

# 50 Things to Do on a Staycation

1. Hike a trail.
2. Visit a local bakery.
3. Eat at a local restaurant.
4. Participate in local library's summer reading program.
5. Go bowling.
6. Go to the movies.
7. Take treats to the neighbors.
8. Have a bakery sale or lemonade stand.
9. Fly a kite.
10. Picnic at a state park.
11. See an outdoor movie.
12. Mommy and me haircuts.
13. Play at the beach, lake or pond.
14. Take a tour at an animal shelter or hospital.
15. Pick blueberries, or some other kind of in season berries.
16. Shop at a thrift store.
17. Visit a farmer's market.
18. Go to a local fair or festival.
19. Go ice skating or roller skating.
20. Create at Home Depot or Lowe's children workshops.
21. Go to the zoo, a petty zoo or a farm.
22. Make your own puppet show.
23. Go camping or camp in the yard.
24. Cook dinner in a bon fire.
25. Have a treasure hunt (scavenger hunt).
26. Visit a nearby or city.
27. Have a photo shoot with the children.
28. Set up a fun props photo booth outside or inside.
29. Have a group play date at the playground.
30. Shop at a local boutique.
31. Play mini-golf.
32. Visit a museum.
33. Learn about community helpers by visiting or touring their work (police, firefighters, hospital, mayor's office).
34. Do a service for someone random.
35. Design and make family shirts.
36. Let your children plan a small party and help them put it together for their friends.
37. Have a crazy hair day.
38. Give each child a disposable camera and see what pictures they take of the summer.
39. Go through old family photos.
40. Have a reunion with family or friends you have seen in a long time.
41. Bake bread from scratch.
42. Try a new recipe.
43. Rearrange the furniture in the house.
44. Stay up and go star gazing.
45. Paint on a canvas.
46. Make homemade ice cream.
47. Have a movie marathon.
48. Browse books at a bookstore.
49. Create something with Legos without instructions.
50. Video chat or call an old relative.