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Nevada PEP stands in solidarity with the black community and all those affected by the most recent deaths of George Floyd, Breonna Taylor, and Ahmed Aubrey, among far too many others. We recognize the prevailing systemic racism that endures our nation's past and present and acknowledge the injustices that have occurred. These incidents and the systems that support their occurrences cry out for a change that demands equity.

As a disability organization, we acknowledge that, historically, the Disability Rights community and the Civil Rights community have stood together and advocated against discriminatory practices on the basis of sex, religion, gender, race, disability, or age. One of the most famous examples of our unity was the historic 504 Sit-in of 1977. We will continue to uphold this legacy as part of our mission and are committed to creating an inclusive community. We also will uplift the lived experiences of individuals with disabilities who are also black because their voices too often go unheard.

We pledge to our community that we will continue educating ourselves, listening, and working together to create communities where each and every person can thrive. We will continue fighting for an equitable world that provides access and values all persons equally.

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**With businesses opening back up, many parents are going back to work, check out these resources for child care.**

#### **If You Need Child Care In Clark County**

In Clark County, please email the Las Vegas Urban League for help finding child care: [Childcareinfo@lvul.org](mailto:Childcareinfo@lvul.org) (This is the fastest way to get help since staff are working from home)

- For information on their program: <http://www.childcarelv.org/en/child-care-options>

#### **If You Need Child Care In The Rest Of Nevada**

For the rest of Nevada, please email the Children's Cabinet for help finding child care: [mail@childrenscabinet.org](mailto:mail@childrenscabinet.org) (This is the fastest way to get help since staff are working from home)

- For information on their program: <https://www.childrenscabinet.org/child-care-resources/for-parents/steps-to-finding-child-care>

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## Quizizz Play to Learn App

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Quizizz Play to Learn App, By: Quizizz

## The Explorers App

The Explorers is an app to explore and share our Earth wonders' to the Earth inventory of photos and videos. Photographers or videographers, amateurs or professionals, scientists, associations, artists and citizens of the world: join The Explorers community! Share your best photos and videos for free and free of advertising, and join a human adventure at the service of Nature!

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The Explorers App, By: The Explorers Network

## Fun U-Tube Games

Did you know that there are fun games to play on you-tube with your family and friends? Check these out [Guess the Sounds](#), twenty different sounds to listen to and try to figure out what they are. Or this one is really fun [guess the famous movie theme](#), I bet you can get them all right. How about [guess the Disney voice](#), I'm sure you will recognize Mickey Mouse. Have Fun!

## Learn How to Draw

Hey kids do you want to learn how to draw Elisa or maybe Mickey Mouse go to [how to draw Disney Characters](#). Or how about learning to draw a [cute cat or dog](#). You can be an artist just watch these u-tube videos and you will have it down in no time.

## Fun Things to Do

Ever wanted to build a castle out of cardboard, it's simple go to [how to build a castle](#) and let the adventure begin. Or do you want to be a scientist go to [10 amazing experiments with water](#), it's so much fun and you can show your family and friends.

## Military-Connected Children News

### Introducing EFMP & Me

#### An online tool for military families with special needs

The Exceptional Family Member Program is committed to helping families with special needs thrive in military life. To help ensure our families can find information, connect with services and advocate for themselves or their family member's needs, we launched a new online tool, [click EFMP & Me](#) to get started.

## PEP Webinars

These webinars allow you to take a short break to get the information you need without leaving your home or work. Click the links below to get a description and register for these amazing webinars.

- Presented by Nevada PEP

#### [Transition Planning: Navigating Your Future](#)

Wednesday, 10 June 2020, 12:00pm - 1:00pm

#### [Bullies, Targets, and Bystanders: Responses that Work](#)

Tuesday, 16 June 2020, 12:00pm - 1:00pm

#### [Six Advocacy Tips that Turn No's into Yes's!](#)

Thursday, 18 June 2020, 12:00pm - 1:00pm

#### [Introduction to IEP - Virtual Style](#)

Tuesday, 23 June 2020, 12:00pm - 1:00pm

#### [¡Seis Consejos de Abogacía que Gira de un No a un Sí!](#)

Miercoles, 24 de Juno, 2020, 12:00pm - 1:00pm



### Resources for Families

As our State begins to open and we adjust to a new way of living and get use to a different form of normalcy. Families continue to struggle many resources and assistance is available to families. Unemployment is extremely high in our State and many families are still not working. If you need help getting food assistance go to [Northern Nevada Food Assistance Program](#) or [Southern Nevada Food Assistance Program](#). Many families are still struggling to pay their rent, help is out there go to [Rental Assistance in Nevada](#). These services are available to help families. If you need help accessing any of these services you can contact [Nevada PEP](#) and click on the Get Help button.

### Statewide Family Network Update

To support families during the pandemic, the Statewide Family Network transitioned Family Support Group meetings online. So far, we have discussed Extended School Year (ESY), Positive Behavioral Intervention Supports (PBIS) at Home, and creating schedules and routines for children. We also give families resources that they can use after support group ends such as the [PBIS Resource Guide \(Versión en Español\)](#). Families in Northern,

Rural, and Southern Nevada are invited to participate. [Spanish Support Groups](#) are the 1st and 3rd Wednesday, and [English Support Groups](#) are the 2nd and 4th Wednesday from 3 – 4 pm. For more information, call Kendra Gipson, Family Voice Facilitator.

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# Transition Corner



## Learn About Volcanoes, Tornadoes and Hurricanes

Did you know there are about 1,500 active volcanoes around the world? [Learn about the different types of Volcanoes](#). Or did you ever wonder what causes [Tornadoes](#) and the country where the most tornadoes occur. What causes a hurricane to form and how the vapor forms a cloud. Did you know a typhoon or cyclone is another name for a [hurricane](#)? Find out why they have different names.

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## Youth M.O.V.E. Nevada Update

Happy June, everyone! Youth MOVE Nevada has been busy hosting virtual meetings and encouraging participation from youth across the state. We would also like to announce that Youth MOVE Nevada now has a podcast! Our team has been working very hard to set this up and bring it to fruition. Our goal with the podcast is to offer an accessible medium to hear the youth perspective on various subjects relating to mental health. We encourage you to keep an eye out as we begin to publish episodes! For more information about YMNV or to become a member to get involved in future meetings and activities, be sure to check out our [website](#) and don't forget to follow us on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), and [Instagram](#)

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## Learn New Things

Hey Kids... Want to be a magician and impress your family and friends? Learn how to perform [Five easy magic tricks](#). Or how about learning to make a [Origami Butterfly](#) or maybe learn how to make a [beautiful origami rose](#). It's lots of fun to learn new things. Enjoy!

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## All About Dogs

Who does not love dogs? They are known as man's best friends. Do you want to meet the [top 10 biggest dogs in the world](#)? Or maybe meet the [smallest dogs in the world](#). These cute furry animals are amazing. I wonder what your favorite dog will be. Watch the videos and pick a favorite.

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## Lions & Tigers and Bears- Oh My!!

Did you know that the [African lion](#) is the second largest cat species in the world. Learn what a "pride" is. Or learn about [Tigers](#), learn about their hunting skills and natural strengths. Did you know Tigers come in different colors? What about [Bears](#), do you know there are only eight species of bears? Watch the video and learn more. Happy hunting.

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