



K3 Distance Learning

May 25th - 29th

Hello K3 families! Starting this week, we are going to begin our Alphabet Countdown to Summer! We will focus on a new letter each day, with learning activities inspired by a word or words that start with that letter. We will continue to post one challenge per day to Twitter, and would love to see your photos!

As always, please pick and choose which activities work best for your family and your schedule. Please let us know if you have any questions! Happy countdown K3! :)

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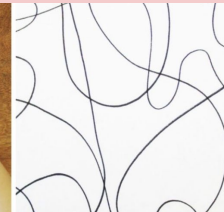
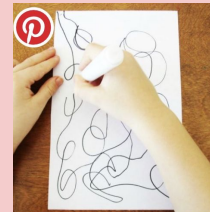
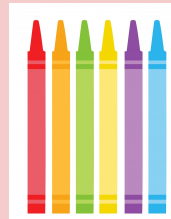
Artist Day! Journée d'art!



Today is your chance to make a masterpiece! Using the art materials you have at home, you are invited to create a work of art! Here are a few ideas to help get you inspired! When you are finished, who could you share your art with to make them smile?

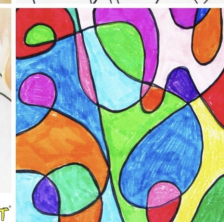


Try this finger paint pineapple or make a fruit salad!



Use pencil crayons, markers or wax crayons to do this doodle art!
More ideas -

<https://kinderart.com/art-lessons/seasons/5-creative-activities-kids-can/>



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Bottle Day!

Journée de bouteilles!

Write a **Message in a Bottle!**

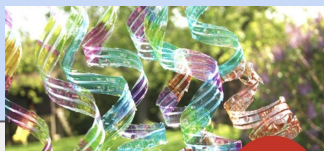


Do you want to surprise someone with a special message? You can write them a simple message (i.e. Je t'aime, I love you) on a paper, roll it up and place it into an empty water bottle or jar!

Water Bottle Spiral Art!

Use markers to decorate empty, dry, plastic water bottles. Remove the bottom of the bottle with scissors, and then cut in the shape of a spiral towards the top. Find instructions here -

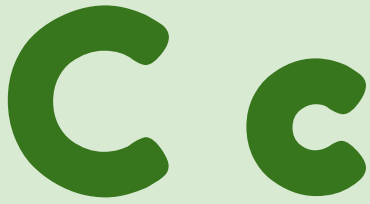
<https://www.cbc.ca/parents/play/view/water-bottle-wind-spirals>



Make your own **Mindfulness Bottle!** Shake and watch the items in the jar settle as your body calms down.




1. Find a jar or bottle.
2. Decorate the outside with paint, stickers, markers.
3. Fill the bottle $\frac{3}{4}$ with water.
4. Optional: add glitter, clear glue and/or food colouring to the water.
5. Seal the lid, shake and you're set!




Card Game Day!

Journée de cartes!



 Today is card game day! Do you have a favourite card game? Do you want to learn a new card game you can play with your family? Today is a great day to learn! :)

 Looking to try a new game? Check out this website:
<https://www.todayparent.com/family/activities/10-kid-friendly-card-games/#gallery/kid-friendly-card-games/slide-1>

 Don't have a deck of cards at home? No problem! Print out this template and design your own cards, or create your own on cardstock!
https://docs.google.com/document/d/18h-dt6DX8eZH_uH84giWC5w4Ecwlw0cA_KVpkOuc9Ns/edit?usp=sharing

STEM Challenge: Try to build a house, tower, or structure out of cards! How high can you make your tower? You can also use some other materials to help you (pieces of paper, cue cards, etc).



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Dot Day! Journée de dé!

Ten Frame Games:

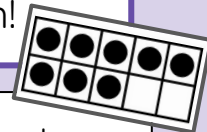
Race to 10 game:

- Draw a 10 frame on 2 pieces of paper
- The first player rolls the dice (or you can use pieces of paper with the numbers 1-6 written on them), and places that many small items on the ten frame
- The second player does the same
- The 1st player to fill in their entire 10 frame wins! As you play, ask your child some questions → **Without counting, can you tell how many items you have on your 10 frame? How do you know? How many more do you need to fill your 10 frame? How do you know?**

Counting to 20 with 10 Frames: Challenge!

- Try this online game for a challenge (using 2 ten frames, and numbers 11-19): <http://toytheater.com/pool/>

Today we celebrate the many ways we see and use dots in Math!



Representing numbers in different ways:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IAQ2HTqTI2w>

Dice Game:

Roll & Cover Game:

- Use the Roll & Cover template, or create your own!
- Roll one dice and cover one flower with the corresponding number. Keep rolling until all flowers are covered!

If you do not have dice at home, here is a print and build dice template:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1Og1_J61m1Nmqwjdxd5rfMYO1dTjVdo2yG7L3JFm5mPg/edit?usp=sharing

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Experiment Day! Journée d'expériences!

Before the experiment: Make a **prediction** (a guess) of what you think will happen!

Try this *plastic baggie and pencil experiment!* You will need:

- A sharp pencil
- A sealed plastic baggie
- water

See what happens when you poke the pencil through the plastic bag filled with water!

<https://buggyandbuddy.com/science-activities-for-kids-baggi-e-and-pencil-magic-science-invitation-saturday/>



If you like magic, you will have fun with this *Rainbow Wizard's Brew*. You will need:

- vinegar
- baking soda
- tray
- dish soap
- glass jar
- optional: glitter, paint

Full instructions:

<https://babbledabledo.com/20-science-projects-for-pre-schoolers/>



After the experiment: Make a **conclusion** (was your prediction, guess correct or not?)