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When I feel bored, these are the things I can do to stay busy: gymnastics, read, play, and listen to music. I will listen to "Way Maker" and "I'm So Blessed". Caroline and I will play teachers for 20 minutes. My mom and I will read *Llama Llama Red Pajama* and the rhyme story book. I will do front walkovers and back walkovers to practice gymnastics. I will be happy when I do this stuff. **Raegan Amyx, 2nd, Hilton Elementary, Mrs. Edwards** 

Do you ever get bored? Well, here are some things I do when I am bored! Sometimes, I play video games with my friends and that really cures my boredom! When I am bored, I can go outside and play on the swings, slide, or trampoline! When I am bored, I can even build with some Legos! Those are the things that keep me from being bored. What do you do when you're bored? **Stone Sledge, 4th, Miller Perry Elementary, Ms. Jeffers** 

Do you get bored easily? When I get bored, I like to do different things. One thing I like to do is bake and cook. I will make cookies when I am bored or help my mom cook something. Another thing I will do is play outside. I will play softball or basketball with my siblings. Also, when it starts to get hot, I go and explore a cave I have in my backyard. In conclusion, these are some things I will do when I am bored.

#### Myla Hood, 6th, Jonesville Middle, Mrs. Austin

These are things I like to do when I am bored. I like to go outside and walk around or ride my bike. I will hang around some of my neighbors' kids and jump on the trampoline. Sometimes I stay inside and play a board game. This one is a little funny, but I like to annoy my mom or brother. That's stuff I like to do when I am bored. **Abby Hinkle, 5th, Ketron Elementary, Mrs. Amyx** 

Here are a few things I love to do when I'm bored. 1. I love to write many fictional stories. I hope to be an author one day when I grow up. 2. I love to watch movies. My favorite movies to watch when I get bored are *Pocahontas* or *Mulan*. 3. I love to color in one of my favorite Disney coloring books. Last but not least is the most important to my life and has shaped my life into the person I am today—a holy ghost-filled girl, a saint of God, and follower of Jesus Christ. The bible has helped me to claim and believe within my soul that Jesus Christ is lord of lords and king of kings. 4. I love to read my King James bible when I get bored. It happens to be my favorite out of everything I named that I love to do when I get bored. **Savannah James, 7th, Elydale Middle, Mrs. Yeary** 



Do you get bored easily? Make a list of things you can do when you feel bored.



Whenever I feel bored, I start doing pushups. I also go into the woods looking for random things.

## Mason Ely, 7th, Jonesville Middle, Mrs. Brooks

These are a few things that help me when I'm bored. One thing I do is call a friend! Calling a friend can help if you have a device. The second thing that can help is crafts. Crafts are really fun and after you're done you have something new. Lastly, I bet your parents like this one, look on Amazon! Amazon is an app where you can buy things. I like to beg my parents for stuff. These are a few things I do when I'm bored. Would you do these things too?

#### Ava Taylor, 4th, Miller Perry Elementary, Ms. Jeffers

I get bored easily. Here is a list of things I do when I feel bored: 1. I go outside and jump on the trampoline. 2. I play games on my phone. 3. I play with my dog outside. 4. I clean my room. 5. I watch TV. 6. My friends and I call each other. 7. I read a book. 8. I practice my handwriting.

#### Lexie Rash, 6th, Pennington Middle, Ms. Lambert

When I feel bored these are the things I can do to stay busy: play video games, clean my room, and do laundry. I play Fortnite and I do my laundry. I enjoy doing these activities.

## Camden Sullivan, 2nd, Hilton Elementary, Mrs. Edwards

Whenever kids get bored, they have something to make them happy again. Mine is talking to friends on my phone or maybe pretending to take care of a fake baby, I might need it someday! Another favorite thing I could do is read my favorite books! What is your favorite thing to do when you're bored?

