What is research?

Task: Watch this video by
Steely Library NKU
https://www.youtube.com/watch?
v=LWLYCYeCFak



What would you like to research (find out about)?:

- Loss of Koala Habitat?
- · Effects on the Environment?
- Can Koalas be reintroduced?

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WELCOME TO THE ZOO CHALLENGE!

Your challenge today is to make as many animals as you can that you would find at the zoo or aquarium.

The one rule is that it has to be using toilet paper rolls.

Get ready to get crafty!

360° VIDEOS



WWW.AIRPANO.COM/360VIDEO_LIST.PHP

- Pick a 360 video to watch.
- Imagine that you are in one of these videos.
- Write a diary entry / a letter to a friend/family member / a recount about your adventure!

WHAT DO KIDS FROM OVERSEAS

THINK OF AUSSIE FOOD?



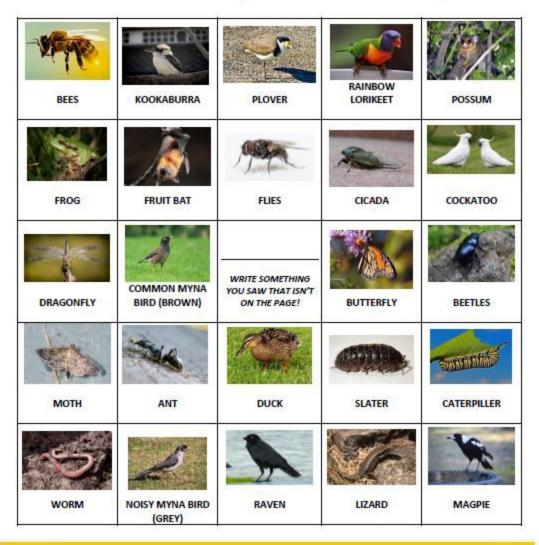
www.youtube.com/watch?v=-uGrtxOXL1I

- 1. What is your favourite thing to eat at breakfast, lunch and dinner?
- 2. If you had International friends try your favourites how would you think they would describe them?
- 3. What is one food you would like to try that you haven't eaten before?



BACKYARD BINGO

Look around your front and back yard to see which of these animals you have around! Put an X over the box of each animal you can see. Use the middle box to write down an animal that you have seen that isn't already show!









CAMPING TRIP CANCELLED?
GO CAMPING IN THE LOUNGE ROOM.

- Design and build the perfect blanket fort
- Put toilet paper logs on the tissue paper fire
- sit back and relax
- make sure it's all tidied up by dinner!



Book Review

| Title - | |
|-------------------------------------|---|
| Author - | |
| Main Characters - | |
| Why did | you choose the book? |
| If you could change on | ne thing about the book, what would it be? |
| | |
| Which character w | ould you like to be friends with? |
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| Draw/take a photo of the book cover | |
| | Overall rating of the book (colour the stars) |
| | ******* |
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Hand this to your school Children's University School Co-ordinator to get your passport stamped for 30 minutes.

Share your experience with the CUA community! Ask an adult to post to our Facebook page to show and tell us what you've done!





Research Task

Today, we would like our Children's University members reflect on their time in the program.

- 1. During your time in CU Newcastle, what have you done?
- 2. What have you learnt?
- Research another Children's University from around the World
 - a) What country/ City?
 - b) Can you find any similarities with CU Newcastle?
 - c) Can you find any differences with CU Newcastle?



Today I am a Draftsmen

Can you draw what your house looks like from above (birds eyes view) without the roof?

1. Write down how many bedrooms, bathrooms, lounge rooms, dining's rooms, kitchen and other areas you have in your house so you don't forget anywhere.



- 2. Using an A4 piece of paper draw a birds eye view of all of the rooms inside your house
- 3. Measuring is necessary when drawing a house plan. Today we will be using your feet! Using one foot in front of the other measure how many feet it takes from one side of the room to the other. Don't forget to include from the front to the back of your house and both sides of the house. You will need paper and pencil to write this down so you don't forget.
- 4. The next step may be a little tricky. You will need a ruler. Using the scale 2 feet = 1 centimetre can you redraw your house plan as a birds eye view using this formula!

