

### List of different activities when things are challenging

<http://www.sciencekids.co.nz/experiments.html> - try some fun science experiments here!

Write a song

Create a diary of your time at home

Using 30 lego pieces/building blocks, how many different things can you build?

Open the magnifier app. on a phone to observe bugs and plants

Create a mosaic using dried food or household materials

Teach yourself a new skill eg knitting, skateboarding, tricks with a football, juggling...

Make a sundial - if we have some sun!

Make people smile – how can you show random acts of kindness?

Design and make a box to collect your crisp packets at home. Can you be an eco warrior?!

Learn how to do some jobs at home eg Hoovering, gardening, folding washing, cooking a meal.

Make up your own show for your family. You could design costumes, write the script and create scenery?

Design an outfit from recyclable materials – could you start a fashion show and make a designer label?

Bake a cake

Paint a picture or sketch something in your house

Design your family coat of arms

Make up a wake up shake and share with teacher so they can share with your friends and have a go at themselves

Make biscuits

Send an email to a nursing home where older people are living with a message to cheer them up

Write a prayer to share

Can you make up a song or a tune if you have an instrument-practise record and then it can be shared to entertain others

Use Purple Mash 2simple 2draw

Learn to type using 2type on purple mash

Design a menu / make place names/lay the table and cook the meal and serve. Don't forget the washing up. Take a picture of your family together

Use a construction kit eg lego (if you have one )to make a model

Plant a potato/tomato seeds and keep a diary of how your plants are growing – lots of measuring etc...and you can eat the results

Blow an egg and decorate it (it is Easter after all!)

Measure the amount of rainwater – keep a weather chart.

Gather leaves – how many different species can you find?

Press a flower in a book (or in a flower press).

Set up and make a bird feeder/feeding station and record which types of birds come to your garden/feeder.

Take cuttings from a plant outside and see if you can get it to grow.

Create a mini Easter garden in a flower pot/container using findings from your garden.

Paint a pebble.

Make some salt dough and create your own 'fossils' by imprinting household objects into it.

Make your own mini museum at home with objects you find interesting; label them, revealing their story. Invite your family to visit.

Make a card and send it to someone special.

Make a junk model from your recycling.

Explore an artist whose work interests you – can you attempt to mimic their style?

Create a picture in an outside space or garden

Draw a character you would like to write about

Sit with a note book and write a story over several days share when you have finished it

Help around the house

Give your bedroom a spring clean

Make up a game and share it via google classrooms so that others can have a go

Wave to people you see and shout hello

# 100+ INDOOR ACTIVITIES

## CRAFTS

MAKE PAPER AIRPLANES  
SALT PAINTING  
MAKE SUNCATCHERS  
MAKE SALT DOUGH  
MAKE SPONGE STAMPS  
MAKE A CEREAL BOX AQUARIUM  
MAKE SCRATCH ART  
MAKE YOUR OWN BOOKMARKS  
PAINT PET ROCKS  
MAKE RECYCLED CRAYONS  
MAKE PAPER BOATS  
FINGER PAINT  
MAKE FRIENDSHIP BRACELETS  
MAKE A BIRD FEEDER  
MAKE PAPER BAG PUPPETS  
MAKE HANDPRINT ART  
MAKE A SCRAPBOOK  
DECORATE T-SHIRTS  
MAKE A THANKFUL JAR  
PAINT LEAVES  
MAKE A TIME CAPSULE  
MAKE BUTTON ART  
PAINT WITH WATERCOLORS  
COLOR IN A COLORING BOOK  
MAKE PAPER CRAFTS  
BUILD A CARDBOARD CASTLE  
MAKE TISSUE BOX MONSTERS  
MAKE A TOILET PAPER ROLL  
BUTTERFLY  
STAMP WITH CELERY  
MAKE CHALK ICE  
MAKE PUFFY SIDEWALK PAINT  
DRAW A SELF PORTRAIT  
USE RUBBER STAMPS  
DO SCRAPE PAINTING  
PAINT A RECYCLED JAR  
MAKE SUPERHERO COSTUMES

## ACTIVITIES

MAKE PLAYDOUGH  
MAKE SLIME  
MAKE PLAY MUD  
MAKE RAINBOW RICE  
MAKE FAKE SNOW  
MAKE A SENSORY BIN  
MAKE A SENSORY BAG  
BUILD A FORT  
HAVE A PILLOW FIGHT  
WRITE A STORY  
MAKE ICE CREAM IN A BAG  
MAKE GUMMY BEARS  
MAKE FRUIT ROLL-UPS  
HAVE A MOVIE DAY  
PUT ON A FASHION SHOW  
BAKE CUPCAKES OR MUFFINS  
DO YOGA  
BUILD AN OBSTACLE COURSE  
MAKE DINNER TOGETHER  
PLAY WITH MAGNETIC TILES  
BUILD SOMETHING WITH LEGO  
USE DOT MARKERS  
BUILD A STACK OF CARDS  
PUT ON A PUPPET SHOW  
MAKE A TREASURE HUNT  
INDOOR BOWLING  
LEARN TO DRAW  
PUT ON A PLAY  
MAKE INDOOR HOPSCOTCH  
DO A FAMILY CHORE TOGETHER  
HAVE A DANCE PARTY  
HAVE A TEA PARTY  
PLAY WITH WATER IN A BIN  
SET UP A PLAY STORE  
MAKE A SOCK TOSS GAME  
MAKE PERLER BEAD ART  
WRITE IN A JOURNAL

## GAMES

PLAY WOULD YOU RATHER  
PLAY I SPY  
PLAY SIMON SAYS  
PLAY BOARD GAMES  
PLAY HIDE AND SEEK  
INDOOR SCAVENGER HUNT  
PLAY BINGO  
PLAY CARD GAMES  
DO A PUZZLE  
PLAY CHARADES  
BUILD YOUR OWN GAME  
PLAY FREEZE DANCE  
PLAY HOT POTATO  
PLAY MARBLES  
KEEP THE BALLOON UP  
PLAY DOMINOES  
PLAY HANGMAN  
PLAY TIC-TAC-TOE

## EDUCATIONAL

READ BOOKS  
DO A SCIENCE PROJECT  
LEARN ORIGAMI  
LEARN ABOUT A NEW ANIMAL  
LEARN A NEW CARD GAME  
LEARN TO SEW  
LEARN TO KNIT  
DO BRAIN TEASERS  
LEARN A NEW LANGUAGE  
LEARN ABOUT A COUNTRY