#### Laney Witt, 5th grade, Ketron Elementary, Mrs. Amyx

When I get bored, I take a nap, watch TV, play with my sisters, shop, clean my room, eat, or play with my mom. I easily get bored! Molly Jenkins, 2nd, Rock Springs Elementary, Mrs. Charlton

Personally, I do not get bored very easily but when I do there are quite a few things I like to do. One of the many things I do to keep myself entertained is playing music. Whether it is banjo or one of the other instruments I am learning to play, music always keeps me happy. Another thing I enjoy doing when I am bored is sketching. I am not very good at drawing, but I still find it fun. The last thing I find fun to do is hanging out outside. These are a few of the things I do when I am bored. Thanks for reading!

William Miele, 7th, Elydale Middle, Mrs. Yeary

Do you get bored easily? I do. I get bored so often, I made myself a list. First on my list is to play my game Gacha Club because it is my favorite game. I also like to watch TV and just relax in my own imagination. I like drawing and coloring because it is peaceful. The last thing on my list is cleaning. Most people don't like to clean, but it brings me joy and relaxation. This is what and why these are the things I like to do when I am bored.

Madison Miller, 5th grade, Ketron Elementary, Mrs. Amyx

I'm going to tell you things I do when I'm bored. The first thing I do is watch memes on my tablet or I play with my doggie. The second thing I do is I draw or play Slap Battles on my Xbox. Lastly, I run around the house because it's entertaining. Those are things I do when I'm bored.

## Harold Stults, 4th, Miller Perry Elementary, Ms. Jeffers

Yes, I get bored easily. Things I do when I am bored are ride my fourwheeler, paint fishing lures, watch my phone or TV, or go outside and play football.

## Aidyn Wallen, 6th, Pennington Middle, Ms. Lambert

When I feel bored, these are the things to do: homework, play with my slime, play with my dog, and color. My homework is very important for me to do. My slime is my favorite thing to play with because I like the way it feels. My dog is very important to play with and snuggle because we are buddies. Coloring is one of my favorite things to do when I'm bored because the colors make me happy. I enjoy doing these activities.

## Molly McMurray, 2nd, Hilton Elementary, Mrs. Edwards

Do you get bored easily? Well, I do. When I get bored, I can go to my siblings to play a fun game like tag or hide and go seek or something else like that. Most of the time I get on my Xbox but sometimes I get bored on that, so I hang out with my siblings. If they don't want to play, I go to my dogs or my mom and dad. I even color when I'm bored too. I stop getting bored when I do one of these things. Liberty Good, 5th, Ketron Elementary, Mrs. Amyx

Whenever I feel bored, I listen to music. I also play cards with my uncle. These things really snap me out of my boredom. Carder Chasteen, 7th, Jonesville Middle, Mrs. Brooks

Boredom should be illegal! I want to stop this boredom so here is some fun stuff to do! Prepare to be cured! To start off, I chose art. Making art can make YOU feel proud of yourself because of how hard you worked. Why be bored and not play "bored" games? Get it? Board games are fun because you'll never know the twist and turns you'll encounter! Finally, try playing with your friends! Maybe you're just bored because you're lonely! I suggest you give it a try. As you see, I explained how you can finally cure your boredom. Try one next time you're bored! It can make your day.

## Nate Copas, 4th, Miller Perry Elementary, Ms. Jeffers

If you get bored easily here are some things that you can do:

1. Color 2. Play games 3. Knit 4. Go for a walk 5. Talk on the phone 6. Read 7. Practice for band 8. Play board games 9. Watch movies 10. Go outside.

## Heidi Stidham, 6th, Pennington Middle, Ms. Lambert

Do you get bored easily? I sure do. I play football if I get bored. Or I play on my PS5 or my phone. I play board games with my mom. We also play basketball and dodgeball. We ride scooters or we watch TV. We go to the park and the pool and play the game of pool. **Mason Vaughan, 5th, Jonesville Middle, Mrs. Austin** 

Yes, I do get bored easily. 1. I can make up a new game that is quiet. 2. I can draw. 3. I can think to myself. 4. I can read a book. 5. I can play a game that I really like.

Margaret Hartsock, 6th, Pennington Middle, Ms. Lambert