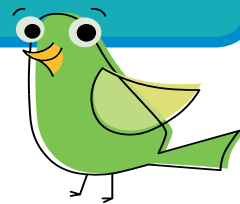


## FAMILY ACTIVITY

# Family Storybook



Create a family book to share your family's stories. As your child grows, include their artwork and take turns sharing stories together.

## MATERIALS

- Photographs of family members
- Children's drawings of family members and events
- Cardstock or cardboard for cover
- Construction paper or other plain paper for pages
- Markers, crayons or colored pencils
- Scissors
- Glue stick
- Optional: Hole puncher, yarn or stapler
- Magazines (for additional pictures and words)

## STEPS

1. Gather materials.
2. Cut cardstock or cardboard to make the book cover.
3. Add pages between the front and back cover.
4. Staple the pages together, or punch two holes and tie together with yarn.
5. Design a page for each member of your family.
6. Add drawings. Cut additional pictures and words from magazines to describe family members.
7. Decorate your book with markers, crayons, or colored pencils.

## HAVE A CONVERSATION!

- What do you like to do with your family?
- What special foods does your family eat or cook together?
- Do you visit your family by plane, subway, or by foot?
- What do you call the members of your family? Does anyone use names in other languages such as tía (aunt in Spanish), didi (little brother in Chinese), or jidd (grandfather in Arabic)?



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