

Ministry page - Home Learning under development but keep an eye on this as they develop the resources over the coming week. [Ministry home learning advice](#)

Possible home learning structure

(Note - where possible it is advisable to limit time on devices to half-hour slots, with more than one child at home make sure that you set a clear timetable to avoid any arguments)

9 am -9.30 am	Play, fitness, active game	Eg family walk around block or garden, Go noodle fun exercise indoors fun for family, skipping rope or hula hoop fun, Just Dance kids, Yoga https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LhYtcadR9nw
9.30 am-11.00 am	Learning time	Organise this time so children rotate with different activities (see suggestions below) e.g 20 minutes Maths buddy, TKI NZ Maths activity, https://nzmaths.co.nz/families-and-wh-nau Study Ladder, then jigsaw puzzles, number games, such as snakes and ladders, hopscotch
11.00 am -11.30 am	Break & chore time	If possible spend time outside, eat a snack, kick a ball around, jump on a trampoline, creative and imaginative play Chore time -Tidy bedroom, tidy toys
11.30 am - 1 pm	Learning time	Organise this time so children rotate with different activities e.g 10 minute reading, then a hands on alphabet and or basic sight words game, such as word bingo, fun writing activities see suggestions below
1 pm - 2pm	Lunch	Children to be involved in preparing lunch - talk about the ingredients, equipment- at least half an hour free play-time.
2pm-3pm	Learning time	Science and Technology Social Sciences Art See suggestions below

Writing

- Keep a daily diary (maybe take a photo first to inspire your writing)
- Write a lunch/dinner menu
- Cut out a magazine/newspaper picture and write about it
- Write about something you see outside
- Draw a picture and write a sentence about your picture
- Use the words on your sticker charts in a sentence
- Build something to write about (castle, animal, jigsaw, etc)
- Letter formation: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DlojiV3yszA>
- Sit in silence for 60 seconds and then write about what you could hear.
- Write a poem using the letters in your name (Acrostic poem)

Reading

- Duffy book- read and review
- Find and read simple recipes-make cookies
- www.cheapies.nz/node/25259 - free online books to read
- www.TKI.co.nz - online school journals
- www.uniteforliteracy.com/ - free online books
- Sunshine on line <https://www.sunshineonline.co.nz> username:westharboursunshine password: student2018
- [Storyline online](#)
- Reading Eggs (Rimu Learning Team)

Maths

- Bake or cook something (help the family)
- [BBC Kids baking](#)
- Practise number formations (Resources in Manuka folder)
- Practise counting in 2's, 5's and 10's
- Snake and Ladder games
- Cards (salute) are fabulous to use and also games like Uno
- Write numbers on the driveway with chalk - forwards and backwards, hopscotch.
- Use water and a paintbrush to paint numbers outside (add food colouring if you wish)
- Online suggestions: <https://matr.org/blog/fun-maths-games-activities-for-kids/>
- Tablet apps: Hit the button Maths <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/apps/hit-the-button>
<https://www.khanacademy.org/>
<https://www.mathplayground.com/>

Art

- Using a pencil, sketch something from nature (colour it in if you like)
- Draw a family picture and then colour it
- Make spirals or snowflakes
- Nature art-collect leaves, twigs, bark and make a picture/ write about it
- Bubble painting/ Swatter painting/ squirt gun painting/Watercolour blow art
- Newspaper crafts
- Playdough art (There are many easy homemade playdough recipes online.)

<https://www.thebestideasforkids.com/indoor-activities-for-kids/>

<https://artfulparent.com/39-ideas-for-playing-with-playdough/>

<https://www.pinterest.nz/NLieuOPreschool/art-and-crafts-for-kids/>

<https://www.happinessishomemade.net/quick-easy-kids-crafts-anyone-can-make/>

<https://www.thebestideasforkids.com/craft-ideas-for-kids/>

<https://www.pinterest.nz/artscraftsymom/easy-art-ideas-for-kids/>



Science

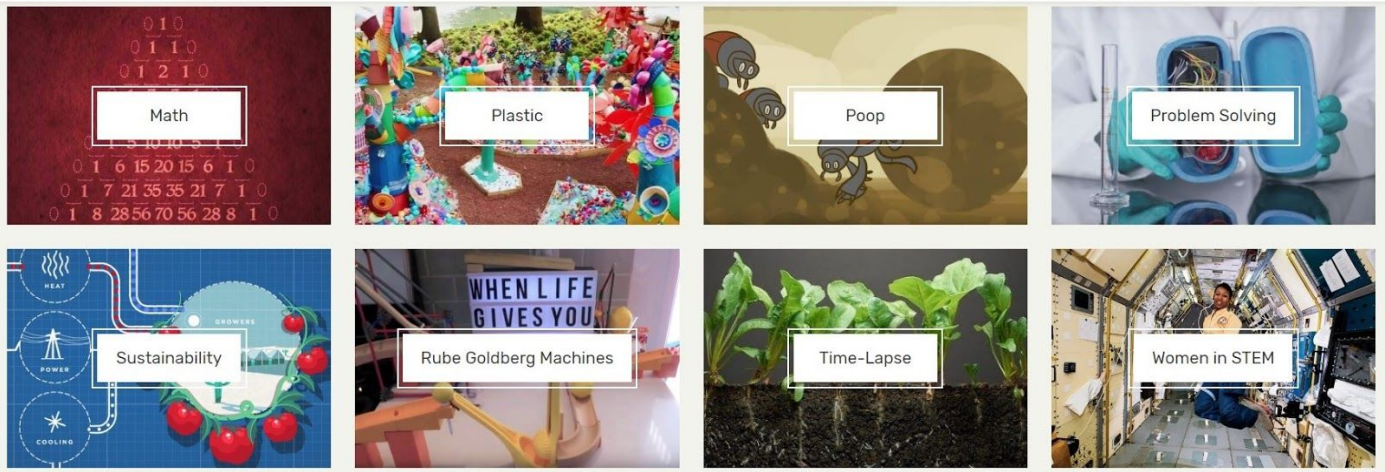
- Make a poster about washing your hands
- Home baking activity
- Paper plane challenges - who will go the furthest, fastest, longest?

