

Parent Resources

Babysitters:

Not only are our volunteers amazing, they're also babysitters!



Bailey: \$15-\$20/hour Owner of Pip and Pop Certified in CPR & First Aid 4+ years experience 720-616-9697



Lauren: \$15-\$20/hour Certified nurse aid in training Certified in CPR 303-514-3711

Colorado Activities:

Amazing places right here at home

• Visit Rocky Mountain National Park

Price: \$30 per vehicle for a 7-day pass Address: 1000 US-36, Estes Park, CO 80517 Website: nps.gov/romo

• Visit Castlewood Canyon

Price: \$10 per vehicle for a day pass Address: 2989 S State Hwy 83, Franktown, CO 80116 Website: cpw.state.co.us/placestogo/parks/CastlewoodCanyon

• Take a Trip to the Denver Zoo

Price: \$20 for adults, \$14 for kids (ages 3-11) Address: 2300 Steele St, Denver, CO 80205 Website: <u>denverzoo.org</u>

• Explore the Children's Museum of Denver at Marsico Campus

Price: \$20 for adults and children (ages 1 and up) Address: 2121 Children's Museum Dr, Denver, CO

Ali: \$15/hr (+5/hr for every kid) 5month old- 11yrs old Certified in CPR 6 years of experience 720-289-4483



Mckenna: \$15-\$20/hr 5 years of experience CPR Trained 720-366-7567 80211 Website: <u>cmdenver.org</u>

• Go to the Denver Museum of Nature & Science Price: \$19.95 for adults, \$14.95 for kids (ages 3-18) Address: 2001 Colorado Blvd, Denver, CO 80205 Website: <u>dmns.org</u>

Hike in Garden of the Gods
 Price: Free
Address: 1805 N 30th St, Colorado Springs, CO 80904
 Website: gardenofgods.com

• Spend a Day at Elitch Gardens Theme & Water Park

Price: \$49.99 for a single-day admission (varies by season) Address: 2000 Elitch Cir, Denver, CO 80204 Website: <u>elitchgardens.com</u>

• Take a Scenic Drive on Trail Ridge Road

Price: \$30 per vehicle for a 7-day pass (part of Rocky Mountain National Park) Address: 1000 US-36, Estes Park, CO 80517 Website: nps.gov/romo

• Visit the Royal Gorge Bridge & Park

Price: \$24.95 for adults, \$19.95 for kids (ages 6-11) Address: 4218 County Rd 3A, Cañon City, CO 81212 Website: <u>royalgorgebridge.com</u>

• Go Rafting on the Arkansas River

Price: Prices vary by tour company; typically around \$60-\$80 per person Address: Various companies operate from Canon City, CO Website: Arkansas River Tours

• Explore Pikes Peak

Price: \$15 per vehicle (to drive up) Address: 5069 Pikes Peak Hwy, Cascade, CO 80809 Website: <u>pikespeakcolorado.com</u>

Kids Entertainment:

Safe, fun, and educational websites and games for your kids

Prodigy Math is a fun, interactive math game that aligns with curriculum standards for grades 1-8, helping kids practice math skills through adventures and quests. You can find it at <u>Prodigy Math</u>.

ABCmouse is an interactive learning platform for kids aged 2-8, featuring games, puzzles, and activities across subjects like math, reading, and art (subscription required). Check it out at <u>ABCmouse</u>.

Cool Math Games offers a variety of games that focus on math skills and logical thinking, all presented in a fun and engaging way. Explore it at <u>Cool Math Games</u>.

Poptropica combines adventure and problem-solving with educational content, allowing kids to explore different islands and complete quests. Visit <u>Poptropica</u> for more.

National Geographic Kids Games features a selection of games and quizzes related to animals, science, and geography, designed to be both fun and educational. You can find these games at National Geographic Kids Games.

Funbrain offers a variety of games that reinforce math and reading skills for kids in PreK-8. The games are designed to be entertaining while promoting learning. Visit <u>Funbrain</u>.

Storyline Online features videos of actors reading children's books, complete with animations and interactive elements to engage

Homework Help:

We all know homework is hard, even in elementary. That's why we have a list of resources for you and your kids to use to help get it done.

