

## National PTA Resource Document

### Distance Learning

- 1. Ensure that all guidance to parents is provided in the appropriate languages for your community. This action can be taken now!**

Double check that all opportunities and instructions for families are in all languages spoken in your community. Advocate for your families to ensure that everyone is receiving the same educational opportunities.

**Who to consult:** PTA Board, school administration

- 2. Share distance learning and enrichment resources.**

Curate a list of resources that enhance your school curriculum. Post online and distribute hard copies to families. This can be done by mail or for pick-up at school district distribution sites (if your school already has this in place). If possible, create themed packets for each week to keep families engaged. You can use this special [Office Depot discount](#) for PTAs to have the packets printed and shipped directly to where you need!

**Who to consult:** PTA Board, your school administration, school counselors, teacher support

- 3. Coordinate the creation of learning supply kits.**

Identify supplies that could be distributed to families with food pick-up (if your school already has this in place). Examples of this could be school supply care packages (include things like notebooks, pencils, markers, etc.), enrichment kits to promote hands-on engagement in the arts, STEM, physical activity, or reading (book kits!). A great place to start is [National PTA's STEM @ Home experiment kits](#).

**Who to consult:** PTA Board, District level school supports, your school administration, local businesses, local nonprofits

## Distance Learning Resources

### National PTA [Website](#) COVID-19 Resources

As a parent, how can I support learning at home?

What if I have concerns about end-of-year state testing?

- [COVID-19 Resources for Families](#)
- [Closing the Homework Gap](#)

### Additional Resources

- [10 Strategies for Online Learning During the Coronavirus Outbreak](#)
- GoGuardian Distant [Learning](#) Resource Center
- [Google for Education, Distance Learning](#)
- [Catch.org – At Home Physical Activity, Nutrition and Health](#)
- [Virtual learning with Discovery Education](#)
- [Building positive conditions for learning at home](#)
- [Daily Schedules & Remote Learning](#)
- [A Parent's Guide to Virtual Learning: 4 Actions to Improve Your Child's Experience With Online Learning](#)

### Success Stories

- [Art Lessons at Home](#)
- [Eli Whitney Elementary School PTA co-president reads books for kids on YouTube](#)