

Spirit Week

Activity Cheat Sheet

Fortify & Chill: This is a fun activity to help wind down for the night. With theaters and other such attractions being closed or restricted, we are going to try to bring the experience home to you but with a twist! The idea here is to build a fort in a room capable of showing a movie. Your fort can be as extravagant or simple as you please. Great resources to build your fort are bed sheets, dining room chairs, living room furniture, blankets, and pillows to name a few. After your fort has been built, make sure there is a view going out to be able to watch a movie. Go ahead and put your favorite movie on and enjoy it from the comforts of your freshly built fort. Once the movie is done, make sure to have your camper help you clean up and put everything away.

Alligator Alley: This is a twist on an all time favorite, the floor is lava. The idea here is to stray random objects that can be stood on (such as pillows, blankets, rugs, etc.) on the floor around the house. One person must volunteer to be the alligator, the alligator's job is to eat the travelers. The traveler's job is to avoid the alligator and survive. The traveler is safe as long as they are standing on the "islands" (the objects that have been placed around the house). If the traveler is not standing on an "island", the alligator may eat them by tagging them. The traveler may not stay on an island for longer than five seconds. To make it easier for the traveler to keep track, the alligator may count out loud. To make the game more interesting, set the islands farther apart or make fewer islands. Once everyone has been eaten, switch roles and start over. We hope you enjoy!!

Storytelling in a Jar: Cut out or write story prompts on slips of paper. Fold them and place them inside the jar, bowl, or cup. Each person will pull a storytelling prompt from the jar. Gather and spend time creating and listening to stories together. If you are stuck ask these questions: what did you see/hear/smell/feel? who else was there? where did you go? We got our prompts from kitchencounterchronicles.com



Cotton Ball Crawl: To play this game, each participant starts with a pile of cotton balls and a spoon while a cup is placed somewhere else in the room. The player must place the handle of the spoon in their mouth and transport the cotton balls with the spoon into the cup without touching the cotton ball with their body. This will most likely require the player to move on all fours. If there are multiple players, make even piles and have them race. If there is one player, have them timed and then have them try to beat their time. If you want to add a twist, get rid of the spoon and have the player put vaseline on their nose and try to move the cotton balls by sticking them to their nose.

Potato Drop: To play this game, set a start line and finish line however far you please. Set a bowl on the other side of the finish line. The player must transport the potato from the start line to the bowl by placing the potato between their knees and walking to the bowl. The player may only touch the potato with their hand if they are placing the potato between their knees. If the player drops the potato, they have to go back to the start line and start over. The goal is to drop the potato in the bowl. If there are multiple players, have them race. If there is one player, have them race time. If you want to add a twist, have the player only be able to touch the potato with their knees, no hands, not even to place the potato.

Cabin Clean Up: We challenge you to tidy up your room for 15 minutes! How much can you get done? Send us a picture of the before and after, we would LOVE to see!

