



The 10 Non-Negotiables for Remote Learning

1. I log on my google classroom daily at 9:00 a.m.
2. I affirm that my user ID is private and should not be shared with my peers.
3. I use google classroom for school related work ONLY.
4. I post appropriate academic materials only on my google classroom.
5. I follow my teachers' directives at all times.
6. I use academic language when addressing my peers and my teachers.
7. I stay on the subject that is being taught.
8. I complete all remote assignments daily and timely.
9. I ask my teachers for clarity when needed, and I share any related concerns with them.
10. I work with my peers only when directed to do so.

Fun things to keep children moving and learning while staying indoors!

[DOWNLOAD the printable Stay-At-Home Care Package.](#)

"KIDZ BOP Dance Along Videos" on YouTube

<https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLMr-d2PLsO95ydptpBnsxdQNSKc9iUNU0>

Recipes & Cooking Activities for Kids | America's Test Kitchen Kids

<https://www.americastestkitchen.com/kids/home>

Games

<https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/games/>



Important updates and reminders to share with you:

If you are in need of a device and have not yet done so, we encourage you to complete DOE's remote learning device survey. If you still need a device, please fill out the Remote Learning Device Request Form at <https://www.schools.nyc.gov/learn-at-home/ipad-distribution> , or call 311.

School Closures: The State has announced that all schools in New York State will now remain closed during the 2019-2020 school year. Schools will reopen in September 2020 (Tentative to Change).

Regents Exams: The State has cancelled June 2020 Regents exams. Families of high school students will soon receive additional guidance regarding how this impacts graduation requirements. In short, students who planned to take Regents exams in June 2020 will be exempt from these exams in order to earn their diploma, but they still must complete the required course credits to graduate. Our goal is to make sure that students on track to graduate this year continue to remain on their path toward successful completion of high school.

Math and ELA Tests: The State has cancelled math and English Language Arts tests for grades 3 through 8.

Remote Learning Tools: In order to best protect security and privacy, we are requiring schools to transition away from using Zoom as a virtual meeting tool for remote learning. We know this tool is already in use by many schools and we don't expect it to happen overnight, but we are providing support to educators to help the transition to Google Hangouts Meet or Microsoft Teams—both of which are also in consistent use by many schools.

Here are some videos to help you understand how to use your child's Google Classroom:

Video: *The Parents Guide to Google Classroom:* <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2Iowi-gmbys>

Slideshow: *Parent Guidance for Google Classroom:* https://docs.google.com/file/d/1g-0F_xa9WSocHxHz8aJylaFnj-XQVNN8/edit?filetype=mspresentation

La guía de padres para Google Classroom:

<https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1XjdGQaNQnP1N1bnYh6M96rg4KHI2MVFE/edit#slide=id.p1>

If you are still in need of a device, please fill out the following form on the NYC Department of Education website to apply to be loaned an iPad or a laptop:

<https://coronavirus.schools.nyc/RemoteLearningDevices>

Additional Resources for Learning at Home. Link contains a variety of books, magazines, and websites on a wide range of topics that appeal to children at all ages.

<https://www.schools.nyc.gov/learn-at-home/activities-for-students/additional-resources>

Help desk for I Pad assistance 718-935-2200

DOE Help Desk 718 935. 5100

Text "nycschools" to 877-877 for alerts and info.

DOE Information:

<https://www.schools.nyc.gov/learn-at-home>

<https://www.schools.nyc.gov/learn-at-home/activities-for-students>

<https://www.schools.nyc.gov/learn-at-home/ipad-distribution>

<https://www.schools.nyc.gov/learn-at-home/chancellor-s-message-for-families>

COVID-19 Community Resources Update from Council Member Mathieu Eugene

<https://myemail.constantcontact.com/COVID-19-Community-Resources-Update-from-Council-Member-Mathieu-Eugene.html?soid=1119530715852&aid=8ppzcLcUc6E>

<https://myemail.constantcontact.com/COVID-19-Community-Prevention-Update-from-Council-Member-Mathieu-Eugene.html?soid=1119530715852&aid=ESsD6cCTc68>

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Educational Resources:

Cincinnati Zoo, 2- to 10-year-olds: Educators and keepers at the zoo do Facebook Live “Home Safaris” and then offer an activity to do at home.

