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We want to make sure that you stay healthy and happy during your time away from school. Here are a few ideas that will help you maintain wellness and increase your happiness.



- **Find ways to connect with others**: make phone calls to relatives, write cards/letters to friends, serve someone else <u>while maintaining appropriate distance and staying home</u> by pulling weeds, making a treat, sending a thank you card, or doing a household chore
- Take care of your body: get dressed, take a bath or shower, brush your teeth, eat regularly, drink water
- **Stay active:** move your body, exercise, get some sunlight, and take breaks to walk outside or around your house (like you would do at school between classes, at recess, or during lunch)
- Sleep 8-12 hours per night and turn off screens an hour before bedtime to help relax your mind
- Stick to a schedule and make time for schoolwork: continue to sleep, wake up, eat, and work at similar times as if you are still going to school in person
- Create something new: poem, picture, music, jewelry, dance, or craft
- Learn something new: read about a topic, try a recipe, learn about a musical instrument, or something else that interests you!
- **Hunt the good**: look for things each day that were good and try writing them down in a gratitude journal and/or try sharing it with someone else, you could text it to a friend or family member
- Reach out if you are feeling sad, can't sleep, feel anxious, or feel lonely: call your school, text through SafeUT, or text "home" to 741741, you can also call 801-587-3000 24/7 for help. Who else could you reach out to? List them here:
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