

Day 15 Go! Continued

On to your schedule--don't keep your kids home without it!

Now that you've got your plan and your curriculum on its way, it's time to consider what your days will look like. Make a list of how long your kids need to spend on each subject, and how many days each one will be worked on every week. Can they do a couple of subjects on alternating days?

Look at your own plans, also. How much time do you need to accomplish your own goals for this year?

Think about your kids' biological clocks, too. Most do better with difficult subjects in the morning, but some may need time to wake up!

Write out a blank paper with the hours running alongside the left and each child's name above the top. Put yours at the top of the list! Now play! Write in your times with the baby or high schooler who needs help; history; music practice, etc. etc. How can you best arrange your days? Prioritize your family Bible time! This made a huge difference to our family last year.

Don't forget lessons, church, and homeschool group commitments as well as service projects you want to work in. What do you want each "school" day to look like?

We'll get to scheduling your year tomorrow--this is enough for today!

Blessings!