

Dear Families,

On the following pages, you will find a Kindergarten Choice Board with suggested activities in the event of a cancellation of school. Please consider this document as a supportive suggestion rather than a requirement. We all recognize that this sudden change in routine can be stressful for young students and their families. We offer this as a way for children to stay engaged in fun learning activities.

To use the Choice Board with your student, encourage them to choose any three of the activities to complete each day school is closed. Once they have completed an activity, you can write your initials inside the box. If we have consecutive days without school, you can use this same board and initial additional spaces each day. Many of the suggestions leave room for adjustments/modifications for repeat use. Feel free to return this to your child's teacher when school resumes.

If you have any questions please contact your child's teacher via email.

Thank you!

Duzine Elementary School

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<p>Practice writing your first and last name five times. Use five different colors. How tiny can you write your name? How gigantic can you write your name?</p>	<p>Play outside. When you come in, draw a map of your yard, using a "bird's eye view." Use a circle for trees, a rectangle for your home, and a square for your favorite place to play.</p>	<p>Draw a picture, label your picture and write a sentence. Do this every day, and then staple the pages together to make a book. Read it to your family at bedtime!</p>	<p>Count the number of chairs in your house. How many chair LEGS are there in the house? Use pictures, numbers and/or words to show your answer. Then choose your favorite chair and read a book in it.</p>	<p>Set the table with a knife, fork and spoon for everyone. How many pieces of silverware did you use? Count them!</p>	<p>Find a seed. Plant it in a cup of soil. Water it every day. As it comes up, measure it and write the inches on your calendar. Name your plant and talk to it every day.</p>
<p>Draw the moon every day (or night) for a week. Does it change?</p>	<p>Write a letter to someone in your family who lives far away. Ask them to write back and tell you a story about when they were your age.</p>	<p>Draw a super hero with a special power. Now, write a story or make a comic to tell about one of his/her adventures!</p>	<p>Draw a map of your room using a "bird's eye view." (A view from above.) Use a rectangle for your bed, a square for your dresser, circles for chairs and triangles for lamps.</p>	<p>Make a Feelings calendar! Draw a face to show how you're feeling every morning at 9:00 AM.</p>	<p>Write down what you have for breakfast every day for a week. Put a star near your favorite breakfast.</p>
<p>Try a new food you've never had, and then write or dictate a review of the food. Use lots of describing words.</p>	<p>Do a survey with your family. Choose three things (animals, flowers, sports, etc..) and see who likes what. Call your relatives to</p>	<p>Do an Earth Day Clean Up! Put on gloves, and with a grown-up, clean up the bits of trash that have flown into your yard. Use some of the paper</p>	<p>Make a photo book. Staple together some sheets of paper. Glue a magazine picture on each page and then, write a sentence or word</p>	<p>Do a seed experiment! Plant two seeds in soil in 2 paper cups or small pots. Water one with water. Water the other with juice or milk.</p>	<p>Count all the windows in your house. Choose your favorite window, and draw a picture of what you see out the window and tape it to this</p>

	ask them to take the survey, too. Total up the columns!	and plastic things to make an Earth Day Collage Poster!	on each page to go with it. Read your book to a family member.	After a week, check to see which grew taller. Tell someone what happened!	window. Ask everyone in your family to choose their favorite window and draw a picture for it.
Work with a grown-up to help make a meal or dessert.	Go on a nature walk! Look for signs of spring. When you come home, draw a picture and/or write about your adventure.	Build a blanket fort. Go underneath it with your favorite books and read. (You can bring a flashlight and a stuffy!)	Have a dance party! Invite your whole family. Make up dances for each other and sing your favorite songs.	April is Poetry Month! Ask your family if they know a poem or nursery rhyme or song by heart! Learn it!	Sort your toys or stuffies by color. Then sort them by size!
Create 3D shapes (cylinder, cube, and cone, etc...) using playdough or anything you can build with. Now, find objects in your house that are those shapes	Find a big pile of small things (toothpicks, paper clips, beans, etc..) . Sort into groups of 10 and count by 10's to 100! !	Tell a story about school to your family. If you're missing a friend from school, write them a letter and ask them to write back.	Read a book you really love to someone you really love.	Make puppets out of paper or paper bags and put on a puppet show!	Make your own fun at home activity, and call a friend from school and tell them how to do it!!