



NAGC Alternate Education Options

Resources for Parents

FROM NAGC

GENERAL PARENTING

Success Strategies for Parenting Gifted Kids, edited by Kathleen Nilles, Jennifer L. Jolly, Tracy F. Inman, & Joan Franklin Smutny, (2019). www.amazon.com, www.nagc.org, www.prufrock.com

TIP Sheets for Parents & Educators (On 20+ unique topics), bit.ly/NAGC_TIP

Resources for Educators & Parents During COVID-19, bit.ly/NAGC_atHome

BLENDED, ONLINE & HOMESCHOOL

“Blended & Online Learning: How Can it Benefit My Child?” by Megan O’Reilly Palevich and Ellen Honeck, Ph.D., *Parenting for High Potential*, (March 2017), bit.ly/PHP_Blended

Daily Summer (or Anytime) At-Home Activities, bit.ly/At-Home_June • bit.ly/At-Home_July • bit.ly/At-Home_August

Exploring Homeschooling for Your Gifted Learner: An NAGC Select by Suki Wessling, (2015). www.amazon.com

Gifted by State, for your state’s Department of Education regulations and contacts for your state gifted association, www.nagc.org/information-publications/gifted-state

OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

Alternative Education Resource Organization (AERO), www.educationrevolution.org

Beyond Booksmart, Coaching/Executive Functioning Support for Online Learners, www.beyondbooksmart.com

Chicago Gifted Community Center, www.chicagogiftedcommunity.org/LOGYC

Davidson Institute, www.davidsoninstitute.org

Gifted Homeschoolers Forum (GHF), <https://ghflearners.org>

Homeschool Association of California, www.hsc.org

Homeschool Legal Defense Association, <https://hslida.org>

Institute for Educational Advancement, <https://educationaladvancement.org/services/parent-support/>

Iowa Talent & Gifted Association (ITAG), www.iowatag.org/2020/06/28/supporting-gifted-learners-in-your-districts-return-to-learn-plans/

Pennsylvania Homeschoolers Accreditation Agency, www.phaa.org

SENG Online Support Groups, www.sengifted.org/support-groups

SPECIAL INTEREST AREAS

EQUITY

Gifted Children at Risk, <https://cagifted.org/gifted-children-at-risk-academically-and-intellectually/>

Underrepresentation, <https://cagifted.org/underrepresentation/>

MICROSCHOOLS

SchoolHouse, Teacher matching for microschoools, www.getschoolhouse.com

Sunnyside Micro-school, www.sunnysidemicroschool.com

NEEDS ASSESSMENT

Child Care & COVID-19, www.mavenclinic.com/emily-oster-childcare-decision-tool

Discover Your Homeschool Method, www.homeschool.com/homeschooling-methods

Sample Program Teacher Survey, www.prufrock.com/pdfs/giftedprgmeval/GP_App_C.pdf

TWICE-EXCEPTIONAL (2E) LEARNERS

“Beyond the Neuropsychological Evaluation: Finding the Right Professionals to Support Your 2e Child’s Needs” by Austina DeBonte, *Parenting for High Potential* (Dec 2019), bit.ly/2E9zY29

Tips for Parents: Homeschooling Twice-Exceptional Children, <https://www.davidsongifted.org/search-database/entry/a10201>

With Understanding Comes Calm, www.withunderstandingcomescalm.com

Be sure to visit NAGC's Gifted & Talented Resources Directory www.nagc.org for a robust listing of programs and services to support gifted children's academic, enrichment, and social-emotional needs.

CURRICULUM

Exciting Gifted Education Teaching and Learning Tools, Prufrock Press, www.prufrock.com

Moving Beyond the Page, www.movingbeyondthepage.com

ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS

Destination Imagination, www.destinationimagination.org

Future Problem Solving Program International, www.fpspi.org

Odyssey of the Mind, www.odysseyofthemind.com

ONLINE SCHOOLS/CLASSES

Art of Problem Solving, Math enrichment, Grades 2-6
https://virtual.aopsacademy.org/?utm_source=nagc&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=vc_fall

Athena's Advanced Academy, <https://athenasacademy.com>

Calvert Homeschool, www.calverthomeschool.com

Institute for Educational Advancement, Spyglass, Ages 6-18
<https://educationaladvancement.org>

Laurel Springs Academy, K-12 online school
<https://laurelsprings.com>

Online G3, www.onlineg3.com

Outschool, Online classes and camps, Ages 3-18,
<https://outschool.com>

PA Homeschoolers AP Online,
www.aphomeschoolers.com/cgi-bin/choose.pl?class=nothing

Pacific Preparatory, K-12 online school,
www.pacificpreparatory.com

Quantum Camp, Ages 6-16, www.quantumcamp.com

Time4Learning, www.time4learning.com

REGIONAL TALENT DEVELOPMENT CENTERS

Universities in your state may operate gifted and talented youth centers, offering online and in-person courses for both academic and personal growth. Students might receive course credit recognized by their district, depending on the course, the provider, and school district policy.

Center for Bright Kids Academic Talent Development,
www.centerforbrightkids.org

Duke TIP, <https://tip.duke.edu>

Johns Hopkins Center for Talented Youth, <https://cty.jhu.edu>

Northwestern Center for Talent Development,
www.ctd.northwestern.edu

UC Berkeley Academic Talent Development Program,
<https://atdp.berkeley.edu>

TUTORS

Alexander Tutoring, Math and Physics, Middle School and High School, <https://alexandertutoring.com>

TutorCorp, Tutor-matching resources (K-12), www.tutorcorps.com

BOOKS

Serving Gifted Learners Beyond the Traditional Classroom: A Guide to Alternative Programs and Services by Joyce Van-Tassel Baska, Ed.D. (2006). www.amazon.com

Some of My Best Friends are Books, by Judith Wynn Halsted (2009). www.amazon.com

WEBSITES/ARTICLES/BLOGS

Distance Learning Round Two: We're in This Together (8/13/20), www.nagc.org/blog

Gifted Homeschooling: Curriculum, Solutions, and Help with Transitioning: Davidson Gifted Weekly Roundup (6/30/20), www.davidsongifted.org/search-database/entry/a10974

Homeschooling the Gifted Learner, <https://cagifted.org/homeschooling-the-gifted-learner>

Koehler Academy, Dr. Jessica Koehler, blog and resources for homeschooling gifted children,
<https://koehleracademy.com>

Raising Lifelong Learners/Guide for Homeschooling Gifted Children,
<https://raisinglifelonglearners.com/the-ultimate-guide-to-homeschooling-gifted-children>

Ten Steps to Successful Homeschooling, www.homeschoolnyc.com/homeschooling-ten-steps.html

