Virtual Classroom Jobs

Keeping students engaged in the virtual world takes planning and engagement. Below is a list of virtual jobs students can do to ensure a smooth learning session. This list is not comprehensive, rather it’s a starting point. Teachers can create their own jobs based on needs in the virtual classroom.

1. Timekeeper: this student can monitor breakout room time as well as the time left in the learning session.
2. Engagement Monitor: this student can monitor their peers to ensure that cameras are on, questions are answered, people are in groups, etc.
3. Equity Deputy: this student ensures all students’ voices are heard.
4. Mood Monitor: this student provides feedback to the teacher about how kids are feeling.
5. DJ: a student who selects the music during break times.
6. Success Reminder: this student reminds the class of the learning intentions set for class and shares with peers.
7. Chat Monitor: this student monitors the chat to share with the teacher any questions, ideas or information from the class.
8. Google Jockey: this student can google topics, questions or ideas that may not be readily available and share with peers.
9. Movement Manager: this student leads stretches and movement during breaks to help get the blood flowing through the body.
10. Tech Support Student: this student understands how technology works and can help trouble shoot issues.
11. Catch-up Monitor: this student’s job is to pay attention to who is absent and “catch” them up on the missed learning.