



LITTLESPARX ACTIVITY DECKS

FREE SAMPLE — 6 CARDS

# *The Boredom Buster Deck*

*Screen-free play, sorted by age.*

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**Print · Cut · Drop in a jar.** When a child says "I'm bored," they draw one card. Activities sorted by age band, with real supplies and honest time estimates. No email required — just print and go.

AGES 2–10

6 SAMPLE CARDS

PRINT AT HOME

## **How to use these cards**

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- **Print** on regular paper or cardstock (cardstock lasts longer in the jar).
- **Cut** along the dashed lines. Drop them in a mason jar or any container.
- **The rule:** when "I'm bored" hits, draw one card — no swapping for a better draw.
- **Age bands:** Tiny (2–4) · Junior (5–7) · Explorer (8–10). Dot each edge with a matching marker so siblings can self-sort by colour.



QUIET · SOLO

AGES 5-7

## Draw a Story Map



● JUNIOR (5-7)

Draw a map of your house, backyard, or an imaginary kingdom. Mark where the dragons live, where the treasure is buried, and the secret passage only you know about.

| SUPPLIES                 | TIME      | PREP |
|--------------------------|-----------|------|
| Paper, pencil or crayons | 30-60 min | Zero |

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CARD 1 OF 6

CRAFT · CREATIVE

AGES 5-7

## Sock Puppet Show



● JUNIOR (5-7)

Make a puppet from an old sock — draw on a face with markers, add yarn hair or craft scraps. Then put on a 5-minute show. Give your puppet a name and a problem to solve.

| SUPPLIES                           | TIME      | PREP |
|------------------------------------|-----------|------|
| Old sock, markers, optional scraps | 30-50 min | Low  |

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CARD 2 OF 6

ACTIVE · INDOOR/OUTDOOR

AGES 8-10

## Spy Training Course



● EXPLORER (8-10)

Zig a string between doorknobs, chair legs, or trees to make a "laser grid." Time yourself getting through without touching any string. Add levels: crawl-only, backwards, or eyes closed for one section.

| SUPPLIES                  | TIME      | PREP |
|---------------------------|-----------|------|
| String or yarn, furniture | 30-50 min | Low  |

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CARD 3 OF 6

CRAFT · STEM

AGES 8-10

## Newspaper Tower



● EXPLORER (8-10)

Build the tallest freestanding tower using only newspaper and tape. Rules: nothing attached to the wall or floor. It must stand on its own for 10 seconds. Measure your best result.

| SUPPLIES               | TIME      | PREP |
|------------------------|-----------|------|
| Newspaper, tape, ruler | 25-45 min | Zero |

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CARD 4 OF 6

SENSORY · TODDLER

AGES 2-4

## Squish Bag Painting



● TINY (2-4)

Squeeze a small amount of finger paint into a zip-lock bag and seal it tight. Tape it flat on the table. Child squishes and swirls the paint with their fingers through the plastic — mess-free painting they can repeat.

⚠ Adult seals the bag securely. Supervise throughout — do not allow child to open the bag.

| SUPPLIES                         | TIME      | PREP  |
|----------------------------------|-----------|-------|
| Zip-lock bag, finger paint, tape | 15-30 min | 2 min |

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CARD 5 OF 6

LEARNING · SORTING

AGES 2-4

## Colour Sort



● TINY (2-4)

Collect household objects — socks, blocks, crayons, fruit. Put out three bowls or pieces of paper. Ask your toddler to sort everything by colour. Say the colour names together as you go. No right or wrong answers.

● Use objects large enough to not pose a choking hazard. Avoid items under 1.75 inches for children under 3.

| SUPPLIES                          | TIME      | PREP  |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|-------|
| Household objects, bowls or paper | 15-25 min | 2 min |

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CARD 6 OF 6



YOU'VE SEEN 6 — THERE ARE 54 MORE.

# Get the full 60-Card Deck

*One download. Every age. Every situation.*

The complete Boredom Buster Deck includes 60 cards across three age bands, with choking-hazard flags on every Tiny card and supervision notes wherever water, heat, or scissors are involved.

## What's in the full pack

### ● Tiny

AGES 2-4 · 20 CARDS

- Sensory & tactile play
- Movement & gross motor
- Simple crafts & art
- Learning through play
- Outdoor & nature
- All toddler-safe

### ● Junior

AGES 5-7 · 20 CARDS

- Quiet & solo activities
- Craft & creative projects
- Active & indoor games
- Outdoor adventures
- Imagination & roleplay
- Low to zero prep

### ● Explorer

AGES 8-10 · 20 CARDS

- STEM challenges
- Cooking & kitchen science
- Creative writing & art
- Connection activities
- Outdoor & physical
- Independent play

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