

FINDING FUN! WHERE YOU LIVE

Your local community offers many resources and free events that can make it a place of fun and adventure for your family.

It is proven that children who are a part of a strong community are less likely to become involved in risky behaviors.

OPTIONS!

Here are some options to consider:

Let's go exploring!

MUSEUMS

Local and state-operated museums are a great way to enrich your child's sense of culture and history.

PARKS

Parks offer children exciting learning opportunities plus the added benefit of fresh air! When the weather is nice, pack a picnic lunch and let your kids explore the outdoors. Start a leaf or rock collection, or play a game of Freeze Tag! Not only are parks a great way to strengthen your child's brain power, but they're usually free!

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Your local community often has plenty of child friendly events happening with the seasons. Take advantage of child friendly concerts in parks, or story time at your local library. Many family events, such as marathons or festivals, will have child-friendly stations such as face painting.

Check local community calendars in free weekly newspapers, online sites and in public libraries to get information on upcoming opportunities where you live.

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DECIDE ON A PLAN

for a family outing – once a week or once a month. It's a great way to create memories, and learn and grow together.