Dear Families,

Welcome to The STEAM Project's **Tiny Homes** Virtual Camp! We're looking forward to getting started with the program. Below you will find information about preparing for your course:

What's inside your kit:
- Safety glasses
- 6 sheets of foam core board
- Scissors
- Foam core starter template
- X-ACTO knife with 2 blade replacements
- 8" x 6" self healing cutting mat
- Steel ruler with cork backing
- Hot glue dispenser
- 1 pack of hot glue sticks
- Hot glue dispenser holder kit
- Sketchbook and engineering paper package
- Weaving kit
- 3D-printed lighting kit
- Laser-cut furniture kit

Hardware and Software Requirements:
- Any computer (PC, Mac, or Chromebook) that can run Google Meets (with webcam, mic)
  - iPads are not compatible
- A mouse is recommended for 3D design
- Link to online 3D design software: https://www.sketchup.com/products/sketchup-for-web

Safety Information
- This product contains small and sharp parts. Do not swallow or scratch to avoid injury
- This product contains conductive parts. Do not hold them or touch the power supply and other parts of the circuit
- Incorrect usage may lead to overheating. Do not touch any part of the circuit when this happens and disconnect the power supply immediately
- Use the parts in the kit in accordance with each lesson. If you do not know how to use or wire a part, learn how to use it before connecting it to any source of power.
- Store the kit and all parts in a dry place away from direct sunlight
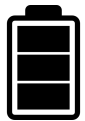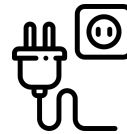- Unplug and turn off all power when not in use

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Class Rules

Before the first class...

• Sign up for the Google Classroom at least **one day before the first class.**
Your Classroom code is available through a PDF titled **"Household Confirmation Letter".**
The meeting links will be posted in the Classroom.

To prepare for class...

• Prepare a **clean workspace** for the projects
• Use a **newspaper** or something similar to keep the surface clean
• **Plug in** your device or make sure it's **fully charged** to avoid disconnections

During your class...

• **Arrive on time** - after 5 minutes, you may not be able to be added as the instructor may be busy

• For the first class, the instructors will spend time making sure everyone is comfortable and that the equipment is working

• Mute your microphone when you are not speaking to the class or instructor

• You can turn off your video if you are not sharing something with others

• Please use the chat only for relevant discussion

• Raise your hand to indicate to the instructor that you have a question

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After Class

• Students can ask questions to their instructor, communicate with other students, receive updates, and links to online resources & bonus projects through the Google Classroom.

• If there is a planned absence, please notify us by emailing: virtual@thesteamproject.ca.

• For missed classes, resources will be available through Google Classroom

Sincerely,
The STEAM Project Family

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