Home Learning Ideas

What can you do when you aren't at school and have to stay at home? Here are some fun learning ideas to choose from.

1 Get reading! Get comfy, choose a good book and lose yourself to a new world. Or look up new information. What would you like most to learn about? 	**2 Draw a view!** Look out of a window in your home. What can you see? Try looking very closely at an object and drawing every detail. 	**3 Write a postcard** Write a postcard to your teacher and your friends. Can you tell them what you like most about them and their company?	**4 Junk model** Collect and recycle materials such as yoghurt pots, boxes and empty toilet rolls. What can you create with them?	**5 Get sketching** Find a photograph or picture of a person, pet, place or object to sketch. Can you use shading?
6 Celebrate you! Make a list of things that make you happy, a list of things that you are good at and a list of things you are grateful for.	**7 Board game** Make a homemade board game and play it with your family! Will it have a theme? 	**8 Read aloud** Read aloud to a person or pet in your family. Remember to use expression and character voices!	**9 Write a review** Write a review about a book, a film, a television programme or a computer game. Would you recommend it to your friends?	**10 Become an inventor** Can you design a new gadget that will help people? Draw a picture and write a description of how it works.
11 Be kind! Pay someone a compliment, make something for them, write something for them or help them with a task!	**12 Write a play script** Can you act it out to other people? Can you perform more than one character? 	**13 Get building** You could build a Lego model, a tower of playing cards or anything you can imagine!	**14 Create a story bag** Collect items in your home that link together. Can you make up or retell a story using the items?	**15 Thank a community hero** Think of someone that helps you in some way and write a short letter to thank them.
16 Become a designer Design a future uniform or sport kit. Create a persuasive poster to convince others to buy your wonderful product!	**17 Nature diary** Look out of the window each day and keep note of what you see: birds, flowers, changes in the weather.	**18 Spy code!** Create a code using numbers and symbols. Can a family member crack it? What secret messages could you write? 	**19 Draw a map** Can you draw a map of your home or local area? What symbols could you use for interesting objects or landmarks?	**20 Twists and turns.** Can you re-write a fairy tale with lots of different twists? Maybe Cinderella stole the glass slipper from her sisters instead!
21 Learn a new skill Learn to tie shoe laces, make your bed, fold your clothes or help adults with peeling and slicing vegetables for your tea!	**22 Keep moving** Make up a dance routine to your favourite song or create an assault course. Get ready to star jump! 	**23 3D shape or fraction hunt** KS1 – How many different 3D shapes can you see in your home? KS2 – What fractions can you find?	**24 Build a reading den** Find somewhere cosy. Use blankets and pillows and snuggle up and read your favourite book. 	**25 Electricity sorting** What electrical items do you have at home? Create a poster that sorts them. Do they use batteries or mains power?