## Websites with Resources that you can use:

Scholastic

Scholastic has put out an amazing effort in creating online lesson plans (5/week) for free which offer children a read a loud story, video/song and a follow up activity that relates to the theme. Currently there are four weeks of activities available.

Check out the pre-K/K lessons at:

https://classroommagazines.scholastic.com/support/learnathome/grades-prek-k.html

## Pearson Mathology

Pearson has created a free online story that is read out loud and has a follow up activity online to support the lesson. A new story is added each week. Be sure to try the Kindergarten stories and activities and even some of the Grade one stories and activities for a challenge! <u>https://www.pearsoncanadaschool.com/index.cfm?locator=PS3e1i</u>

# Scavenger Hunts

Scavenger hunts are a great way to move around and gather items that you already have, similar to finding something for show and tell. At the Primary Playground blog the creator has put together some wonderful hunts for you and your family to try!

Check out the scavenger hunts at:

https://primaryplayground.net/scavenger-

hunts/?fbclid=IwAR2FvYjj6XSVxRuQufh3WORSqqTsBlVWPhRoQL6NbTzjr1X8Ntqxg9CLu Ro

# Assiniboine Park & Zoo

If you have Facebook check out Assiniboine Park and Zoo and watch the creature features they have posted online about the animals that live in the zoo in Winnipeg! <u>https://www.facebook.com/assiniboineparkzoo/</u>

Tumblebooks

Tumblebooks (usually a paid online library) can now be accessed for free through the Western Manitoba Regional Library. Tumblebooks and TumbleMath (which I find too difficult for many Kindergarten students) have online books read out loud for your child. In tumblebooks there are many favorites that we have already shared by author Robert Munsch and David Shannon and you can search for books by theme, author or just randomly pick and enjoy. The books offer a grade level appropriate rating as well to assist with what books you may or may not want to listen to/watch. Enjoy at:

https://wmrl.ca/eresources/tumblebooks/

### Marbles Kids Museum

There are some fun "play at home" activities offered on the Marbles Kids Museum webpage if your imagination has run out! The Marbles to go play activities has twelve ideas per section that you can try with your family:

http://www.marbleskidsmuseum.org/playtools?fbclid=IwAR363hpC0miMtFo1K56lvKPQLLhW t6UxKpw1in25ag68vr7r1zUOb0-x1Kk

### Music Therapy

Students and parents can check out Allison Davies, Music In Isolation Episodes. Allison Davies is a Registered Music Therapist who specializes in Brain Care. The Music in Isolation Episodes were designed for kids; they are fun, southing, educational. Check out this one on singing Vowels. <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hFavlFl yol</u>

### Scholars Choice

If you sign up with your name and email address you can have access to download and print free activity books through Scholars Choice. The ABC Melisa and Doug Resource, check and double check phonics e-book, the resource book Apri Monthly collection for K would be challenging for Kindergarten students, activity pages such as the critter cutter, abc order, mazes, coloring pages, above/below/next to would all be appropriate for Kindergarten curriculum.

https://info.scholarschoice.ca/downloads?fbclid=IwAR3kUwg3kgbo\_SH-EqxUbjQPQgREWq4q2tkkBzrDm00WQPFjeDpBRtP26zk

### Want to get moving while staying indoors?

Check out family go noodle to get moving with fun dances and exercises. We use go noodle at school for some fun movement breaks (<u>https://family.gonoodle.com/)</u>

Cosmic kids yoga is fun for the whole family, but kid friendtly yoga you can do in the livingroom! <u>https://www.youtube.com/user/CosmicKidsYoga</u>

Phys.Ed with Joe – some phys.ed classes online to check out: <u>https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLyCLoPd4VxBvQafyve889qVcPxYEjdSTl</u>

#### **Online games**

Starfall is an online program that kids can learn many Kindergarten concepts from ABC letters and their sounds to colors. Some items are unavailable for free while others are free for use. Check it out at:

www.starfall.com

more online games under the Kindergarten section on counting and abcs <u>www.abcya.com</u>

Sesame street has online videos, games and more for your child to play online. <u>www.sesamestreet.org</u>

Teach your monster to read covers letter recognition, letter sound recognition, blending letters together and reading sight words. <u>https://www.teachyourmonstertoread.com/</u>

PBS kids has an entire section of games that deal with identifying feelings. Check them out at: <a href="https://pbskids.org/">https://pbskids.org/</a>

tvokids has some online math games geared for Kindergarten. Sign up for the free account and have access to some math games for your child <u>https://www.tvokids.com/school-age/space-blog</u>

### Looking for apps?

khan academy kids App (free) teach your monster to read App (\$) Letter School TVOKids The Letter Tree