Animals	Parks	Events	Museums	Art/Creative
Visit your local zoo. ☐ St. Louis Zoo	Go to a park with a splashground. ♥	* Attend a summer library event. •	Visit a children's museum. ☐ City Museum ☐ Magic House ☐ Magic House @ MADE ☐ Myseum	Visit a local art museum. □ Contemporary Art Museum □ Pulitzer Arts Foundation □ The Sheldon Art Galleries □ St. Louis Art Museum
Visit an animal farm or attraction. ♥ □ Purina Farms □ Grant's Farm □ Butterfly House □ Endangered Wolf Center	Play at one of your favorite parks. 🎔	* See a free or cheap summer movie. 🎔	Visit a history museum. Lewis & Clark Missouri History Soldiers Memorial Gateway Arch Museum of Transportation	Visit a local sculpture park. □ Laumeier Sculpture Park
Go fishing, feeding the ducks, or to the beach.	Visit a park you've never been before. ♥ □ Nature Playscape at Forest Park (NEW)	* Go to a parade, fair, festival, or art show/fair.	Visit a science museum. ☐ St. Louis Science Center ☐ HealthWorks! Museum	* Attend a kids' building workshop at Home Depot.
Visit a nature reserve. Columbia Bottoms Lone Elk Park Powder Valley Rockwoods Reservation Shaw Nature Reserve Suson Park Animal Farm World Bird Sanctuary Willoughby Farm	Visit a historic site or nat'l/state park. ♥ (See below for free local historic sites) □ Confluence Point □ Faust Park Historic Village □ Jefferson Barracks Museums □ Old Courthouse □ Ulysses S. Grant Home	* Go to a family show.	Visit a specialty museum. Inside the Economy Museum World Chess Hall of Fame Cardinals Museum Field House Museum Int'l Photography Museum Laclede's Landing Wax Museum Miniature Museum Mirror Maze at Union Station National Blues Museum	* Participate in a craft workshop at a local craft store or studio. Michaels St. Louis Art Museum Family Sundays AR Workshop JOANN Laumeier Sculpture Park Family Workshops
Visit an aquatic center. ☐ St. Louis Aquarium at Union Station	Ride on a carousel. □ Faust Park Carousel □ St. Louis Carousel at Union Station	* See a local sports' team play. St. Louis Cardinals Gateway Grizzlies	Visit an aircraft museum. ☐ James S. McDonnell Prologue Room ☐ Historic Aircraft Restoration Museum	☐ Painted Zebra ☐ Pinspiration ☐ That Painting Spot ☐ The Candle Fusion Studio ☐ Yucandu
Nature/Exercise	Other Amusements	Service	Food/Products	Evening
Go swimming at a local or community pool.	Ride on a train. □ Wabash Frisco & Pacific □ Metrolink	Bake a treat for someone sick, in need, or for your local fire/police.	Go on a factory tour. Chocolate, Chocolate, Chocolate ** Herbaria Sammy Soap Vat 19	* Go to a free summer concert or musical. ☐ free outdoor concerts ☐ Shakespeare in the Park ☐ The Muny
Set up the sprinkler or kiddy pool. 🎔	Go bowling or roller skating (or ice skating in winter).	Visit an elderly relative/community member. ♥	Have a picnic for lunch or dinner. 🎔	Have a family game night. ♥
Go hiking. While there, you might consider geocaching!	Go to the movies as a family.	Walk around the neighborhood and pick up trash.	* Go to a farmer's market.	Have a family movie night at home. •
Plant something in your yard or garden.	Go to an indoor play center.	* Participate in a local community service project.	Get ice cream. ♥	Go backyard camping or on a camping trip.
Go riding in a boat. ☐ Creve Coeur Lake ☐ Boathouse at Forest Park ☐ Riverboats at the Gateway Arch	Play mini golf, ride go-karts, or go indoor rock climbing. (Below are just a few.) Golf the Galleries Swing-Around-Fun Town Union Station Upper Limits		Go out to eat for lunch.	Play flashlight or glow light tag OR use a telescope to see the stars and planets.
Fly kites or go ride bikes. 🎔	Go to a water park or amusement park. □ Six Flags □ The St. Louis Wheel		Go to a "pick-your-own" farm.	Have a BBQ with friends.
Visit a local garden. ☐ Missouri Botanical Garden	Go horseback riding, on a ropes course, or ziplining.		Go to a cat café. □ Mauhaus	* Go see fireworks.

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Key:

Blue = Free or cheap
Green = Higher cost (pick as your budget allows)
Black = price depends on your local excursion

= good to do more than one time!

For details/ideas on activities that do not include specific locations, see my page: https://survivingonatightbudget.com/family-fun-outside-the-home/

^{*} Starred items: May need to check into ahead of time because have specific dates or need reservations.

^{**} **Double-starred items:** Due to COVID-19, tours have been suspended. Check their website or call to see when they will resume.