



DISTANCED LEARNING *for grownups*

TIPS FOR TAKING ON
TEACHING AT HOME!

Creative
LIVING

TIPS FOR WORKING ON

Reading

TASK(S)	PARENT TIPS:
15-20 MINUTES READING WITH A PARENT	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- When reading to your student, encourage them to find their sight words in what you are reading to them.- Ask them to help with any words they know.- Be dramatic! Celebrate all the little wins in their reading.- It's ok for them to read it incorrectly.
10 MINUTES LISTENING TO EPIC OR OTHER ONLINE STORIES	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- When they have finished, ask them to go back to that part, remind them what they said and ask them if they think it looks right, sounds right, and/or makes sense.- Reading is NOT an easy thing to learn to do. Patience! YOU'RE DOING GREAT!

TIPS FOR WORKING ON *writing*

TASK(S)	PARENT TIPS:
<p>15-20 MINUTES WRITING ABOUT A TOPIC ASSIGNED OR "FREE WRITE"</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Encourage tapping to spell - Phonetic spelling is OK and ENCOURAGED! - Challenge them to spell sight words independently, but help when they're reaching a level of frustration - Use your sight word cards to make a "word wall" for your student. - Paste them to poster board and allow them to use the word wall during their writing. - Write about anything - Write about reading everyday if you can - Writers have a check list <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Capitals where needed Finger spaces Uses their lines Punctuation

TAP TO SPELL

words

WORDS	PARENT TIPS:
<p>Use CVC</p> <p>words like:</p> <p>Cat</p> <p>Hit</p> <p>Jug</p> <p>Net</p> <p>Magic "e" words:</p> <p>tape</p> <p>time</p> <p>--vowel team</p> <p>words</p> <p>rain</p> <p>main</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- When tapping to spell remind them to stress the vowel sounds- Letter formation is important here. Encourage your student to use their lines and take their time.- B has a belly and d has a diaper!- Encourage them to use only lowercase letters when writing these words.- Remind them of the "rule" if they are stumped but encourage them to "talk it out" if they're confused. Often just hearing their thoughts out loud helps them problem solve!- Your students are SMART! Let them try and fail a few times before giving them the answer! They're resilient and motivated to solve on their own!

COUNT 1, 2, 3, 4...

math tips

TASK(S)	PARENT TIPS:
<p>Warm up: Give your student a problem that makes them <i>think</i> with more than one answer</p> <p>(5 min)</p> <p>Practice Skill of the Week</p> <p>(10-13 min)</p> <p>SplashMath or Khan Academy</p> <p>(12-15 min)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Encourage them to explain their thoughts, using math words like more, less, fewer, before, next and after- Talk about math all day. Math is all around us just like reading.- Pose questions like, we have "x" amount of this, how many more do we need to make ----.- Talk about the calendar, weather, and days of the week each morning if possible- Count to 100 while washing hands or in the bath tub