

HOME LEARNING CHALLENGE



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Dear Families

The ACT Education Directorate has set up an optional Home Learning Challenge for children to investigate and respond to a given topic in a way that aligns with their personal interests. *There is no right or wrong way of doing it.*

For more information go to bit.ly/act-homelearning

About the topic

“Home” is the chosen topic for the Challenge. You and your child can choose to explore it however you wish. For example, you may choose to look at the concept of home, and what it means to your family. You and your child may explore the features of animal homes or the architectural features of homes and why they are built to respond to various environmental factors.

How can my child be involved?

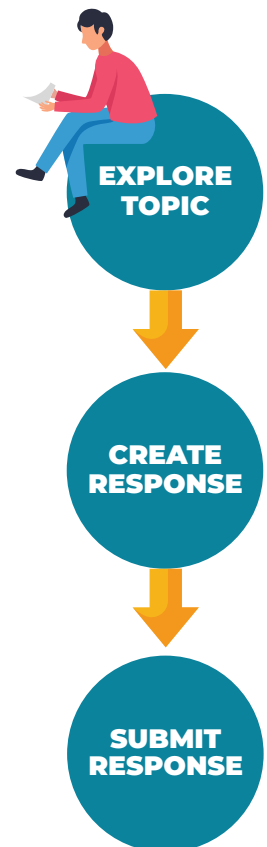
You and your child are encouraged to explore the resources on the Education Directorate’s Home Learning Challenge page. This provides resources, guiding questions and activity ideas to support learning.

Preschool & Lower Primary

Explore the resources provided on the page, and have your child create something in response to the topic. For example, they may create a model house out of boxes or design a home for an animal using materials they find in the backyard.

Upper Primary & High School

Have your child explore the resources on the page and undertake independent research that interests them. Once they have come up with a direction, they are encouraged to create a response. For example, they may create a physical or digital 3D model using design software, write a report or code a game with home as the theme.



How does my child submit their response and what happens afterwards?

You or your child can submit their responses through the submission form using the Home Learning Challenge website (link above). This might be a photo of a model they made, a screenshot of their digital design or a video of a song they wrote. Once students have submitted their responses they will be curated and shared on the Education Directorate’s Home Learning page and social media platforms.