

FAMILY TREE/BIOGRAPHY

VOCABULARY			
father	mother	sister	brother
parent	children	baby	family
grandmother	grandfather	aunt	uncle
cousin	stepmother	stepfather	

SAMPLE LESSON

Skill Area: Culture

Language Stage: Early Production

Outcome: Students will be able to identify members of their extended families.

Materials: Tagboard, yarn

Procedure: Cut the tagboard into 4" x 10" pieces. Label each piece with a family designation (mother, father, etc.). Thread the yarn into the cards so that the cards can be placed easily over the students' heads. Students take turns explaining their extended families, using the labeled students as examples.

SAMPLE LESSON

Skill Area: Culture

Language Stage: Early Production

Outcome: Students will be able to name people in their families outside of immediate family members.

Materials: Paper, pencils, crayons

Procedure: Explain the concept of extended families. Name family members that would form an extended family. Have students draw pictures of their extended family and label them. Show pictures of extended families in other cultures, i.e., Latin American, Asian, Native American. Compare and contrast family structures from other cultures.