

35 FUN THINGS TO DO WHEN 'STUCK' AT HOME

There are times when all of us find ourselves stuck at home. Being 'stuck' can make you feel like there is nothing to do. In moments like these, we are also more susceptible to feeling isolated and lonely, which can cause a self-perpetuating cycle of defeat and lead to unhealthy habits. We are here to help with simple ideas to do at home when you are feeling 'stuck.'

- 1. Read a book for yourself
- 2. Read a chapter book aloud with your kids
- 3. Go for a walk, run, or bike ride
- 4. Watch new or old movies and TV shows
- 5. Plan a 'camp out' in the living room
- 6. Do a puzzle
- 7. Play board or card games
- 8. Catch up on sleep
- 9. Draw or sketch
- Catch up with friends on the phone or video chat
- 11. Meditate
- 12. Dance to your favorite music
- 13. Yoga
- 14. People or bird watch
- 15. Play a musical instrument
- 16. Clean your room and/or house
- 17. Organize your clothing, kitchen, storage, or just about anything
- 18. Write in a journal or begin a new journal

- 19. Listen to an audiobook or podcast
- 20. Cook a new or favorite meal
- 21. Test out your baking skills
- 22. Build a tower with block toys
- 23. Paint a portrait
- **24.** Build a fort out of pillows, blankets, and furniture
- 25. Set up an indoor obstacle course
- 26. Do a crossword
- 27. Get rid of old photos and files by cleaning up your computer's hard drive
- 28. Create a scavenger hunt for your kids
- **29.** Take a walk down memory lane by telling stories
- 30. Plan a vacation or day-trip for the future
- 31. Teleconference with your therapist
- 32. Spend one-on-one time with your family
- 33. Have a picnic in the family room
- 34. Make 'breakfast for dinner'
- **35.** Write a letter and send it to a family member or friend

