HOMESCHOOL ADVICE

Keep in touch with teachers
Ask the teacher if you have to strictly follow the curriculum given, or if you have the freedom to adjust the schedule.

Teachers can also give you tips on how to effectively facilitate your kids’ learning. They can also get you in touch with other parents.

Involve the family
Homeschooling involves integrating your child’s educational schedule with your family’s regular routine.

Have a chat with your family and know what their expectations are with the home school setup—and what is expected of them.

Set a schedule
Even if you’re following a lesson plan, it’s good to brainstorm with your child about their day ahead.

Give them options. Give them time to adjust to the schedule.

Create a space
A kitchen table or counter may have worked in the past. BUT now its time to dedicate a space for them to work. It will get them focused and ready for the days lessons.

Create a space for art work and projects. Helping them and you appricate the hard work achived!

Take breaks
It’s simple advice - and you can't underestimate the power of breaks.

Add it to your schedule and make it fun—or be spontaneous and flexible and take it when you can.

Be flexible
Learning from can be difficult, new, and frustrating.

Facilitate your child’s study schedule closely, but be flexible to change it up based on your child’s learning tendencies and emotional state at the time.

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Below are a few sites for your children. Use them as an incentive when your child has completed their required school work!

**STARFALL**

Multi-sensory interactive games that encourage exploration, play, and positive reinforcement

https://www.starfall.com/h/

**PEEP AND THE BIG WIDE WORLD**

Comprehensive science curriculum with distinct visuals, intriguing plot lines, and familiar characters.


**EDUCATIONAL GAMES**

With activities suited for preschool through 5th grade, your students will build foundational skills in everything from counting to reading comprehension, fractions to basic coding, and much more.

https://www.education.com/games

**FUNBRAIN**

Funbrain aims to expand your child’s math, reading, problem-solving, and literacy skills through games, books, comics, and videos.

https://www.funbrain.com/

**PBS KIDS**

Your child can interact with characters from their favorite books and television shows on PBS Kids

https://pbskids.org/

**SMITHSONIAN KIDS**

No need to travel to one of the Smithsonian’s zoos or museums — this website brings your child everything from live video of the National Zoo to the Smithsonian Learning Lab right to their screen.

https://www.si.edu/kids

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3RD- 5TH GRADE

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**COOL KID FACTS**

Cool Kid Facts gives your child access to educational videos, pictures, quizzes, downloadable worksheets, and infographics. They can use these to learn about geography, history, science, animals, and even the human body.

www.coolkidfacts.com

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**SMITHSONIAN OCEAN**

Take a deep dive into ocean life. Explore the ocean’s many creatures and ecosystems while learning more about how to get involved in conservation efforts.

https://ocean.si.edu/

**CLIMATE KIDS**

Comprehensive science curriculum with distinct visuals, intriguing plot lines, and familiar characters.

https://climatekids.nasa.gov/

**SCRATCH**

Scratch helps young people learn to think creatively, reason systematically, and work collaboratively. Kids can use these essential skills to program stories, games, and animations.

https://scratch.mit.edu/

**NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC**

This site is great for parents and kids to sit together and watch videos, play games, and learn about their favorite animals!

https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/

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6TH- 8TH GRADE

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**BRAIN POP**
Cool Kid Facts gives your child access to educational videos, pictures, quizzes, downloadable worksheets, and infographics. They can use these to learn about geography, history, science, animals, and even the human body.

https://www.brainpop.com/

**EXPLORE HUMAN ANATOMY**
Innerbody explores the 11 bodily systems in depth. With interactive models and detailed explanations, helps you learn more about the internal mechanics of the amazing human body.

https://www.innerbody.com/htm/body.html

**EDUCATIONAL GAMES**
With activities suited for preschool through 5th grade, your students will build foundational skills in everything from counting to reading comprehension, fractions to basic coding, and much more.

https://www.education.com/games

**KHAN ACADEMY**
Offers practice exercises, instructional videos, and a personalized learning dashboard that empower learners to study at their own pace in and outside of the classroom.

https://www.khanacademy.org

**INTERACTIVE CONSTITUTION**
This site is great for parents and kids to sit together and watch videos, play games, and learn about their favorite animals!

https://constitutioncenter.org/interactive-constitution

**PRODIGY**
An adaptive math game that integrates Common Core math (1st-7th grade) into a fantasy style game that students absolutely love playing.

https://www.prodigygame.com/

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EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES

High School

Below you will find resources to help you during this time of distant learning.

EDX
EdX offers free online courses from world’s top universities including ‘Harvard University, MIT, UC Berkeley, Tsinghua University, Microsoft, Linux, The Smithsonian and more. Courses cover different topics like computer science, engineering, history, psychology, nutrition, big data, statistics and hundreds
morehttps://www.edx.org/

Khan Academy
Offers practice exercises, instructional videos, and a personalized learning dashboard that empower learners to study at their own pace in and outside of the classroom.
https://www.khanacademy.org

NOVA Education tailors digital resources for STEM educators, and offers a free educator library featuring videos, audio segments, lesson plans, and interactives, all aligned to teaching standards.
https://www.pbs.org/wgbh/nova/brand/education/

DOCs Teach
Access thousands of primary sources — letters, photographs, speeches, posters, maps, videos, and other document types — spanning the course of American history.
https://www.docsteach.org/

CK12
This is a platform that provides high quality curated STEM content for teachers and students. Its library has over 5000 math and science materials.
https://www.ck12.org/student/

Google Arts & Culture
Google Arts & Culture features content from over 1200 leading museums and archives who have partnered with the Google Cultural Institute to bring the world’s treasures online.
https://artsandculture.google.com/

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MY DAY

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How are you feeling today? 😞 😊 😊 😊 😪