AI Tutor: <u>CK-12</u>

CK-12 offers interactive textbooks and resources across various subjects. It's a fantastic tool for kids to get help with their homework and enhance their understanding of challenging topics.

Khan Academy: Khan Academy

A free resource that provides instructional videos and practice exercises in subjects like math, science, and humanities.

Scholastic Homework Hub: Scholastic Homework Help

Offers tips, articles, and resources for parents and kids to tackle homework challenges effectively.

Fact Monster: Fact Monster

A great resource for homework help, providing a mix of facts, homework tips, and educational games.

PBS LearningMedia: PBS LearningMedia

Provides free educational resources, including videos, interactive lessons, and activities across various subjects.

Cool Math 4 Kids: <u>Cool Math 4 Kids</u> A fun site with math games, quizzes, and lessons that make learning math enjoyable for kids. kids in storytelling. Check it out at <u>Storyline</u> <u>Online</u>.

BrainPOP is an educational platform that offers animated videos and games on various subjects, encouraging learning through fun activities (subscription required). Explore it at <u>BrainPOP</u>.

Quizlet is a study tool that allows kids to create and play educational games using flashcards and quizzes on a wide range of subjects. Find it at <u>Quizlet</u>.

Zondle is a platform where teachers and students can create and play educational games tailored to specific subjects and topics. Check it out at <u>Zondle</u>. IXL Learning: <u>IXL Learning</u> An interactive platform offering personalized practice in math and language arts (subscription required, but some free content is available).

HowStuffWorks: HowStuffWorks

A great resource for understanding how things work, perfect for kids who have questions about science, technology, and everyday life.

SparkNotes: SparkNotes

Useful for older elementary students, this site provides summaries and analyses of literature, along with study guides and practice quizzes.

Google Scholar: Google Scholar

For older elementary students working on research projects, this search engine allows them to find academic articles, theses, and books.

Skills:

Kids need skills, and we rounded up the best resources for your family to explore. Each one will teach your kids something new in a fun and exciting way.

Boys & Girls Clubs of America

Offers after-school programs that provide a safe environment for kids to learn and engage. Boys & Girls Clubs

YMCA After School Programs

Provides various programs supporting children's social, emotional, and physical

Parenting Apps:

Its a digital age, and these apps have it all from advice, to trackers, to communities.

Parenting Sense

Offers tips, resources, and articles on various parenting topics.
Parenting Sense

Baby Connect

Tracks your child's milestones, health records, and daily activities. Baby Connect

Breathe, Think, Do with Sesame Helps kids learn problem-solving skills development after school. <u>YMCA</u>

KidzToPros

Offers after-school enrichment programs focusing on STEM, arts, and sports. <u>KidzToPros</u>

National AfterSchool Association

Provides resources and guidance for parents seeking quality after-school programs. <u>National AfterSchool Association</u>

LEGO Education

Offers after-school programs that incorporate hands-on LEGO activities to inspire creativity and learning. <u>LEGO Education</u>

After-School All-Stars

Provides free, comprehensive after-school programs for low-income youth, focusing on academics, enrichment, and fitness. <u>After-School All-Stars</u>

SuperCamp

Offers academic enrichment and life skills programs for students in grades 4-12 during summer and after school. SuperCamp

Code.org

Provides resources and after-school programs focusing on computer science and coding for kids.

Code.org

Girl Scouts of the USA

Offers programs that promote leadership, teamwork, and community service for girls. Girl Scouts through interactive stories. <u>Breathe, Think, Do</u>

OurPact

Allows parents to set screen time limits and manage app access. OurPact

Sittercity

Connects parents with local babysitters, nannies, and caregivers. <u>Sittercity</u>

FamilyWall

A family organization app for sharing schedules, photos, and important documents. FamilyWall

Peanut

A social networking app for mothers to connect, share experiences, and support one another.

Peanut

Cozi Family Organizer

A family calendar app that helps keep everyone's schedule organized and coordinated. Cozi

Parenting Today

Provides access to parenting articles, expert advice, and community discussions. <u>Parenting Today</u>

Baby Tracker

Helps parents track feeding, diaper changes, sleep patterns, and milestones. <u>Baby Tracker</u>