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Dear Families:

We encourage you to participate in some way in National Screen-Free week, April 29-May 3. For over 60 ideas, look here:

[www.randomhousekids.com/for-parents/plug-play-and-un-plug-screen](http://www.randomhousekids.com/for-parents/plug-play-and-un-plug-screen)

## 5 days of Screen-Free ways to celebrate Screen-Free Week

By Linda Ravin Lodding

Celebrate by exploring your neighborhood or going on a backyard adventure! Here are some ideas to get you started...

1. Visit a new playground – and if you bring a ball you are sure to meet new friends.
2. Chase a sunset. Check [Time and Date.com](http://TimeandDate.com) to find out what time the sun sets in your part of the world.
3. Go on a nature walk and learn about your local flora and fauna.
4. Go on a photo safari in your neighborhood or town. It's fun when you choose a photographic theme (such as blue things, doorways, circles, letters).
5. Go swimming, skating, rollerblading, scooting, pogo-sticking, bowling, go-carting or bike riding. Get active!
6. Learn to use a compass and go on a scavenger hunt. Look at [Earth Easy](http://EarthEasy.com) for treasure hunt ideas.
7. Plan an adventure. Pick a destination in town or visit the countryside and plan a day trip by bike, train or bus.
8. Have fun outside after dark. Grab flashlights and head out for some night time fun.
9. Visit a recycling center.
10. Build a fort in the living room and camp out for the night.



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