APPENDIX Q

Alphabetical Activities (Without Screens)



Your Alphabetic Guide to Activities (Without Screens)





ASK GRANDPARENTS

About their childhood.





BAKE Something new from a cookbook





Draw or paint







A family crest





EXERCISE

Try and get your heart rate up for 30 minutes!!





FIND A GEOCACHE

(Okay, this might require minor screen access...)





For a hike





HANG-OUT

In a coffee shop and visit with pals.





(IF IT'S SNOWY...) Build a snowman or

snow fort.



IOURNAL

Get a journal and document your days and thoughts!





Crochet, or rainbow loom (yes, it's a thing.)





For a job--even if it's babysitting or dog-walking





MAKE SLIME

Yes, its potentially messy, but it's potentially fun, too.





There's nothing wrong with a tiny bit of shut-eye!





Something in your room, drawer, closet, etc.





PRACTICE Yoga





QUESTION

Everything. Become a detective about a topic.





READ

Find a book in your house, flip it open, and go for it.





a meal at a soup kitchen, or somebody in your family.





TEACH

Know how to do something cool? Share it!





Your shoelaces and replace them with new ones.





Visit a friend or invite one over





Your dog, or your neighbor's dog





"X" MARKS THE SPOT

Create a map to your favorite hang-out





Your feelings into a recorder. Listen to your soul.





Visit your local zoo



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