

SOMETHING FOR SATURDAY

Ideas for How to Take a Break without
Technology While Keeping Social Distance

Fun at Home

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Playing with Other Kids in the Neighborhood

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Family Nights - Without a Screen

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Stained Glass Concrete

Fun at Home

01



This one is easy and super adaptable - all you need is chalk and some tape (not Scotch -- painters' tape or masking tape work best). Be sure all your strips of tape connect, so that all the shapes are closed. When you're ready, color each shape however you want - solid colors work the best. Lastly, pull the tape away to reveal your "stained glass" masterpiece! Try making simple designs, or branch out to more complicated pictures.



02

Scavenger Hunt

Playing with Other Kids in the Neighborhood

This is a variation on a classic game that, with a little parent coordination, can be easily successful while keeping proper distance. Parents - come up with a list of items found somewhat easily in both/all of your houses. DON'T share the list with the kids. Then, standing outside equidistant from your houses (and at least 6 ft from the other families), have them race to find the items, one at a time, and bring them back to the starting point. Keep score or just enjoy!



Family Giveaway

Family Nights
- Without a Screen

03

That's right, this week, try an evening where everyone picks two (or three, or four...) items to give away. You could focus on clothes, or toys, or just let it be anything.

THIS IS MORE FUN THAN YOU MIGHT THINK.

After everyone comes back to the meeting point (the living room or front door, or wherever you choose), you all have 15 minutes to decide if **YOU** want to keep something someone else is choosing to give away. If you do, you have 5 minutes to get something of your own to add in its place. Each time new items are added, the 15 minutes of decision time restarts. It's fascinating to see what comes out!

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

