



Idaho Family Reading Week 2020

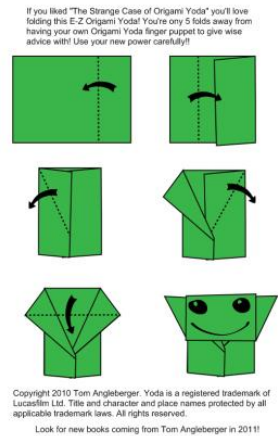
- Grab ‘N Go Bags/Curbside Delivery Game & Activity Ideas -

- 1) A **comprehensive list** of “grab n’ go/take n’ make/teen try it” bag ideas collected by Idaho Commission for Libraries’ staff: [Click here to access the Kits Roundup™ document](#) (Aug 2020) – Look for the last bullet point under “Recordings” heading.

A few examples of themed Grab ‘N Go or Take & Make Bags:

2) STEM Take and Make bags:

- “Grab Lab” ideas from Madison Public Library (ID):
 - <https://madisonlib.org/grab-lab-hickory-dickory-water-clock/>
 - <https://madisonlib.org/grab-lab-ariels-periscope/>



3) Arts & Crafts –

- Take & Make Craft Kit ideas from Campbell County Public Library (KY): <https://www.cc-pl.org/make-take-bags> - taking to laundromats for pick-up
 - Marigold Grow Kits and Nature Journal Curbside Kits from Latah County Library, ID: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CdCbT7-9Lbo>
 - Origami Folding kit: Provide paper and instructions to fold some of Tom Angleberger’s origami creations like Origami Yoda, Darth Paper, Princess Labelmaker and more! <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLA50E07CCCD9669C4>
- [and don’t forget about Baby Yoda!](#)

4) Teens –

- <https://madisonlib.org/teen-summer-crafts-origami-cranes/>
- <https://madisonlib.org/teen-summer-crafts-harry-potter-bookmarks/>
- <https://madisonlib.org/teen-summer-crafts-dragon-eggs/>
- <https://madisonlib.org/teen-summer-crafts-wizard-wand-pens/>

5) Early Literacy/Kindergarten Readiness Bag –

- Create bags filled with reading challenge materials – reading logs, recommended reading lists, bookmarks, etc. See Children’s Book Week (also Nov 2020) for free, downloadable reading challenges, bookmarks, and other activity sheets: <https://everychildareader.net/cbw/cbw-resources/>

- Kindergarten Readiness Bag Ideas: Worksheets to practice lettering, and using scissors, laminated Bingo cards to reuse, add a dry erase marker. Share fingerplays booklet, sing-

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Read: Choosing regular times to read especially before nap and bedtime helps kids learn to sit with a book and relax.

Sing: Singing improves cognitive development, and helps develop skills in sustaining their concentration. Singing also is a very powerful tool to assist in learning language.

Play: Using fingerplays, helps kids learn language and increase vocabulary. They gain personal motor skills by performing these movements.

Do: Artistic activities help children learn other subjects such as reading and math. It also promotes visual, motor and social development.

Share: Talk about your books and poems randomly through the week.

along songs, and add some finger puppets to keep and use. Send ideas for parents and caregivers for literacy ideas and motivation to keep going. Of course add some books.

- 5 Early Literacy Kit ideas from Colorado State Library - view them here:
<https://www.coloradovirtuallibrary.org/learning/literacy/5-early-learning-library-take-and-make-kits/>

6) Mystery Bag – Create a bag filled with random craft materials (stickers, paper, crayons, glue stick, puff balls, googly eyes, etc.) and let the kids go wild!

7) Library videos that are paired with grab bags/curbside material handouts:

Salmon Public Library's Grab N Go video's

- Family Kit #1: Puppets "My Story" -
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KWAiR8P_D9s&vq=hd1080
- Independent Reader #1: Chalk Art -
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MXqF_dwjjPU&vq=hd1080%C2%A0%20

