# Takahē Team learning at home UNPLUGGED ideas:

*Any of these activities are great learning experiences that children can then write about.*

- Learn how to tie shoelaces
- Cooking/Baking - learning how to follow a recipe
- Make a meal plan and grocery list - learn about what a budget is
- Learn how to tell the time
- Learn how to look after the house - help with cleaning, washing etc.
- Read (ask questions about what they're reading, read together, make predictions, discuss why characters behave the way they do)
- Write (keep a journal, keep a gratitude list, write instructions for something, write alternative endings to favourite stories or movies, write a story, keep a book of facts)
- Be physical (do yoga, play tiggy, play netball/soccer, shoot hoops)
- Build fine motor skills (draw, knit, colour, crochet, cross stitch, sew, weave)
- Go outside - go for a walk, bike ride etc.
- Talk about dreams and hopes etc.
- Learn how to timetable and write own daily learning plans and activities
- Write/create thank you letters or cards to your grandparents, whānau members, parents etc.
- Make play-dough - practice numbers, letters, make cakes, meals etc. Recipe
- Make and play with bubbles Recipe
- Animal charades- Put the names of different animals on small pieces of paper
- Indoor camping - make a tent
- Build a fort / hut using chairs, blankets, tables etc.
- Make an obstacle course
- Movie marathon
- Science experiences
- Draw pictures of what you can see out the window, make a map, draw a plan of your house
- Balloon Volleyball
- Play hide and seek
- Play dress Ups/have a fashion show
- Paint
- Create a sensory box
- Make a thankful jar
- Learn how to make a grocery list
- Learning how to knit/cross-stitch
- Write letters to others / make a card / a diary / gratitude journal
- Make or do a puzzle

- Interview parents about their childhood/job
- Call / video call family members e.g. grandparents - ask questions about when they were young, sing them a song / do a dance
- Maths - this link has some fantastic non-digital maths experiences - https://nzmaths.co.nz/maths-our-house






https://parents.education.govt.nz/primary-school/learning-and-development-at-home/ideas-to-help-with-reading-writing-and-maths

# Takahē Team learning at home DIGITAL ideas:

**Literacy:**
Epic https://www.getepic.com/

Reading Eggs https://sso.readingeggs.com/login?

Literacy Shed https://www.literacyshedplus.com/en-nz/browse/age-7-9/7---9-film-units

Stepsweb - https://stepsweb.com/

**Maths:**
Study Ladder https://www.studyladder.co.nz/?lc_set=

Prototec Basic Facts https://maths.prototec.co.nz/

Matific - https://www.matific.com/nz/en-nz/login-page/

**Māori:**
Wai Ako At this link you can get a login to use the first 6 waiata of Wai Ako for free for the next 4 weeks: https://www.waiako.com/orders/customer_info?o=26446

**Other:**
Pic Collage (Download the free App for Android / iPad) Takahē children have used this app in class and will be keen to show you what they have learned

Coding https://code.org/hourofcode/overview

Yoga https://www.cosmickids.com/

