

Early Childhood Special Education 2-4 Year Old COVID-19 Resources

PLAY, READ, EXERCISE and TALK with your child! These are the best ways to help your child learn and grow!

Review Colors: Yellow, Orange, Black, Red, Brown, Green, Blue, White, Pink, Purple

Review Shapes: Circle, Square, Rectangle, Star, Triangle, Heart, Oval, Diamond

Review Nursery Rhymes/Fingerplays: Itsy Bitsy Spider, Wheels on the Bus, Little Miss Muffett, Jack and Jill, Twinkle Twinkle Little Star, ABC Song, Jack be Nimble, Hey Diddle Diddle, Humpty Dumpty, Baa Baa Black Sheep

Count: Count items 1-10, Ask child to “Give me One...” “Give me two...” “Give me three”

Online Learning Recommended by VDOE and appropriate for students with disabilities

- [ABCYA®](#) provides free access to preschool learning games covering letters, numbers, problem-solving (strategy) and other preschool skills.
- [Age of Learning®](#) is offering families at schools and centers affected by school closure free at-home access to research-proven learning resources. Families can use the redeem code: SCHOOL3673 to sign up for each of the following programs:
 - [ABCmouse.com® Early Learning Academy](#) is a comprehensive, research-validated curriculum for children 2-8.
 - [ReadingIQ®](#) is a digital library and literacy platform for children 2-12 designed by reading experts to improve literacy skills.
 - Questions can be sent to support@aofl.com.
- [GoNoodle®](#) offers free movement and mindfulness videos for children (appropriate for older preschoolers). Watch the [GoNoodle 101: An Intro for Families](#) video for more information.
- [Khan Academy Kids®](#) is a free, educational app providing families of children ages 2-7 access to thousands of activities and books. Focused content includes math, reading, social emotional learning, creative projects, and more.
- Read [How to use Khan Academy Kids](#) for remote learning for details on how to set up a free account.
- [PBS Kids®](#) is adding daily activities and tips to their parent newsletter. This free resource is a guide families can use to help their children ages 2-8 play and learn at home. Content covers emotions and self-awareness, social skills, character, literacy, math, science, and arts. [Sign-up](#) for this free newsletter and also check out other no-cost resources made available to support families:
 - [PBS KIDS 24/7](#) channel offers anytime access to trusted educational series for kids ages 2-8 (check local listings)
 - [PBS KIDS Video](#) app is available on mobile, tablet, and connected TV devices and offers on-demand educational videos (live stream of PBS KIDS 24/7 channel also available. No subscription required.
 - [PBS KIDS Games](#) app- nearly 200 educational games for children ages 2-8; can be downloaded for offline play. Learn more [here](#).
 - [PBS KIDS for Parents](#) offers information, activities, and tips for parents, including the resource [“How to Talk to Your Kids About Coronavirus.”](#)
- [Scholastic Learn at Home](#) is a free resource for families impacted by school closure. The website links to a hub of active, cross-curricular learning journeys for up to three hours of learning experiences per day for prekindergarten children. No-cost access to articles and stories, videos, and related learning challenges available for up to 20 days. Spanish content available.
 - Families must first set up a free account for [BookFlix®](#) and the [Watch and Learn Library®](#), entering **username:** Learning20 | **password:** Clifford.
- [Starfall®](#) offers free access to interactive prekindergarten language arts, math, and music activities.

If you have questions or concerns about your child’s special education services while our schools are closed, please contact your child’s case manager or Lisa Gehring, Program Specialist, at lisa.gehring@portsk12.com.