



Learning at Home Choice Board

Years 3-6



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Literacy Tasks

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Make up a story, write it and illustrate it.	Write an email to someone in your extended family to let them know you are thinking of them.	Have a readathon! How many books or chapters of books can you read in a day?	Solve a crossword or do word puzzles or code crackers.	Draw your family tree. Write a few sentences about each of the people who feature on it.
Create your own wordsearch with your family names or places you've been.	Play charades. Act out a movie or book title without speaking. Each team has two minutes to guess the title.	Make a family magazine. Interview members of your family. Take photos or draw pictures. Write a joke page and puzzle page.	Write about your favourite day ever. What happened? Where were you? Who was there? How did you feel? Why was it special?	Write the lyrics to your favourite song, decorate it and display it somewhere in your house.
Write an alternate ending to a story you know well.	Pick words of the day from the dictionary and find ways to use them when you talk with other people. Try to use them in your writing too.	Challenge your sibling to read as many books in a day as possible.	Cut out words and letters from old magazines and make stories, codes, poems and puzzles with them.	Play Boggle. Make a 4 by 4 grid on a whiteboard or piece of paper. Write a letter in each box. Make as many words of three or more letters as you can.
Play games like Scrabble or Upwords.	Talk with older family members about interesting stories from the past.	Find an interesting big word like hippopotamus and see how many little words you can make from it.	Make your own postcards. Write messages for your friends and post them.	Write the weekly shopping list for your family. Cross each item off as you get it.