

Try these "Maths Ideas" out at home!

Count to 100 with someone. One person counts the odd numbers and the other one counts the even numbers.	Count the coins in your mum or dad's wallet.	Rainbow write the numbers 0-9 with at least 5 different colours.	Use your cereal to create images that have symmetry.	Create the biggest number using 6,7,9 and 3
Explain to your parents the biggest number that can be in the one's place.	Have your parents give you a number and add or subtract by multiples of 10	Add your mum and dad's age up together.	Find some 2D shapes and use them to create a picture.	Count by 2's and see how far you can go.
Write down the number 21 and turn it into a picture.	Roll 3 dice with someone at home. Take turns to add the numbers - the winner has the biggest number		Start at number 75 and count backwards to 0	Have someone listen to you count backwards by fives
Using an analogue clock, tell someone what time it is.	Start from 100 and count backwards in 2's.	Create the smallest number using 6,7,9 and 3	Have your parents give you a number and add or subtract by multiples of 5	Play Snakes and Ladders with someone at home.
Have someone listen to you count forwards by fives	Look in a magazine or newspaper and tally how many "6's" you find.	Have your parents give you some numbers and tell them if it's even or odd.	Figure out how many more years older your dad is than you.	Make a list of all the triangles in your house.



Try these "Reading Ideas" at home!

Read a poem to someone at home	Listen to someone at home read a story	Go to the library with someone and pick out books to read at home	Read a story and tell someone about the main characters	Turn out the lights and read a story by torch light!
Listen to someone at home talk about something they remember about school	Read a story with someone at home. Make a connection to a character in the story	Read a story and tell someone at home about the setting	Choose a book. You read a page and someone at home reads a page. Take turns throughout the book	Read two pages in a book to someone using great expression!
You read a story and then think of two words to describe the story.	Listen to someone make a prediction about a story you are reading.		Read a story together. Decide on a new title for the story.	Read a book with someone at home. Each tells what they like about the book.
Read a non- fiction story together. Share two facts that you learned.	Make up a story when you are riding in the car with someone.	Read a story together and have someone else think of two words to describe the story.	Have someone at home read a newspaper article to you. You tell about the article in your own words.	Read a story by yourself.
Ask someone at home to make a prediction about a story before you start to read.	Read a story and tell someone at home about the main characters.	Read a story. Talk with someone at home about the illustrations.	Help someone at home write a grocery list.	Listen to someone at home tell about something that happened to them. You retell the story in your own words.

Try these "Writing Ideas" at home!

Write 5 words that describe you.	Write 5 words that describe someone at home	Write about your favourite holiday	Make a list of things that are laying on your bedroom floor.	Write as many words as you can think of that rhyme with "play".
Write about the funniest thing that has ever happened to you.	Write as many words as you can think of that begin with "sh".	Read a story to someone. Have mum or dad write a brief summary about the book.	Make a list of your favourite foods.	Write an animal for each letter of the alphabet.
Write down 10 things you can do at home.	Write a thank you note to somebody.		Have someone at home write down 3 reasons they are proud of you.	Write as many words as you can think of that begin with "ch".
Write about your favourite animal.	Write a word on someone's back and have them guess what it is.	Write 2 sentences about the weather. Check the punctuation!	Write a poem with someone at home.	Write a story of your choice.
Write a letter to the principal.	Write as many words as you can think of that begin with "dr".	Make a list of your favourite books.	Write a fruit or vegetable for each letter of the alphabet	Write 3 questions you would like to ask your favourite movie character.

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