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Activity Resources and Apps

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Apps found in the TIFF Kids Appcade!

All Ages

Pitch Painter

Morton Subotnick

Pitch Painter is a musical finger-painting app that is simple, yet surprisingly sophisticated.

Toca Kitchen

Toca Boca AB

Ever wanted to play with your food? Now you can! *Toca Kitchen* lets you cook and play with food for four hungry characters.

Toca Band

Toca Boca AB

Toca Band is getting ready for their big concert and needs your help to mix beats and sounds together for their hit song! This app encourages children to explore music in a creative way.

Ages 3+

Doodlecast for Kids

zinc Roe

Doodlecast records the entire drawing process, along with audio from a microphone, to create videos up to three minutes long, making it not only a fun creative activity but also a valuable teaching aid.

Draw and Tell

Duck Duck Moose

Draw and Tell is a drawing app for kids of all ages. Draw or colour, add stickers, then talk about your drawing!

Elmo Loves ABCs for iPad

Sesame Street

This *Sesame Street* app has songs, videos, colouring pages and games about all of the letters from A to Z, complete with personalization, memorable lessons, and alphabet fun!

Elmo Loves 123s

Sesame Street

Have fun exploring numbers with Elmo and Abby Cadabby as they sing songs, introduce videos and play games about all the numbers from 1 to 20, teaching fun skills about counting, problem solving, and creativity!

Hop, Frog, Hop!

TVOKids Apps

Hop, Frog, Hop! is a fun memory game that will help your child exercise their memory muscles.

LetterSchool

Boreaal

A highly intuitive game in which to learn all about letters and numbers: writing, counting, phonics, and more!

Little Digits

Cowly Owl Ltd

Little Digits is a fun educational app that teaches children about numbers by putting a new spin on finger counting.

The Monster at the End of This Book... starring Grover!

Sesame Street

Join lovable, furry old Grover as he tries his very hardest to tie down pages and build brick walls to keep you away from the monster at the end of this fully interactive animated storybook app!

Stella and Sam Story Pack

zinc Roe

The *Stella and Sam* apps are based on the television show and the bestselling picture-book series by Marie-Louise Gay. This app includes all five of their Interactive Adventures.

TVOKids Explore the Night

TVOKids Apps

Discover the world outside using your magnifying glass, binoculars and telescope. Playing this game helps kids from 2 to 5 years old understand the natural world around them and the need to care for and respect the environment.

TVOKids Wanda Wonder Words

TVOKids Apps

Rock out with Wanda while you learn some new big words! Playing the game *Wanda Wonder Words* helps your child meet many learning goals, including using strategies appropriate for beginning readers to make sense of a variety of written materials.

Ages 7+

Bartleby's Book of Buttons Vol. 1: The Far Away Island

Octopus Kite

Help Bartleby in his journey to find new buttons for his collection! Flip switches, press buttons, slide sliders, rotate the iPad, turn in a circle, and carefully read along in this "digital pop-up book" adventure.

Monster Physics™

Dan Russell-Pinson

Monster Physics™ is a unique building app that lets you play with physics! Build and operate your own car, crane, rocket ship, plane, helicopter, and more!

Princess Arabella Wants to Play

RumdeeDum

Princess Arabella Wants to Play is an interactive book suitable for children between ages 4 and 10, based on the Princess Arabella books written by Mylo Freeman.

Robots for iPad

Institute of Electrical & Electronic Engineers Inc.

This interactive app lets you explore over 100 real-world robots through hundreds of animations, photos, videos, and articles.

Toontastic: All Access

Launchpad Toys

Lights, camera, play! *Toontastic* is a storytelling and creative-learning tool that enables kids to draw, animate, and share their own cartoons.

Ages 10+

123D Sculpt™

Autodesk Inc.

With Autodesk® *123D Sculpt* you can sculpt and paint interesting and realistic 3D shapes.

Bloom HD

Opal Limited

Part instrument, part composition and part artwork, *Bloom*'s innovative controls allow anyone to create elaborate patterns and unique melodies by simply tapping the screen.

Cargo-Bot

Two Lives Left

Cargo-Bot is a puzzle game where you teach a robot how to move crates. Sounds simple, right? Try it out.

Gesundheit!™

Revolutionary Concepts

Gesundheit! combines extraordinary hand-drawn visuals and animation with an infectious gameplay to create a vibrant and colourful world where cute characters face off against wacky monsters.

Pettson's Inventions

Filimundus AB

Help Pettson and Findus build their clever inventions in this tricky-but-fun game!

Sketchbook® Pro

Autodesk Inc.

Autodesk *Sketchbook Pro* for iPad is a professional-grade paint/drawing application.

Ultimate Dinopedia: Complete Dinosaur Reference

National Geographic Society

From the National Geographic Society comes this interactive app where you'll find all your favorite dinos, plus some really cool new ones profiled in the "Dinos A to Z" section, which lists almost every dinosaur ever known.

World of Goo

2D BOY

The millions of Goo Balls who live in the *World of Goo* are curious to explore!

Continue being creative at home and in the classroom!

TIFF Kids digiPlaySpace Videos

Continue to explore digital technologies at home and at school by visiting us at tiff.net/dpsvideos to view videos with behind-the-scenes interviews, hands-on activities and DIY project ideas.

TIFF Kids Micro Makers' Space – Additional Links:

Many of the creative craft materials listed below are readily available in the GTA. By searching the internet for the products and terms below, you can find a location near you.

DIY Electronics and Making at Home!

Instructables.com – An online community where anyone can share creative DIY projects they've made, or read detailed instructions on how to create their own.

arduino.com – **Arduino** is an open-source electronics prototyping platform intended for artists, designers, hobbyists, and anyone interested in creating interactive objects or environments. Simple starter projects for Arduino can be found on the Instructables.com website.

makeymakey.com – **Makey Makey** is an invention kit for everyone that allows you to turn almost anything conductive into your own computer controller (and much more).

Learning to Code

scratch.mit.edu – **Scratch** is a programming language that makes it easy to create your own interactive stories, animations, games, music, and art – and to share your creations on the web.

hackasaurus.org/en-US – **Mozilla Hackasaurus** makes it easy to mash up and change any web page like magic. You can also create your own webpages to share with friends, all within your browser.

girlslearningcode.com – **Girls Learning Code:** all-girls camps and workshops in Toronto for girls 9–13 years old.

khanacademy.org – **The Khan Academy** is a not-for-profit organization that provides free educational videos on a wide range of topics, including introductions to concepts in mathematics and computer programming.

Makers In the Toronto Community

Site3.ca is a member-run maker space for art and technology collaboration in downtown Toronto.

HackLab.TO is a community space with a diverse membership that includes artists, computer programmers, web designers, and hardware hackers.

MakerKids.ca is a non-profit workshop space for kids in Roncesvalles Village. Activities include electronics, woodworking, sewing, crafting, hacking, tinkering, and making things of all kinds!

3D Modeling and Printing

123dapp.com – Autodesk 123D is a range of creative software tools that allow you to capture, model and export digital 3D models for real world printing.

3dphacktory.com – 3dPhacktory is a Toronto-based 3D printing and design service company.

makerbot.com – MakerBot® is one of many companies providing consumer-level 3D printing solutions.

thingiverse.com – Thingiverse is an online community where people can share 3D designs.

Available in the TIFF Shop!

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