The Loveland Museum is wondering how children are dealing with the COVID-19 pandemic. They have a very unique perspective on what is going on. People are coming together, lending a helping hand, dealing with big changes to normal daily life and sharing new experiences that can be both scary, but also unexpectedly joyous. The idea of this journal was borrowed from Long Creations, but we wanted to design our own pages to give kids a way to reflect on this time and learn from it in the future, or possibly donate their stories to the Museum.

This journal can be used as...

☐ A way to pass the time at home, while we all “social distance”

☐ A time capsule that you can bury in your yard or garden and have someone find in the future

☐ A school project

☐ A way to journal your experience and read when you are an adult

☐ Submit to the Museum for our collection of COVID-19 stories (find out how you can do this at the end of the journal)
Do you realize that we are experiencing a major event in our world’s HISTORY with the COVID-19 pandemic? Every country in the world is affected by this right now. Many people are staying home. What is it like for you? Write a letter to yourself about how you feel or what you are doing.

DEAR ____________________________

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FROM, ________________
Our lives have changed and it’s alright to feel mad, sad, frustrated, scared or most anything else right now! How do you feel?

I FEEL...

DRAW HOW YOU FEEL

DURING THIS TIME AT HOME, I HAVE LEARNED...

I AM MOST THANKFUL FOR...

WHAT I HAVE BEEN DOING TO CONNECT TO OTHERS

I CAN’T WAIT TO...
Social distancing

WHAT I LIKE MOST ABOUT BEING HOME

What I like and don’t like about school at home:

When I can go outside, I like to...

WHO DO I MISS SEEING EVERYDAY?
All about me...

Date: ___________________

Name:

My Friends:

My Family:

What I want to be when I grow up:

My Favorite Things:

I love...
What I did today...

Draw what you did today.

Write a sentence about your drawing:
The Loveland Museum would love for you to submit a copy of your journal to us for our archives of “COVID Stories”. The best way to submit your journal would be digitally. Scan your journal, save it as a PDF file and email it to us. If you can’t scan your journal, you can mail it to us.

Email a PDF copy to: jenni.dobson@cityofloveland.org

Mail a copy to: Loveland Museum
503 N. Lincoln
Loveland, CO 80538

Student Name: _________________________________________________________

Student grade and school:_______________________________________________

Parent Name: ___________________________________________________________

Parent email and phone number: ________________________________________

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☐ PERMISSION TO USE - You agree to give the Loveland Museum permission to use this journal for a future exhibition and/or research project.
(Note: if we intend to use it for an exhibition, we will send you additional information).

Parent signature and date:______________________________________________

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https://www.lovelandmuseumgallery.org/virtual-learning/

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