

Early Childhood Family Resources

At-Home Online Activities			
Resource	Website Link	About	Ages
Child Care Aware of America	https://www.childcareaware.org/brain-building-resources/	Activities on brain building moments	Infant - Preschool
Early Childhood Learning Knowledge Center - ECLKC	https://eclkc.ohs.acf.hhs.gov/parenting/article/fun-learning-parents-children-activities-handbook	Activity Handbook	Preschool
Ed Surge	https://www.edsurge.com/news/2020-03-17-how-to-keep-school-rhythm-and-routines-for-young-children-at-home	At home activities	Toddler- Preschool
Lakeshore	https://www.lakeshorelearning.com/resources	Crafts and activities	Multi-Age
National After School Association- NASA	https://activityworks.com/at-home/	At home physical activities	School Age
National Association for the Education of Young Children- NAEYC	https://www.naeyc.org/our-work/families/10-prop-box-ideas-mini-learning-centers-home	Prop box ideas	Infant - Preschool
New York City- Dept. of Education	https://www.schools.nyc.gov/learning-at-home/activities-for-students/additional-resources	A variety of books, magazines, and websites	Birth - Age 8
QT30- DE Thrives	https://dethrives.com/qt-30	At home activities	Multi-Age
Reading Rockets	https://www.readingrockets.org/books/fun	Reading activities	Birth - Age 8
Ready Rosie	https://readyrosie.com/en/healthyathome/	Toolkit for parents	Multi-Age
Sesame Street	https://www.sesamestreet.org/	Games , videos, and art	Preschool
Tinkergarten	https://tinkergarten.com/activities	Outdoor, play-based learning activities	Birth – Age 8

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Vroom	https://www.vroom.org/	Free, science-based tips and tools	Multi-Age
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Phone Apps			
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Curious Learning	https://www.curiouslearning.org/	Exploration and curiosity activities	Multi-Age
Google	https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=earlylearn.kidslearningworld&hl=en_US	ABC, rhymes, numbers, animal names, and fruit names	Preschool - Kindergarten
Screen Actors Guild-American Federation of Television's SAG-AFTRA Foundation	Actors reading children's books	Steam videos featuring celebrated actors reading children's books alongside creatively produced illustration	Multi-Age
Sesame Street	Sésamo	Games, videos, and activities in Spanish	Preschool
Teaching Strategies Gold	https://teachingstrategies.com/protected/infants-toddlers-twos-learning-games/?mkt_tok=eyJpIjoiTnpJMU1XRmtZVEE0TnpKaClzInQiOiJqZUJmWjlhTmV5RjMyZGVsa2Exa2Q5aWtcL2V1eDFrczN4cldoc0s2XC81NElqSVRrTlc4YVgxbkxWdHRyOU5NTTRLMSs1bWhlMlwwR0E2cGt3dk42dXZwM3huN2pGa096Rzk4Q1dyOHpMb0lhN1wvV2RXNlMwemRcl1Q5NDJSVE9UOGNKIn0%3D	At home activities	Infant - Age 2
U.S. Dept. of Education	Talk, Read, and Sing Together Every Day! Tip Sheets for Families, Caregivers and Early Learning Educators	Tip sheets with research-based tips for talking, reading, and singing with children	Multi-Age
Vroom	https://app.vroom.org/	Brain building activities	Multi-Age

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How to Talk to Children about COVID-19			
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Better Kid Care- Penn State University Extension	https://extension.psu.edu/programs/betterkidcare	On-demand trainings and resources	Multi-Age
Child Care Aware of America	https://info.childcareaware.org/coronavirus-updates#parents	Updates on COVID-19 for parents	Multi-Age
Center for Disease Control- CDC	Talking with children about Coronavirus Disease 2019: Messages for parents, school staff, and others working with children	How to have conversations with children on COVID-19	Multi-Age
Child Mind Institute	Talking to Kids About the Coronavirus	Advice on having reassuring COVID-19 conversations	Multi-Age
Early Childhood Learning Knowledge Center - ECLKC	https://eclkc.ohs.acf.hhs.gov/search/eclkc?q=talking+to+children+about+emergencies	Information on dealing with emergencies	Preschool
National Association of School Psychologists	Talking to Children About COVID-19 (Coronavirus): A Parent Resource	How to have conversations with children on COVID-19	Multi-Age
National Public Radio-NPR	https://www.npr.org/sections/goatsandsoda/2020/02/28/809580453/just-for-kids-a-comic-exploring-the-new-coronavirus	How to have conversations with children on COVID-19	Multi-Age
National Traumatic Stress Network	Helping Families Cope with the Coronavirus Disease 2019	Information about the outbreak and learning how to be prepared can reduce stress and help calm likely anxieties	Multi-Age
Parents As Teachers - PAT	https://static1.squarespace.com/static/56be46a6b6aa60dbb45e41a5/t/57eac004c534a59d49feb512/1475002372549/Fact ParentsAsTeachers ImpactonHealth 5 6 15.pdf	Parents health fact sheet	Multi-Age

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Sesame Workshop	https://www.sesameworkshop.org/	Dealing with times of uncertainty	Preschool
Zero to Three	https://www.zerotothree.org/	COVID-19 Tips for Families with children ages birth-3	Birth – Age 3

Community Resources		
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Food Distribution Food Bank	https://www.fbd.org/	Information for food distribution sites
Homeless Families DE Housing Authority-Continuum of Care-CoC School House Connection	https://www.housingalliance.org/the-delaware-continuum-of-care COVID-19 and Homelessness:	The Delaware CoC is a community-based collaborative that ensures a responsive, fair, and just approach to addressing homelessness, and strives to achieve housing for all. Guidance for Schools and Early Learning Programs
Resource and Referral 211 Children and Families First	https://www.delaware211.org/ https://www.cffde.org/newsroom	Connect with nonprofits and agencies in need of support in light of COVID-19. Update on programs and services provided by Children and Families First.
Transportation DART	https://dartfirststate.com/	Rider information, schedules, and updates