Supporting Learning at Home

In addition to the Learn at Home platform released through the ministry, SGDSB has compiled some other resources to help to keep students motivated and engaged from home.

Please note that while these supplementary resources are for students in all grades, the resources shared within the Ministry's platform provide comprehensive support at grade level for students -- especially for our secondary students who may already be familiar with them and the platform, having had the opportunity to engage in blended learning.
Connected North proudly presents "Connected North@Home," an at-home program for students. Check out more at https://www.connectednorth.org/en/

Here is the first week's lineup (sessions for every school day students are at home due to COVID19).

ALL sessions are FREE and can be joined just by one click on the website, https://www.connectednorth.org/athome/

**Note Times posted are in Central Standard Time**

Thank you to Rainy River District School Board for sharing this resource.

Grade levels for sessions indicated in resource
Due to the latest events, Curio.ca is currently available from every home across Canada. This educational streaming platform targets educational institutions from primary through to post-secondary levels across Canada. You can now access thousands of programs, documentaries, audio content and archival material on a provisional basis.

Click **HERE** to learn more about some suggestions to challenge the minds of students according to their age group.

**GOOD NEWS FOR TEACHERS, PARENTS AND STUDENTS!**
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In this edition, our experts are sharing the best suggestions to challenge the minds of students according to their age group.

**GO TO CURIO**

Grade levels for sessions indicated in resource
GoNoodle helps teachers and parents get kids moving with short interactive activities, helping kids achieve more by keeping them engaged and motivated throughout the day. GoNoodle is designed with K-5 classrooms in mind.

The new at-home version of GoNoodle is designed to get kids moving so they can be their strongest, bravest, silliest, smartest, bestest selves. It includes most of the movement and mindfulness content that kids love at school, in addition to content created just for home.

Move & Learn at Home With GoNoodle

Teachers trust GoNoodle to help their students stay active, focused, and calm while infusing good energy into their classrooms. Now, with so many kids home from school, we want to keep that good energy going with GoNoodle: Good Energy at Home, a free online resource. GoNoodle: Good Energy at Home provides ways for kids and families to move and learn together.

GoNoodle: Good Energy at Home offers free:
- Movement, yoga, and mindfulness videos
- Downloadable curricular activities
- Recommended off-screen home activities

Click HERE to access.
Bedtime Math is a non-profit organization focused on mathematics education for young children. It's a great way for families with kids ages 3-9 to explore numbers in real life together.

Click the “Sign Up” button, and you’ll start getting the daily email.

Visit http://bedtimemath.org/fun-math-at-home/ to learn more.

Math Before Bed is a collection of prompts that can inspire mathematical discussions that you and your children can have before bed, at dinner, or anytime. Each prompt on this site shows you and your child a perplexing problem. Sometimes there is one right answer and sometimes there are many right answers.

Visit https://mathbeforebed.com/start-here/ to learn more.

Some prompts for all learners; most for grades K to 5
Working in Number Sense (WINS) activities are designed for parents to engage with their child using the mathies learning tools and games to build knowledge and skills in Number Sense and deepen understanding of mathematical concepts. Use mathies Learning Tools Tip Sheets for reference on how to use the tools.

Home connections are printable Grade 1 to 6 mathematics activities to connect the learning in the classroom to experiences at home.
Free 1:1 online Grade 6-10 math tutoring with Ontario Certified Teachers!

Until further notice, we are pleased to share that tutoring is extended to include grade 6 – and tutors will be available Monday-Friday 9am to 9pm and Sunday 3:30pm to 9pm! Build math understanding and confidence with a personalized math coach. Register or login, choose a tutor, and get started.

https://www.tvomathify.com/students
Millions of Canadian students are having their education disrupted by the spread of COVID-19. In support of students, teachers, parents and caregivers, Pearson Canada is providing the opportunity to continue the learning experience at home. Through the links below, you can access the same high quality, trusted Canadian K-12 resources at no cost.

- Open access to eText of trusted Pearson text books on Texidium (Kivuto)
- Mathology Little Books in both English and French with read aloud and activities (K-3)
- 90 day access to Mathology.ca – online tool containing rich math activities
- Activities to help commemorate special awareness days
- Additional resources and recommendations for working and learning online during COVID-19

Click HERE to access Grade levels K through 12
https://code.org/athome

Take a Code Break with Hadi Partovi and the Code.org team

With schools closed and tens of millions of students at home, Code.org is launching Code Break — a live weekly webcast where our team will teach your children at home while school is closed, and a weekly challenge to engage students of all abilities, even those without computers.

Tune in Wednesdays at 10am PT / 1pm ET, starting March 25. Learn more at code.org/break

Grade levels K through 12
How To Draw For Kids

Here is where you'll find every single one of our how to draw lessons! It's a massive drawing library! You'll find lessons for young and old kids. You'll find everything from how to draw cupcakes to how to draw sharks. So, what are you waiting for? Grab a marker and follow along with us.

https://www.artforkidshub.com/how-to-draw/

How To Draw A Poké Ball Folding Surprise
How To Draw A Sea Anemone
How To Draw A Big Easter Bunny Portrait
Click [HERE](#) to access 20 days’ worth of active learning journeys designed to reinforce and sustain educational opportunities for those students who are unable to attend school.

Resources available for PreK through to grade 9.
Bring TVO into Your Classroom

Discover new and interactive ways you can inspire curiosity, exploration, growth and learning. Bring TVO's in-depth Current Affairs, thought-provoking Documentaries, and award-winning TVOkids content into your lessons today!

https://education.tvo.org/

More than 10,000 articles, videos, and games from TVO current affairs, documentaries, and TVOKids.

K - 12 Resources available

Please select grade*

- K - 4
- 5 - 8
- 9 - 12

Search
Storyline Online is available 24 hours a day for children, parents, caregivers and educators worldwide.

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.

Why not let a celebrity actor read to your child. Info on each book provides the suggested grade levels.

https://www.storylineonline.net/

Grade levels for books indicated in resource
Stories help.

They entertain. They teach. They keep young minds active, alert, and engaged.

For as long as schools are closed, we’re open. Starting today, kids everywhere can instantly stream an incredible collection of stories, including titles across six different languages, that will help them continue dreaming, learning, and just being kids.

All stories are free to stream on your desktop, laptop, phone or tablet.

Explore the collection, select a title and start listening.

It's that easy.

Books for all ages to listen to
Mystery Science offers free lessons broken down by grade level on fun topics like, “Why are baby animals so cute?”

All of the lessons are expertly designed to engage students, achieve learning outcomes, and be easy to use. They consist of short mini-lessons that are completely digital and full lessons that include an activity. All of the activities are designed to use simple supplies.

Jump to lessons for:  Kindergarten  |  1st Grade  |  2nd Grade  |  3rd Grade  |  4th Grade  |  5th Grade

Or check out the site itself by clicking HERE
a place where natural curiosity and imagination lead to exploration and discovery in learners of all ages. Each day, we pose an intriguing question—the Wonder of the Day®—and explore it in a variety of ways.

This is a fun one! Wonderopolis takes commonly asked questions and bases lessons around them. “How do you find a sunken ship?” and “Do birds get shocked when they sit on wires” are a few questions that are explored on this website.

https://wonderopolis.org/


Great for curiosity at any age!
Educational websites with over 1,000 short animated movies for students in grades K-12 (ages 6 to 17), together with quizzes and related materials, covering the subjects of science, social studies, English, math, engineering and technology, health, and arts and music.

https://www.brainpop.com/

Make Any Room a Classroom

BrainPOP is here to help you and your curious learners stay informed and on-track with free access during school closures.

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