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Time to see if you're a natural! We've all seen movies or plays - there's a lot that goes into putting on a production. Start by writing a script for a play. Then it's time to get creative! Find props around the house. Things aren't always what they seem... Need a space suit? Try a puffy jacket and big tupperware for your helmet! Need a forest? Try stacking boxes and draping them with sheets or jackets to make trees! When you're ready, put jon a show for the rest of those at home with you. Lights - Audience - Action!



This takes a little bit of prior coordination, but with the help of parents, you could play a game of charades with other kids while staying 6 ft apart. Have a pre-set list of words to act out (ideally written by someone who isn't playing) and take turns selecting from the list. Another option, if you have the space or materials is pictionary! For this you need a large pad of white paper / white board - OR lots of room to draw the pictures on the sidewalk or street in chalk.



If you've ever had the chance to play with a Chat Pack, especially the ones for kids, you know it can be hilariously fun! The basic premise is that you take turns drawing cards from a set of random questions that the reader then has to answer. Questions range from "What musical instrument is most like your personality?" to "What's one problem in the world that you hope is resolved in the next 10 years?" THIS TIME, take the reigns and make up your own questions! Here are some ideas to get you going: "What's the best part of having to stay at home?" "What do you want people in 100 years to remember about this time?" "If you could learn to do one art or trade PERFECTLY, what would it be?" ENJOY!

That's all for this week.
Come back next Sat. for more ideas of things to do with family or friends while social distancing.
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