

DEAR FAMILIES,

As a new school year begins, it's important for students to be engaged in the learning process both at home and in the classroom. With a classroom program from TRANSFORMERS and the curriculum specialists at Young Minds Inspired, your child's class has traveled into the *Transformers* universe to learn about energy, conservation, geometry, and teamwork. Below are some ideas your family can do together to extend the program and have fun at home. Check out episodes and clips together on the *Transformers* dedicated YouTube channel, [youtube.com/transformersofficial](https://www.youtube.com/transformersofficial), and then try the activities below so the whole family can share the fun.

ENERGY & CONSERVATION

- Talk about the different types of energy and nutrition that our bodies' need as you teach your family to plan balanced meals. Get kids involved in preparing a variety of fruits, vegetables, and protein.
- Keep track of your family's household energy consumption for a week, and make a plan to reduce it.
- Practice the "Three R's": Reduce, Reuse, and Recycle.

GEOMETRY

- Shapes are everywhere! Games like "I Spy with My Little Eye" and scavenger hunts help children train visual perception and observation, as well as social skills. Add another angle by identifying objects by shape.
- Family drawing night can be a fun way to bond! Cut a set of basic shapes out of cardboard and use them as templates to make pictures and patterned artwork.

TEAMWORK & COOPERATION

- Family Game Night! Board and card games are great ways to practice turn taking, patience, and listening skills and even for learning how to win—and lose—gracefully.
- Create a scavenger hunt-type challenge based on your family's interests. Create a fun list of items that you can work together to find either in your home, in your neighborhood, on a drive, or while on vacation.
- Set a goal and try to achieve it together! Does your family like to hike? Visit playgrounds? Make a list of new places to visit and set weekly, monthly, or even annual plans to explore them one by one.

ABOUT TRANSFORMERS

The incredible universe of *Transformers* is one of constant change, where nothing is as it seems. A universe where incredible, shape-shifting robots hide in plain sight, disguised as vehicles and beasts, and battle with the future of their world—and ours—at stake. It is a universe that teaches us we all have the power to become something more than others expect and inspires us to reveal the extraordinary in everything we do. The power and resonance of that universe has made *Transformers* a global entertainment brand with millions of fans, a storied legacy, and a revered place in modern popular culture. You can find new and exciting content on their dedicated YouTube channel at [youtube.com/transformersofficial](https://www.youtube.com/transformersofficial).

RESOURCES

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