

20 ACTIVITIES

FOR THE NEW















- 1. Keep fit from home by catching up on the <u>Body</u> <u>Coach Joe Wicks</u> or <u>NHS 10 minute</u> home workouts.
- 2. Host a long distance movie night with far away friends using Netflix Watch Party to watch a film with your mates.
- 3. Play a virtual board game using boardgamearena.com
- 4. Take a virtual visit to <u>Edinburgh Zoo</u> and see the animals using their live web cams.
- 5. Learn to cook some new <u>student-friendly recipes</u> from <u>BBC good food</u>.
- 6. Do a jigsaw puzzle to challenge your brain.
- 7. Take a self-guided virtual tour through top museums and cultural sites around the world using <u>Google</u> <u>Arts & Culture</u>.
- 8. Get mindful by doing a 'Yoga with Adriene' video with her 30 days of yoga programme.
- 9. Learn a new language using <u>Duolingo</u> you can choose from 36 languages including Italian, Arabic and Russian.
- 10. Use the Houseparty app as a fun and free way to keep in touch with friends who you still can't see in person.





- 11. Get stuck into some new books by reading the Booker Prize longlisted nominees.
- 12. Watch a <u>'Better than Yesterday'</u> or <u>'TED talks'</u> video on YouTube
- 13. Keep your brain ticking over and learn something new! The <u>Open University</u> has a selection of free courses available.
- 14. Make a mindful mandala pattern from leaves and other natural finds even create one in a public place for someone else to find!
- 15. Watch a classic film that you've always wanted to see but never found the time.
- 16. Do some <u>Sporcle</u> quizzes there are hundreds of topics, but you could try to learn every country in the world!
- 17. Learn how to <u>Python code</u> in just a few hours.
- 18. Decide what would be your specialist subject on Mastermind, and learn everything you need to know.
- 19. Get out and explore the outdoors in your local area.
- 20. Most importantly, make sure you take steps to look after your mental health. The <u>NHS Every Mind Matters</u> app is a good place to start.