

# SUMMER BUCKET LIST

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If boredom plagues your kids this summer, which it likely will, have no fear! We've put together a list of 34 things you can do to keep your kid's minds engaged! The categories are based off of Howard Gardner's multiple intelligences.

## NATURE

- catch and release fireflies
- camping
- create a gallery of things you "found in nature". Add labels and descriptions to your items.
- Take a picture of all the animals/plants you discover

## MUSIC

- see a play/concert
- make music video
- learn an instrument (youtube)
- give a concert
- write a song
- listen to music
- have a sing along, music you personally love

## CREATE

- take a family paint nite class
- make a poster for your bedroom door or paint a mural on the wall
- scavenger hunt
- write a poem or story about your favorite game or toy.
- make up a recipe, or learn to cook one family meal on your own

## MOVE

- go geocaching or take a hike
- let your kids give you a guided tour of your neighborhood
- walk or bike somewhere you would normally drive to
- try GoNoodle or make up your own exercise routine or obstacle course
- square dance
- join a charity walk/race

## THINK

- make a crossword puzzle
- sudoku
- puzzle
- play a board game
- make a chart to categorize all your toys, Pokemon cards, etc.
- make a powerpoint that explains how something works

## TOGETHER

- library
- museum
- read a book from/set in every continent
- introduce a favorite game or movie from YOUR childhood
- bring donations to an animal shelter

## BUILD

- Build an escape room
- make a stop-motion film with lego
- build a birdhouse, welcome sign for your home
- create a bird's nest, then test it with real eggs
- modge podge or refinish a piece of furniture
- build something to give to your best friend