

**Graph of the Week**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

April \_\_\_\_\_ 2024

Analyze the graphs below and write a reflection on what you think the graphs are communicating to you. To guide you with your response, start with some observations.

- Questions to ask when reading graphs:
- Is there an upward or downward trend?
  - Are there any sudden spikes in the graph?
  - What is being compared in the graph?
  - What prediction can I make for the future?
  - What inferences can I make about the graph?

- What is the topic of the graph?
- What quantities are being compared?
- What are some observations that you can make based on the graphs?
- What surprises you about the graph? What do you wonder?
- What do you foresee happening in the next 10 years?

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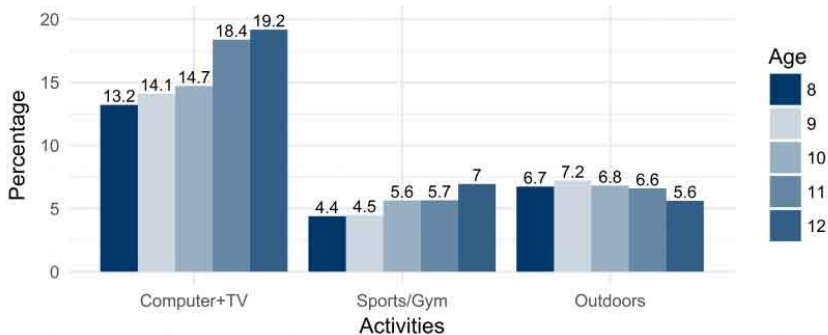
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**Media Use Grows while Time Outdoors Shrinks as Children Age**

Parents of 8-year-olds report their children spend 13 hours on electronic media each week. Parents of 12-year-olds report 19 hours.



"On average in a typical week, about how many hours does your child... participate in outdoor activities when weather allows (not including sports) ...participate in formally organized sports, including gym classes at school ...watch TV ...use a computer, computer note pad, or smart phone?" Children ages 8-12. N = 771. Source: NatureofAmericans.org

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