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INQUIRY INTO HOME SCHOOLING

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I am a 13 year old boy and have been doing homeschooling for almost 4 years. When we went to school our family was a lot more stressed than it is now, because of lunch and getting out the door in time. We are now a lot more relaxed with homeschooling because of the freedom it gives us with choices and time. We see a lot more of our friends than people would expect, because of events such as science, art class, drama, philosophy, arranged visits and just inviting them over for a while. One of my favorite things about homeschooling is choosing what I study based on my own interests such as: basic coding (Ruby, JavaScript, HTML), improvised performance, Game Development, medieval reenactment, fencing and various other subjects. Our registration has only happened twice, so I don't remember much about it, but I remember our AP is always interested in what work/projects we've done they seem to like our activities, work etc.. regardless of whether it resembles traditional schoolwork or not.