

Jonesboro Public Schools Resources for Parents

On behalf of the JPS Curriculum Department, we want to give parents an opportunity to access supplemental educational resources to enhance the AMI learning experience at home. The following list of links are organized by content level and grade level. Please feel free to contact the JPS Curriculum Department for questions or additional information.

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First Things First- Educate yourself ...

Talking to Children About Covid-19 (Coronavirus): A Parent Resource Manage Anxiety and Stress

Sample Daily Schedule for Parents:

Social Distancing

Learning from Home



Online Literacy Resources K-6:

Scholastic- Learn at Home for Families (FREE)-Day-by-day projects to keep kids reading, thinking, and growing.

Classroom Practice at Home K-2:

Heggerty at Home e Learning Phonemic Awareness Activities at Home

Learning Through Songs K-2:

Jack Hartman Music Super fun movement songs for kids. <u>The Learning Station</u> Learning fun and educational videos to music. <u>The Bounce Patrol</u> Catchy kids songs and nursery rhymes to get kids up and bouncing to music.

Online Books K-6:

Epic Read amazing children's books online! Vooks A streaming library of animated children's books online! Story time at Aunt Awnie's House Books read aloud to kids. **The Story Time Family** Sharing favorite books with kids. **Story Line Online** Celebrated stories read aloud online. **Miss Booksv** Superheroes, funny storytellers, kooky art and crafts. Arkansas Library Consortium Where kids can rent digital magazines and books for free! Shark Story Hour- Atlantic White Shark Conservatory (10am EST) Everyday! Join us on Facebook Live every day this week at 10AM (EST) for Shark Story Hour. Each day we will be reading a new shark themed book followed by a shark Q/A session. **Decodable Books Online for Free!** Here's a great resource of free decodable books and stories found online. **Education Websites K-6:** https://pbskids.org Learn and play at home with educational videos and games! https://www.abcmouse.com/abt/homepage?8a08850bc2=T3634565906.1584365640.2465 Early learning academy of reading, math, science art and colors! https://www.sesamestreet.org Fun games, videos and art projects. http://www.cookie.com Playing fun educational games while kids learn to read with phonics, and build skills in math, language, social studies, science and much more! https://www.curiousworld.com Play a game, read a book, or watch a video. https://www.abcva.com A leader in educational games for kids! https://www.cosmickids.com Your place for yoga, stories and fun! **List of Kids Activities** Educational Companies offering free access to their websites!

K-6 Science Resources **Teach It DIY** The Amazing Water Cycle- Teach It DIY National Geographic for Kids Khan Academy **Mystery Science** San Diego Zoo- Virtual Field Trip Yellowstone National Park Virtual Field Trip Mud Volcano **Mammoth Hot Springs** Mars-Virtual Field Trip **Animal Cameras** Live Cams @ the San Diego Zoo Monterev Bay Aquarium live cams Panda Cam @ Zoo Atlanta 6 Animal Cams @ Houston Zoo Georgia Aquarium **Jellvfish Beluga Whales Piranhas** Ocean Voyager Indo-Pacific Barrier Reef Puffins **California Sea Lion African Penquin** Farmfood 360 Saturn 5 Rocket Polar Bears and the Tundra **Discovery Education for Kids Discovery Education YouTube Boston Children's Museum Virtual Tour** 20 Virtual Field Trips to Take with Your Kids NEWSELA (free for the remainder of the school year) **Science Buddies**

K-12 Computer Science Resources

Parents' Guide to Google Classroom Digital Educational Resources COVID-19-Digital Learning Typing Club Hour of Code Codecademy Code Combat

K-12 Math Resources (Instructional Videos)

Virtual Nerd (Middle School Math - 413 Videos - Grades 6-8) Virtual Nerd (Pre-Algebra - 708 videos) Virtual Nerd (Algebra 1 - 723 Videos) Virtual Nerd (Geometry - 270 videos) Virtual Nerd (ACT Prep - 403 videos) Khan Academy (All Grades - Free)

K-12 Math Resources (District Software Links)

Reflex Math (HWES Only) MobyMax K-8 Moby Max (K-8 all students) Zearn.org (K-5 Eureka Math support)

IXL (6-12 - Limited access by school and teacher)

Math 180 Courses 1 and 2 (Available at Annie Camp, MacArthur, and The Academies at Jonesboro High School) Imagine Math - (Grades 1-5 International Studies, Grades 1-4 VPA select classrooms, Grades 5 and 6 VPA all students) JPS Student Resources - Link to JPS Student Resources

7-12 Literacy Resources

Free Online Books

Arkansas Digital Library Consortium Students can check out online magazines and books Project Gutenburg Over 60,000 free eBooks Library of Congress Free online books, articles, research materials, exhibitions, news, and blogs Read Print Free online books, plays, poetry, and short stories

Young Adult News Outlets and Articles

Newsela Current events articles and activities for teens Article of the Week Current events articles with close reading instructions and response questions

Videos to Spark Thinking and Discussions

26 Ted Talks to Spark Student Discussion

Resource Websites

Scholastic Learn at Home Day by day literacy activities

7-12 Science Resources

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7-12 History Resources

 National Geographic

 Online resources searchable by topic

 National Museum of African American History and Culture

 Featured articles, exhibits, and collections

 Simthsonian's History Explorer

 Resources, artifacts, and suggested books

 Ken Burns in the Classroom

 Videos and activities connected to Ken Burns' award winning documentaries

 Voices of Democracy

 A collection of the great speeches and debates in American history

Didn't find what you were looking for?

Click here for an alphabetical list of all content and all grade level sites that offer a free trial for the next 30 days or more. List of Kids Activities Educational Companies offering free access to their websites!