



**Tired of doing this**

**Was supposed to be doing this**



**Starting to really hate doing this**

**Briefly toyed with doing this**



**We understand the dilemma...  
and suggest trying a few of these**

- **Take a virtual vacation** (These virtual tours are best for middle school age and up)
  - [tour the Uffizi](#) in Florence, arguably one of the best collections of Renaissance art in the world.
  - Take this [virtual tour of ancient Rome](#) which takes you through the Forum, Capitoline Hill, and other famous monuments
  - Visit Paris' Musée d'Orsay, home to an incredible collection of Van Gogh and Cezanne's artistic masterpieces. [Take a look around online.](#)
  - [The British Museum](#) is home to incredible artefacts from around the world and is still open to virtual visitors.
  - Pop into the [Tate Britain](#) – London's premiere art gallery
- **Visit 500 museums or galleries** - using, [Google's arts and culture collection](#)
- **Go to the Aquarium** – The Monterey Bay Aquarium have added a number of [live cams](#) to let you keep an eye on the jellyfish, kelp forest, coral reef, and even the penguins, completely free.
- **Visit our National Parks** - You can now take [virtual tours of America's national park](#)
- **Learn Basic First Aid** free with FutureLearn. Go to [learn basic first aid online](#)
- **Have a private Dance Party** - put together a list of your favorite songs and have a ball.
- **Organize a Family Fitness Challenge**
- **Have a Karaoke Night** - Apps like [AirConsole](#) let you turn your smartphone into a mic, and sing your favorite hits
- **Schedule your own Family Story Nights** - try out [Audible](#) for free.
- **Find your roots** – use the free trial from [www.Ancestry.com](#) to start building, or adding to a family tree. This would be a great project for kids to work on with grandparents. Check out the free K-12 resources Ancestry offers as well.
- **Take up Bird Watching** - start with your own back yard. Resources like [eBird](#) can help you get started.
- **Start a Virtual Book Club** using platforms like Zoom

**Hope this helps you and your family weather the Lockdown**