Art for Kids Hub, 2- to 10-year-olds: Art lessons on everything from drawing to origami to sculpting, with videos organized by age range.

Amazon Prime, all ages: Amazon just announced it is making some of its kids’ programming available without a Prime membership.

Camp Broadway, 10- to 17-year-olds: An educational livestream featuring theater pros involved in all aspects of productions.

American Museum of Natural History, all ages: The New York museum is offering a variety of online content.

Child Mind Institute: Mental health resources and advice for parents.

Story Time From Spaces, 6- to 10-year-olds: Astronauts read books aloud while the text and images from the book are displayed on the screen.

https://www.hand2mindathome.com/?gclid=EAIaIQobChMI5_ip4zA6AIVl4jICh3KcgTIEAMYAiAAEgLJ6vD_BwE&gclid=aw.ds

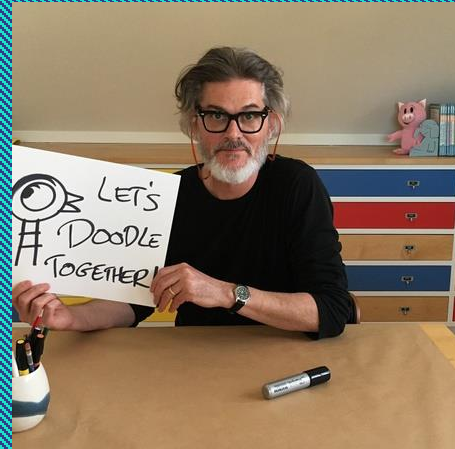


1. Scholastic Learn at Home Projects

Scholastic has started a Learn at Home series, which will keep children learning even though schools are closed. Each day, Scholastic will add four different learning experience videos to their website for different grade levels. Click [here](#) for the Scholastic Learn at Home Projects.

2. Lunch Doodles with Mo Willems

Children's author Mo Willems has been releasing "Lunch Doodle" videos on The Kennedy Center's website, which encourages children of all ages to draw and write with him. Be sure to have crayons, paper, pens or pencils ready and join Mo Willems each weekday at 1 p.m. Click [here](#) for the link to Mo's videos.



3. Khan Academy

Created by experts, Khan Academy's library of trusted, standards-aligned practice and lessons covers math K-12 through early college, grammar, science, history, AP®, SAT®, and more, and it's all free! Students practice at their own pace, first filling in gaps in their understanding and then accelerating their learning. Click [here](#) to visit Khan Academy



4. Prodigies Music Online Classes

Prodigies Music offers online classes and activities for children to teach them musical skills through video lessons, worksheets and sheet music. Children will learn how to sing in tune, understand music notes and how to play an instrument. Click [here](#) to sign up. (21 Day Free Trial)

5. NGAkids Art Zone

The National Gallery of Art presents NGAkids Art Zone, an interactive and informative way to introduce art and art history to children. It features activities like creating animated portraits, decorating 17th-century dollhouses and making three-dimensional geometric shapes, which will entertain your children while they learn about art and art history. Click [here](#) to access NGAkids Art Zone.



6. Online Language Classes

Conjugemos teaches students how to learn a new language through different types of interactive activities, quizzes and games. They offer these courses in Spanish, French, German and Italian, just to name a few. Click [here](#) to sign up and get started.

7. Daily At Home Science Experiments

Club SciKidz have been posting daily science or cooking experiments that are safe for children to try at home. These experiments are interactive and will help viewers learn more about elements, matter, sound and more. Click [here](#) to access these at home science experiments.





8. **Bamboo Learning through Amazon's Alexa**

Bamboo Learning has integrated voice-based learning through Amazon's Alexa, making it easy for kids to learn since almost everyone has this tool in their homes. They have a variety of different tools that will educate children on subjects ranging from math and reading to music and history. Click [here](#) to enable these tools to your Alexa.

9. **Kid-Friendly Workouts**

SworKit, an at home fitness program and app is now offering kid-friendly workouts to help your kids stay active while at home. Ranging from warm-ups and strength to agility and flexibility, these videos are sure to keep your child engaged and occupied. Click [here](#) to get started.

Here are 450 Ivy League courses you can take online right now for free For Parents
<https://www.freecodecamp.org/news/ivy-league-free-online-courses-a0d7ae675869/>