- Bubble science fun
- Make play dough
<https://theimaginationtree.com/best-ever-no-cook-play-dough-recipe/>
- Home science

<http://www.sciencekids.co.nz/experiments.html>

<https://sciencebob.com/category/experiments/><https://mommypoppins.com/kids/50-easy-science-experiments-for-kids-fun-educational-activities-using-household-stuff>

<https://thekidshouldseethis.com/>



Social Sciences

Te Reo Maori

- Karakia timatanga

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1H6HlrETVbQwqy00iTu1g_FTtPo18psPzuk38kIVfLxs/edit

- School and own Pepeha

https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1hUulAg8NLU5nQtQHI1Lnphpvq0SWmjFyasiArOem22s/edit#slide=id.g56e8efa4fa_0_0

- Waiata

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1b2kRCKS-R7J0tQifWao5ubHLHzYcyU0kcP1IHJKXzK4/edit>

100 Things to do indoors



1. Make non-cook playdough, then have a Dough Disco
2. Paint 'our families' portrait
3. Write and make a book
4. Draw flowers or the fruit bowl
5. Learn some laughter yoga
www.roberttrivest.com
6. Finger paint
7. Make a band from kitchen pots and pans
8. Footprint paint
9. Have a dance alarm every 30 minutes
10. Have a karaoke
11. Send a video message to family and friends to get them busy
12. Have a birthday party for a pet or cuddly toy
13. Have an indoor picnic
14. Discover your favourite story and share it together
15. Order books alphabetically
16. Have an indoor treasure hunt
17. Dress up in adult shoes
18. Find a fairy door in your house or garden
19. Do the Hokey Cokey
20. Take a selfie through a toilet roll tube and pretend you are on the moon



21. Make cards for everyone at home
22. Get some sheets to flap and pretend they are the waves and jump in
23. Make cakes
24. Get material or cardboard and make mermaid or merman's tails
25. Get all the chairs together and make a bus, play conductors and drivers
26. Make a camp in your bed
27. Make a dark den and use a torch
28. Write a letter to a neighbour or friend
29. Colour in a colouring book or draw a picture
30. Make wool or string hair over a chair
31. Have a pamper day
32. Have a crunched up paper fight (from recycling)
33. Make ice lollies with cordial and water
34. Make sandwiches in strange shapes
35. Make a pretend car from boxes/furniture
36. Learn a rhyme or poem
37. Make paper aeroplanes
38. Have a pirate adventure, make boats from boxes or furniture
39. Blow bubbles and catch them
40. Make a number frieze for the wall, decorate



41. Read Pirate George series available on Kindle
42. Make a papier mache sculpture over a balloon
43. Keep a balloon up in the air game
44. Play a board game
45. Play hide and seek
46. Play dominoes
47. Learn a card game
48. Make smoothies
49. Perform a puppet show
50. Make shadow puppets
51. Make finger/sock puppets
52. Choreograph a dance or learn a dance routine
53. Have an upside down meals day, lunch for breakfast etc.
54. Learn a sing-along for Spread the Happiness TV
55. Learn to cook something new
56. Learn Brilliant Beast Song on Spread the Happiness TV YouTube Channel
57. Leave happy notes all around the house
58. Make a fitness routine and put your family through their paces
59. Using vegetables, make characters
60. Dance and sing to Knees up Mother Brown



61. Play I spy
62. Open your windows and sing out a song
63. Learn Days of the Week Song
64. Play musical statues
65. Learn a Beatles song
66. Learn a Queen song
67. Make an indoor restaurant and serve your family
68. Have a toy's tea party
69. Roll balls down the stairs
70. Be superheroes with capes
71. Eat cereal with a gigantic spoon
72. Have an ice cream party
73. Enter an online competition to win a prize
74. Vacuum your home
75. Polish your home
76. Fold up sheets
77. Use a sheet as a parachute to fluff up and hide under and play parachute games
78. Make binoculars with toilet rolls and look out the window at the birds
79. Make yoghurt pot telephones
80. Make a junk model rocket as large as you can



81. Create a comedy show
82. Pretend to conduct an orchestra to music
83. Hike up your stairs like it is a mountain, so so high
84. Roll around a large space in your home
85. Hop around like a bunny
86. Learn to play sleeping Bunnies
87. Learn and act out 5 Little Monkeys
88. Find as many collections of 10 things in your home as you can
89. Dance in the shower
90. Sing in the shower
91. Squirt shaving foam in your hands
92. Make a scrap book of your favourite things, people
93. Play Jack in the Box in a large cardboard box
94. Have a themed party
95. Stay up late to look at the stars with a night time picnic
96. Play apple bobbing
97. Jump on the bed
98. Bash a pinata
99. Do coin rubbing with paper and crayons
100. Play pass the parcel