DIY FUNNY FACE FLIPBOOK

You will need:

- One piece of thick cardboard (A4) for backing
- White A4 paper or cardboard
- Yarn / Twine / String to hold the book together
- Hole punch
- Markers
- Scissors

How to:

- Cut each piece of white cardboard into thirds.
- Punch a hole into each one of the pieces of white cardboard.
- Lay all pieces of paper on top of each other and on top of the thick cardboard (used for backing).
- Use yarn/twine/string to tie and hold book together
- Now the fun part begins. Use your markers to
- draw facial features on your white cardboard pieces. In the top sections draw eyes, in the middle sections draw noses and in the bottom sections draw mouths.
- You can get extra creative by adding details like eyelashes, eyebrows, teeth, tongue, etc.
- When you are all finished drawing out all of your different facial features flip through your DIY funny face flip book to combine different features together to make silly faces.

GOOGLE EARTH

Visit Google Earth on Google Chrome https://www.google.com/earth/ or download the Google Earth App to orbit the world in 3D and let Google Earth take you on a journey!

Question 1:

What country/countries would you like to visit? Why? How far is this country from your home? Design a postcard and write to your parent / carer / friend from where you are visiting. Don't forget to tell them what you are enjoying, what food you have been tasting, what the scenery looks like, etc.

Question 2:

Click the dice icon (I'm feeling lucky) on the left hand side of the page. Where did this take you? Zoom in and explore this place. Would you like to go here? Why/why not? How far is it from your home?



WATCH

www.acmi.net.au/education/online-learning/15-second-place/street-art/

- What is your opinion on Street Art and Graffiti?
- Where in your town would be a great site for some street art? (name a specific St)
- Research one famous street artist, what do you like about their art?



Visit www.thechinaguide.com/destination/great-wall-of-china and learn all about the Great Wall of China

- How long is the Great Wall of China?
- When was it built?
- If you could visit the wall in person, what time of year would you go and why?

Hong Kong Ballet @ Home

With many people working from home and children currently not in school, Hong Kong Ballet (HKB) announced that it will be launching HKBALLET@HOME, an exciting free online channel featuring interactive ballet content, on Facebook.

A variety of entertaining shows will be posted every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 3pm in the coming weeks.

On Mondays, get ready for Ballet Goes Viral with inspiring talk shows series "Ballet Blahblahblah", hosted by Artistic Director Septime Webre with Company dancers and guest speakers, "Ballerina Chef", a fun new cooking series with HKB dancers showcasing their hidden talent by sharing their secret recipes, and "Ballet 101" with professional ballet dancers uncovering some common ballet myths.

On Wednesdays, check out Barre Classes
Online taught by Company members that children and adults can take at home using only a chair! HKB dancers will teach some classical ballet choreography from pre-beginner to advanced levels.

On Flashback Fridays, relax and get inspired by highlights from our dynamic video archive featuring our vibrant HKB dance artists throughout the years.



<u>@hongkongballet</u>

MAKE IT!

HOUSE FLAG

The oldest flag in the world is a bronze flag found in Shahdad, Iran. The flag is around 5000 years old! The flag has a picture of two people facing each other, with plants and animals in the background.

Use some items found around your house or garden to make a 3D flag that represents where you live!



Larissa has used some flowers and leaves found in her garden, some gardening gloves and a tennis ball, some cutlery from the kitchen, a dog water bowl to make her flag.





MAKE SOME MUSIC WITH INCREDIBOX

A fun and interactive music experience that lets you create your own music with the help of beatboxers.

www.incredibox.com/

Featuring local bands The Kolas, Dog M, and more!

Felly fish

Task:

Research Jellyfish:

https://www.natgeokids.com/au/discover/animals/sea-life/jellyfish-facts/

- 1. What colours can Jellyfish be?
- 2. What does bioluminescent mean?
- 3. Do Jellyfish have bones?
- 4. Where is the Jellyfish's mouth found?
- 5. Imagine you are a Jellyfish. Where would you live? What colour would you want to be? What would you eat?
- 6. What ocean creatures would you stay away from?

Why not have a go at creating your own jellyfish using paper plates and some steamers



• Google search Duolingo https://www.duolingo.com/learn or download the free Duolingo App to learn a new language!

- What language have you always wanted to learn?
- Challenge your family to do the same!
- When you are all feeling confident, try to challenge each other with the new language that you have learnt together over the dinnertable!

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