



Backpack-tivity:

An @Home Learning Activity

Family Collage

Introduction:

As you complete this activity, you will learn about the adjectives that describe your family.

Materials:

You'll need poster board, scissors, paste or glue, old newspapers and magazines, and a dictionary or thesaurus.

Directions:

Make a list of words that describe your family. Words might include adventurous, active, understanding, loving, funny, and so on. Use a dictionary or thesaurus to find more words. Find in newspapers and magazines as many of those descriptive words as you can. Cut out the words. Also find pictures of activities your family likes to do. Arrange the words and pictures on a piece of poster board. When you're satisfied with the arrangement, glue or paste the words to the poster board. Use crayons or colored pencils to complete your collage.

Talk About It:

What do you like best about your family? Write your answer on the lines below.

Learn More:

Visit the National Gallery of Art Kids' Zone at <http://www.nga.gov/kids/zone/zone.htm> to learn more about collage.

This activity was completed by _____ and _____.