemiology to Solve the Outbreak - provided by the CDC.



Challenge Menu: Week 4	K-2	3-5	6-8
Write it!	Book Cover Creator Create your own book cover! Redesign your favorite book or create a new book cover design to your own book. You also have the opportunity to add a summary to your book on the inside and back covers.	Scholastic Daily Reading Quests Each day, read an article, story, or a chapter of a book. Then choose one of the daily reading challenges on this page! You can try a new activity every day or repeat a favorite.	Kids Write Vol. II Calling all writers from Pre-K to 12th Grade! Mystery to Me is excited to host its second edition of KIDS WRITE!, a writing contest forwellkids! Stories due May 1st.
Create it!	Measuring Tools to Bake & Cook 3 Playdough Recipes, Chili Recipe Explore measuring tools and make a recipe!	Lunch Doodles with Mo Willems Author of the Pigeon, Elephant and Piggie, and Knuffle Bunny books. Mo has over 15 lunch doodle videos to choose from!	14 Days of Drawing at Home Fourteen days worth of drawing prompts you can do at home.
Lead it!	Earth Day Bingo Use this bingo board to explore the nature around you and discuss ways to protect our earth!	Earth Day Bingo Use this bingo board to explore the nature around you and discuss ways to protect our earth!	Kindness Bingo Use the Bingo Board to help you think of kind acts you can do while away from school!



Challenge Menu: Week 3	K-2	3-5	6-8
Build it!	Audubon.org Make migration-friendly window decorations to help keep birds safe Also available in Spanish	Audubon.org Make a bird feeder from recycled materials Also available in Spanish	Make a Butterfly Feeder Make a butterfly feeder from recycled materials
On the Computer!	PebbleGo.com Watch videos about helping the environment Also available in Spanish	Zooniverse.org Discover wildlife by classifying images captured on trail cameras	Learn how a group of teens helped the planet Watch this video about students who helped ban plastic bags in California
Observe it!	Monitor the baby wildlife in your neighborhood Help orphaned baby animals find a new home	Become a Junior Forest Ranger When you're done, mail it in to receive a special pin Also available in Spanish	Make a nature journal, learn how to not get lost in the wilderness, and more



Challenge Menu: Week 2	K-2	3-5	6-8
Write it!	Portrait Poem Fill in the blanks to make a poem all about you! Vocabulary: Resident (noun): Someone who lives in a particular place. I am a resident of this apartment building.	Lam Poem Use the template to make a poem that is uniquely yours. Stretch yourself to use new vocabulary - try a thesaurus!	Write With Pride Use the templates to make two poems that are uniquely yours. Stretch yourself to use new vocabulary - try a thesaurus!
Create it!	Listen to the Story "Beautiful Oops!" by Barney Saltzberg Scribble on a paper, and see what pictures you can find in your scribbles!	Take on this scribble art challenge Can you make up your own rules to make it even harder?	Take on this scribble art challenge Can you make up your own rules to make it even harder?
Lead it!	Send an email to youthvoice2@madison.k12.wi.us Connect with Youth Voice and Vision by telling us something you like to do during school closure	Send an email to youthvoice2@madison.k12.wi.us Connect with Youth Voice and Vision by telling us what you wish your teachers knew about how school closure is going for you	Send an email to youthvoice2@madison.k12.wi. us Get involved with Youth Voice and Vision by volunteering to be a part of problem solving with adults working on virtual learning



Challenge Menu: Week 1	K-2	3-5	6-8
Build it!	Build a tower that can hold a cookie out of paper blocks you can make at home!	Build a LEGO* boat that can hold pennies Don't have LEGOs? Don't worry - just get creative and use different materials	Build coin ramps and have ramp races with a family member
Code it!	Family Code Night Sign up for a time to learn coding together! Offered in English and Spanish	Family Code Night Sign up for a time to learn coding together! Offered in English and Spanish	Code.org express course A fast paced coding course for older students Other courses also available
Solve it!	Stardoku Sudoku with colors instead of numbers	Stick Puzzles Can you solve each puzzle in the right amount of moves?	Stick puzzles Can you solve each puzzle in the right amount of moves?