

# Six Standout Resources for Toddler & PreK



## MOOD CUPS

Have your child mimic your expressions. Consider looking in a mirror together while you read. As you read, discuss why someone might make those expressions.

**WHY WE LOVE IT:** Toddlers experience active reading and emotion.



## CLOUD DOUGH

Flour and oil mix together for tons of fun. Add measuring cups, spoons, trucks and other toys.

**WHY WE LOVE IT:** It's easy to make and clean up, and it's tons of tactile learning.



## ICE TRANSFER

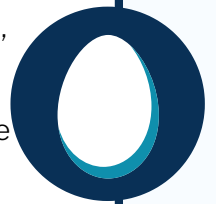
Hide toys, flowers, or trinkets inside or experiment with food color.

**WHY WE LOVE IT:** It is a no-prep fine motor activity that only requires ice, bowls, and tongs.

## EGG BALL PIT

Grab leftover plastic eggs and add them to a Pack n Play or bathtub. Let your toddler explore with cups, spatulas, and more.

**PRO TIP:** Place Cheerios inside the eggs for an extra special treat.



## MUSIC WITH LAURIE

Laurie Berkner is a great kids musician that will have your child singing and dancing.

**PRO TIP:** Create a quick shaker by filling plastic eggs with Cheerios.



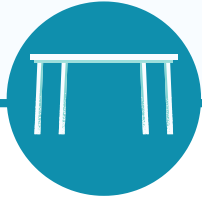
## STORYBOTS

Find this show on Netflix for tons of early learner (and grown up!) enjoyment.

**WHY WE LOVE IT:** Explore everything from colors to DNA.



# Six Standout Resources for Grades K-2



## **SORTING FUN**

Gather around the kitchen table to join in a fun color-sorting competition.

**WHY WE LOVE IT:** This sorting game gets the whole family involved to practice colors and have fun.



## **STORYJUMPER**

Write a story and virtually build characters to go along with it.

**WHY WE LOVE IT:** It brings creativity and stories to life.



## **UNIT PRICING**

Watch the video and see if you can find the best price [here](#), [here](#), and [here](#).

**WHY WE LOVE IT:** It combines math, finance, and important life skills.

## **PRICES, PRICES, PRICES**

This age-appropriate book helps early learners think about numbers and pricing.

**WHY WE LOVE IT:** Foster early literacy while teaching finance concepts.



## **SCRATCH JUNIOR**

Add this app to your screen-time arsenal.

**WHY WE LOVE IT:** It's a free app that introduces learners to coding and problem solving.



## **NATURE WALK**

Preview the link and brainstorm questions before your walk. As you explore outside together, let your child teach you.

**WHY WE LOVE IT:** It's a breath of fresh air-literally!



# Six Standout Resources for Grades 3-5



## ENVIRONMENT IMPACT

See how we impact the earth and then discuss swaps that you can make around your house together.

**WHY WE LOVE IT:** It is a hands-on way for learners to think about the environment.



## MEAL PLANNING

Try a portion of this meal planning activity or let your learner loose and have them do it all!

**WHY WE LOVE IT:** It's a life skill that is a big help in the kitchen and makes an impact on finances.



## THE WHO IT WAS SHOW

Pick someone from history and learn more about them!

**PRO TIP:** Ask your learner to share three new facts after the episode.

## ALEXANDER WHO USED TO BE RICH LAST SUNDAY

How did Alexander go from rich to not so quick? Grab this fun read to find out!

**WHY WE LOVE IT:** It's a great way to discuss savings and needs versus wants.



## HUNDRED BOARD

Watch the video above and then print your own hundreds board. Color code all of the multiples.

**WHY WE LOVE IT:** This is a foundational numeracy skill.



## CASH CRUNCH

This printable is a captivating way to teach the value of money. Plus, it teaches counting coins and making change.

**PRO TIP:** To grab the free game, you have to click "checkout."



# Six Standout Resources for Grades 6-12



## HOUR OF CODE

From beginner to advance, learn to code through a variety of topics, games, and activities.

**WHY WE LOVE IT:** It an in-demand skill that emphasizes problem solving. Plus, it's free!



## BREAK THE BANK

In this checkers-esque game, it's a virtual battle of the piggy banks.

**WHY WE LOVE IT:** The game tackles everything from saving and spending to debt and payday loans.



## DEAR HANK & JOHN

The Green Brothers answer listener questions on everything from quitting jobs to secret passages.

**WHY WE LOVE IT:** They tackle silly and serious topics in a tone perfect for teens.

## NEW KID

This new graphic novel is sweeping up just about every award and becoming a fan favorite, too.

**WHY WE LOVE IT:** It's about fitting in, finding your way, and learning that money isn't everything.



## EXPENSES & COSTS

Crash Course videos are jam-packed, educational, and entertaining. Their money videos are no different!

**WHY WE LOVE IT:** This is all about spending wisely through the lens of entrepreneurship.



## SIMPLE STARTUP SKILLS

What materials do you have around your home or can access easily? What are tools you can borrow for a little while? Try to re-purpose some of the material into toy, game, usable product, or tool.

**WHY WE LOVE IT:** Finding ways to creatively re-purpose used items is an amazing way to flex our creative muscles and it's good for the environment!

