

NLG NEWS

The week of April 27, 2020

Many of us have been at home staying safe and healthy for over a month. Many people are getting **bored**. To help pass the time, people have found **leisure** activities. A leisure activity is something you do just for fun inside or outside.



One leisure activity that many people have been doing outside is **walking**. Other people have been playing sports like **basketball** or riding **bikes**. Some people **dislike** sports but still want to be outside. An outdoor activity

that is not a sport is **gardening**. This is a great time to garden and watch plants bloom.

Some indoor leisure activities include solving **puzzles**, playing **board games**, **drawing**, listening to **music**, and watching a **movie**. Some people may want to do the **same** activity as you while others may prefer **different** activities. Sometimes, it is good to try a new leisure activity.



What is a leisure activity you are going to do today?

BINGO!



BINGO!











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Picture	word
	Bored
	Basketball
	Inside
	Outside
	Gardening
	Bikes
	Music
	Puzzles



Board games



Drawing



Walking



Movie

Categories

Instructions: Have each member draw a line to match the question with the corresponding picture. If drawing a line is difficult, feel free to encourage members to point to the corresponding picture.



Conversation Starters:

The staff can assist members in having a conversation about the topic. These questions are intended to initiate the conversation, please elaborate to support on topic responses.

What are you doing today?

Have you played any fun games lately?

What is your favorite sport?

Are you more of an outside or inside person?

Have you tried any new leisure activities lately?

Where do you think I could plant a garden?

Are you enjoying the weather today?

Comprehension Mad Libs

Use the News story to fill in the blanks to correctly answer the comprehension questions. If able, the member can also fill in the Mad Libs spots!

- Many _____ are feeling _____ at home so long.
Who? What?
- If you feel _____ you should find a _____ activity.
What? What?
- _____ is a leisure activity you can do _____.
What? Where?
- If the weather is _____ you can play _____.
Adjective What?
- It is _____ to try _____ leisure activities.
Adjective Adjective
- When it is sunny you can plant _____ in a _____.
What? What?

Word Bank (use some of these terms to complete the red blanks):

bored	different	sunny	outside	garden
good	flowers	leisure	same	inside

Answering Wh- Questions

Instructions: Show a member the picture and talk about what you see. Ask them the corresponding wh-questions, looking for an appropriate answer.



What are these boys doing? _____

Where are they playing? _____

Who won the game? _____

How is the boy in the blue shirt feeling? _____

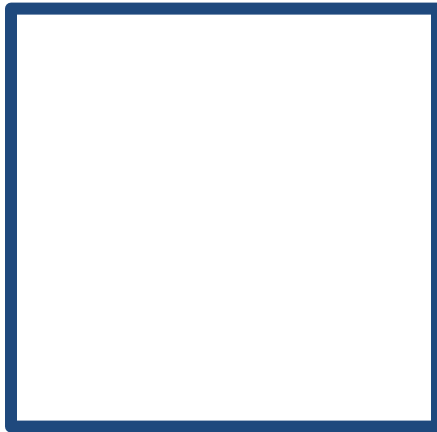
When will they play again? _____

5 Pictures:

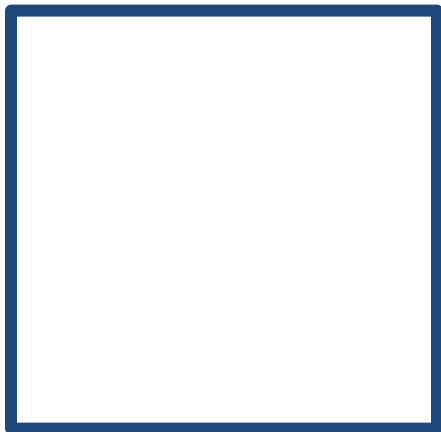
Draw, find on device, cut out a picture, find a picture on the internet, etc. related to the topic. You can use the word bank or think of different words on your own!

Word Bank: bored, leisure, basketball, sport, bikes, dislike, like, puzzles, board games, drawing, movie, music, same, different











Concepts

Activity: Discuss the pictures on the page and ask members to select the corresponding answers to the questions that explore basic concepts.

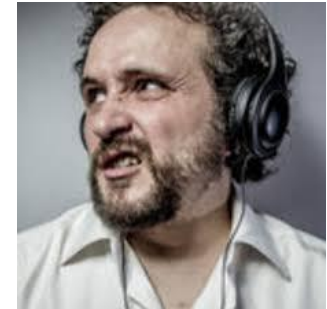


A B C D

Are all the bikes the SAME? No Yes

Which bike is the BIGGEST? A B C D

Which bike is the FASTEST? A B C D



Which person LIKES the music? Right Left

Do they feel the SAME about the music? Yes No

How does the man on the RIGHT feel? Happy Annoyed