Extra Wider Curriculum Activities for whole school

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| National Day | Activity Idea |
| May – **National Walking Month** | Can you go for a walk once a day with your family? What can you see on your walk? Can you find something that matches every colour of the rainbow? Think about all of your senses. What can you see/hear/smell/touch? |
| May – **National Share a Story Month** | Linking to our challenge whilst we were in school, can you share a story with your parents or siblings? Can you facetime a friend and share a story with them? |
| May – **Local and Community History Month** | Find out something new about Reading that you didn’t know before. For example:   * Reading Abbey * Reading Museum * River Thames * Huntley and Palmer * Battle of Reading |
| 4th May – **Children’s Book Week** | Read your favourite book. Write a review about why it is your favourite book and who you think would love reading it too. |
| 9th May – **Europe Day** | Learn something new about a place in Europe. Design a holiday leaflet about it.   * Where is it located? Ocean, seas, country etc * What can you do there? * How long would it take to get there from England? * What are the important landmarks there? |
| 11th May – **Water Saving Week** | What can you do to reduce your water usage? Research ways to save water, then design a poster to teach your family. |
| 12th May – **National Limerick Day** | Find out what a limerick is, read a few examples then see if you can try one yourself! |
| 17th May – **National Children’s Day** |  |
| 18th May – **International Museums day** | There are so many museums around the world that are doing virtual tours or activities for children at home. There’s a cowboy museum in America or a Roald Dahl museum in England. Google a museum that interests you and learn about something in that museum.   * Art museum – copy a painting or sculpture * History museum – write a letter to a significant person or draw an artefact * Natural History Museum * Military Museum * Transport Museum |
| 21st May – **World Meditation Day** | Try to do some calming activities today. You could do yoga, meditations or mindful colouring. |
| 23rd May – **National Children’s Gardening Week** | If you are able to, you could do some gardening. Plant some seeds and watch how they grow over time. |