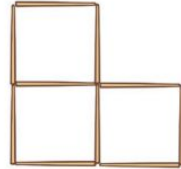
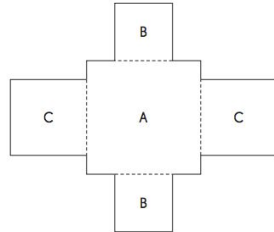


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Month: **APRIL/MAY**

At Home Learning Menu

Monthly Research	Reading/ Writing	Math	Enrichment
<p>Sunday, April 22nd is Earth Day. Research the history of Earth Day. Who started it and why? What are Earth Day activities that people do to take care of the environment? As a result of your research, take action and share with classmates what you did to honor our planet.</p>	<p>What topics do you know a lot about? Write an informational book to describe all about that topic. Include: A strong introduction, sections to give thorough and interesting information, and, a conclusion for why this topic is important to know about.</p>	<p>Grab 10 toothpicks...</p> <p>The picture shows 10 toothpicks arranged to form 3 squares. How can you make the figure show only 2 squares by moving 2 toothpicks?</p> 	<p>Practice the 5 Cs!</p> <p>Choose 5 ways you use one or more of the 5 Cs at home! (Get creative → make a video or write an informative booklet describing how you practice the 5 Cs.</p> <p>Be as descriptive as possible. Give good evidence that proves all your hard work!!</p>
<p>The Empire State Building was opened to the public on May 1st. Design a visitor's brochure with a picture of this famous building on the outside. Inside the pamphlet include info on its <i>history, size, uses today</i>, and <i>unusual facts</i>. Have a special boxed feature that highlights statistics related to the building: include at least 5 of these.</p>	<p>Read a book AND watch that same movie. As you read and watch, notice similarities and differences between the two. Write a short essay comparing and contrasting the book from the movie. Also, write a reflection describing if you liked the book or the movie better and why.</p>	<p>The figure is made up of 5 squares. Each side of square A is 6 centimeters long, each side of square B is 4 centimeters long, and each side of square C is 5 centimeters long. Find the total length around the figure, the perimeter. Now figure out the area of each shape, then the total area.</p> 	<p>Take a trip to the SF Exploratorium or Academy of Sciences with your family! There are so many cool, interesting exhibits going on... SF Exploratorium: Human Phenomena, Tinkering, Outdoor (tides, winds), etc. Academy of Sciences: Gems and Minerals, Twilight Zones: Deep Reefs Revealed, aquarium and planetarium</p>
<p>May 16th is Biographer's Day and May is "Older Americans Month". Combine these two by writing a one-half to one full page biography about an older person you know. This is a great opportunity to talk with a grandparent, great-aunt or uncle and find out about his/her life. Suggested questions: Where were you born? What are you interested in? What are you proud of? Just get to know more about him/her.</p>	<p>What do you want to be when you grow up? Write a persuasive letter about why you should be hired for your dream job.</p> <p>(Think about projects we have done in class. Are you more interested in coding, architecture, writing, participating in the circus, etc.?)</p>	<p>A school wants to fence its field. The fence will run along the sides and the back of the tool shed. The length of the tool shed is one-third the length of the field, and the width of the tool shed is one-quarter the width of the field. How many meters of fencing, excluding a 4-meter gate, must the school order?</p>	<p>On May 6, 1954 Roger Bannister was the first person to run a mile in under four minutes! How long does it take you to run a mile? Have a parent and friend time you. Track your improvement. (A mile is usually four laps around a track and about 6 laps around our field...)</p>

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