

# Activities To #ScoutAtHome

## From the Capitol Area Council in Austin, TX

Resources for families looking to engage their children in Scouting and/or educational activities while at home:

### **Scouting**

#### [Citizenship in the World merit badge online class](#)

Hosted by our council's International Committee on Friday evening, April 3 (class limit of 15 Scouts). Two classes offered; first class is full, link above is to second class.

#### [Jamboree on the Internet "Special Edition"](#)

The World Organization of the Scout Movement will hold a "special edition" Jamboree on the Air/Jamboree on the Internet on April 3-5

#### [Completing Cub Scout rank Adventures](#)

Scouter's blog with free resources to help Cub Scouts continue rank advancement while at home

#### [Lion Cub Scout "30 day challenge"](#)

#### [Tiger Cub Scout "30 day challenge"](#)

#### [Wolf Cub Scout "30 day challenge"](#)

#### [Bear Cub Scout "30 day challenge"](#)

#### [Webelos Scout "30 day challenge"](#)

A 30 day calendar with daily activities organized by week; each week corresponds to a Cub Scout Adventure belt loop and its requirements

#### [Merit Badges](#)

List of Scouts BSA merit badges that can be earned while Scouting at home

#### [Scout on through Covid-19](#)

ScoutWiki's page of ideas for Scouting activities to be done remotely while still feeling like a part of the unit

#### [Nova Award activities](#)

Activities both online and off to help Scouts work on earning Nova Awards, by the Capitol Area Council's STEM Nova Committee

#### [Other online STEM activities](#)

A list of options assembled by the Capitol Area Council's STEM Nova Committee

### Religious Awards

P.R.A.Y. has extended grade-level eligibility for Scouts to earn certain religious awards; learn more about that and ways to complete religious award requirements at home by [watching this replay of P.R.A.Y.'s March Facebook Live broadcast](#).

### Additional Scout at Home ideas

The website, [www.scoutshare.org](http://www.scoutshare.org), was created by a Scouting volunteer in Seneca Waterways Council in New York. It has several ideas on how to keep your unit's Scouting programs active while Scouts are at home.

### **Educational (all free)**

#### "Weather School"

KHOU TV (Houston) meteorologist David Paul is doing a Facebook Live class each day at 2pm for March 18-20 and the week of March 23-27 (offered on the KHOU Facebook account). Topics include The Atmosphere, Hurricanes, Tornadoes, Space, Weather Forecasting.

#### Khan Academy

Especially good for math and computing for all ages but other subjects at Secondary level. Note this uses the U.S. grade system but it's mostly common material.

#### Futurelearn

Free to access 100s of courses, only pay to upgrade if you need a certificate in your name (own account from age 14+ but younger learners can use a parent account).

#### Openlearn

Free taster courses aimed at those considering Open University but everyone can access it. Adult level, but some e.g. nature and environment courses could well be of interest to young people.

#### Blockly

Learn computer programming skills – fun and free.

#### Scratch

Creative computer programming

#### Ted Ed

All sorts of engaging educational videos

#### National Geographic Kids

Activities and quizzes for younger kids

[Duolingo](#)

Learn languages for free

[Mystery Science](#)

Free science lessons

[The Kids Should See This](#)

Wide range of cool educational videos

[Crash Course](#)

You Tube videos on many subjects

[Crash Course Kids](#)

As above for a younger audience

[Crest Awards](#)

Science awards you can complete from home

[Tinkercad](#)

All kinds of making

[Prodigy Math](#)

Good for elementary school ages

[Big History Project](#)

Aimed at Secondary age, multi disciplinary activities

[Geography Games](#)

Geography gaming!

[STEM Simulators](#)

[Learn Computer Science](#)

[The Artful Parent](#)

Good, free art activities linked to from this Facebook page

[Red Ted Art](#)

Easy arts and crafts for little ones

### [The Imagination Tree](#)

Creative art and craft activities for the very youngest

### [Toy Theater](#)

Educational online games