At Home Learning Activities

Listed below are ideas for you to do with your child in the event that school is closed.

- Journals- Create a journal of daily activities. Ask your child to draw a picture and you can write down what they tell you about their picture. Have your child tell you a story. Practice letters and numbers. Draw the weather outside. Have them make a plan of what to build with Legos and then build it together. Practice self-portraits. Be creative.

- Play outside! Start getting ready for spring gardening. Build sandcastles. Go for a hike. Pull out bikes, scooters, balls, frisbees, sidewalk chalk, bubbles, etc. Use chalk to draw shapes, letters, or numbers on the sidewalk.


- Counting games. Look for things around your house that you can count. Practice identifying and writing numerals. Play games like Chutes and Ladders or Uno which includes counting/ colors/ etc.

- Check the weather daily. Notice the changes in the weather as spring begins.

- Letter practice. Have your child help you cut out the letter cards (in the extra Blizzard Bag packet) and play a matching game together. Then, go through the "Fundations alphabet" chart together. Have your child say the letter, picture, and letter sound. Have fun with magnetic letters. Practice writing letters/words in journals to label pictures.

- Snack/Meal time- Eat a snack or meal together and talk about different food groups, colors of food, and how they taste. Look at recipes. Cook together.

- Ideas for computer based learning include:
  Go Noodle, Starfall, PBS, David Hartman on youtube, Funbrain Jr, Nick Jr, Writing Wizard

- Ideas for iPad apps include: Letter School, Breathe Think Do, Lego Duplo Train, Alien Assignment, Shapes!, Fish School, The Reading Train, Balls, Musical Me, Scribbaloo Paint, Shapes and Color Music Show, Disney Now