

# MY FAMILY AND FRIENDS: FAMILIES

Use this list to find activities and experiences that focus on weekly learning goals.  
Use the "Weekly Assessment Class Checklist" to record children's progress toward reaching these goals.

Social and Emotional Development		
Shows helpfulness (I.C.6.)	<i>Social and emotional skills are assessed as children interact with other children and adults throughout the day. Evaluation of understanding occurs during the Greeting and Closing Circles where discussion provides insight into social and emotional capacity.</i>	
Understands how to use good manners (I.C.1)		
Uses calming strategies (I.B.1.c.)		
Participates in pretend-play scenarios (I.C.4.)		
Literacy and Language Skills		
Separates spoken sentence into words (III.B.1.)	<i>Morning Message p. 11</i>	
Understands alphabet has specific order (III.3.1.)	<i>Literacy Lesson p. 12</i>	
Matches like letters (forerunner: III.C.1)	<i>Writer's Corner p. 14</i>	
Predicts story events (III.A.2.)	<i>Read-Aloud p. 16, 18</i>	
Blends two words into compound word (III.B.2.)	<i>Read-Aloud p. 20</i>	
<b>Vocabulary</b>	Wonderful Word of the Week: <b>fabulous</b>	<i>Vocabulary is assessed as children interact with peers and adults. It is also assessed as children engage in group discussions during large- and small-group experiences.</i>
	brother	
	count	
	family	
	father	
	grandparent	
	mother	
	sister	
relatives		
Math and Science Skills		
Shows one-to-one correspondence (V.A.3.)	<i>Math &amp; Science p. 17, 21</i>	
Counts 1-10 items; one count per item (V.A.3.)	<i>Math &amp; Science p. 17, 21, 23</i>	
Subitizes sets up to four (V.A.8.)	<i>Math &amp; Science p. 19</i>	
Begins to recognize numerals (V.A.9.)	<i>Math &amp; Science p. 25</i>	
Physical Development		
Performs sequence of movements (IX.A.2.)	<i>Moving and Learning p. 13</i>	
Dances to song (IX.A.1.)	<i>Moving and Learning p. 13</i>	
Uses tongs to place ring over duck (IX.B.2.)	<i>Sensory Table p. 15</i>	
Theme Goals		
Identifies members of own family (VII.A.2.)	<i>Greeting Circle p. 8, Creativity Station p. 15</i>	
Extends the idea of family to numbers and letters (V.E.1.)	<i>Moving and Learning p. 13, Literacy Lesson p.12</i>	