

Examples of home learning activities that can complement and extend skills taught in the classroom



	Learning Activity	Related Skills
1.	Sorting laundry, putting groups of sorted clothes in the washer, dryer, dresser drawers, closets	Likenesses, differences, sorting, organization
2.	Setting the table	Sequencing, organization
3.	Planning meals	Sequencing, organization, problem solving
4.	Scheduling special jobs on certain days (taking out garbage, emptying waste baskets the night before)	Responsibility, organization, sequencing, association
5.	Doing daily chores (making bed, putting dirty clothes in the hamper)	Responsibility
6.	Choosing TV shows from structured options	Decision-making
7.	Retelling sequence of events and main ideas from selected TV shows	Sequencing, finding the main idea, attention span
8.	Making a "TV Guide" of favourite programs	Decision-making, sequencing
9.	Making a calendar of jobs, broken down into days, weeks, months, associate days with specific jobs, events	Sequencing, association, organization
10.	Keeping a diary, journal or log	Language, writing, organization
11.	Letter writing to pen pals, grandparents, relatives or friends who have moved	Language, writing, organization
12.	Checking the newspaper for sales or bargains when planning meals or shopping trips	Decision-making, organization
13.	Reading cartoons to younger siblings	Reading
14.	Summarizing sports events (live, on TV, newspapers, magazines)	Sequencing, organization, comprehension
15.	Examining maps and checking weather reports in other geographic areas, where friends live or in connection with travel plans	Map reading, comprehension
16.	Taking imaginary trips (transportation? Clothing? Cost? Sights? Weather? Why go there?)	Organization, decision-making
17.	Making a scrapbook related to a hobby or theme (sports, putting cartoon strip frames in sequence)	Decision-making, on task behaviour, organization, fine motor coordination, attention span
18.	playing card games, keeping score ("War," "21")	Attention span, math facts, following rules, decision-making
19.	Playing board games (check reading required and rule explanations)	Attention span, decision-making, level reading, comprehension
20.	Going for walks or rides and looking for specific categories of objects, such as birds, flowers, house numbers	Memory, organization
21.	Keeping a file of cents-off coupons (alphabetize, figure out savings, keep money saved)	Sequencing, math facts, decision-making, reading
22.	Planning a pretend shopping spree with a set amount of money to spend	Decision-making, math facts
23.	Marking calendar with special holidays, birthdays	Sequencing, handwriting