

Transcript: A Day in the Life: Meet Elayna

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I'm Elayna and I'm a 7th grader at K12.

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When I wake up in the morning, I get dressed, make my bed, and have breakfast.

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And then after that, I log into my Class Connects.

00:00:16.590

After I've done so for the day,

00:00:18.830

I check my school email and then I do my lessons for the day.

00:00:25.080

I attend my live Class Connect sessions three every day, five days a week.

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When I log into a Class Connect session, I can read the teacher's

00:00:34.110

notes on the whiteboard and the lesson and she can read it aloud to me.

00:00:38.610

She can also ask questions and we can answer on the mic or in the chat.

00:00:42.960

If our teachers ever need to know how we're feeling about our topic,

00:00:48.190

we can send them an emoticon.

00:00:50.455

And it'll appear near our name, either a smiley face, thumbs down, thumbs up,

00:00:55.387

confuse-y face, we have lots.

00:00:57.990

To be honest, I really find it enjoyable to go to my classes and

00:01:01.770

they're earlier in the morning.

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So I, even though I have to wake up early, about 7:30ish

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it's not that early compared to other kids, but it also benefits you a lot,

00:01:13.080

I find, to go the online classes and
hear your teacher talk about the subject.

00:01:18.810

So besides Class Connects,

00:01:20.660

I also have my lessons are not
only on the screen but have books.

00:01:26.640

Like my Social Studies and
my Literature and my Science.

00:01:30.280

They all have books that I
can read during my lesson, so

00:01:34.240

I think that also helps me to
take a break from the screen.

00:01:39.110

Math, I find is hardest for me.

00:01:41.310

Multiple times I've had a math
problem that I couldn't solve.

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And I've sent my teacher
a schooling email and

00:01:48.691

she replied to me and helped me with that.

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I've also had some times when I've had to go to help sessions and that helped a lot.

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I'm in a self-created club called a Puppies Club.

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Hey guys, and welcome to Puppies Club today.

00:02:05.340

Today's breeds are bulldog and beagle.

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So go ahead and vote on which you think is the cutest.

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There's something called Lunch Bunch,

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which is a Class Connect kids can log in to.

00:02:17.410

And there's also break out rooms where I host the club and

00:02:20.580

some other students host their own student-made clubs.

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I saw another fellow student

having a horse club and

00:02:28.110

I was inspired by the idea to run a club,

and

00:02:31.980

I have a passion for puppies and made my club.

00:02:37.210

I spend six hours a day doing schoolwork.

00:02:40.130

I'm usually done about

3 o'clock to 4 o'clock.

00:02:43.180

I do take an hour break for lunch.

00:02:45.360

Sometimes, if I feel I've

had a lot of screen time or

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if I feel accomplished,

then I'll just take a short break.

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I have met some fellow

students in some outings,

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where we can actually go to activities,

and meet our teachers and students.

00:03:04.767

I see lots of my friends through

soccer, theater class, or church or

00:03:09.085

any other extracurricular activities.

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It is very similar to real school and

you still have to go to your classes and

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you still have homework just

in a different version, way.

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I think it might surprise

them on how much actually you

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communicate with real people

instead of just a computer screen.

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I have a lot of friends who say,

I'd love to be that way,

00:03:36.024

I can just sleep in my pajamas all day,

it's not how it works.

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Ending Time: 00:03:43.059

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Descriptor Narrator: A day in the life

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Meet Elayna.

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after I've done so for the day, I check my school email,

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and then I do my lessons for the day.

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in the lesson, and she can read it all out to me.

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She can also ask questions, and we can answer

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on the mic or in the chat.

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If our teachers ever need to know how we're feeling

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about a topic, we can send them an emoticon

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and it'll appear near our name, either a smiley face,

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But it also benefits you a lot, I find,

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and I'm going that's not how it works.

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working on her computer,

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reading books,

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working on a microscope,

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talking to her teachers and friends on her computer,

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and playing outside with her dogs.

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