



grandmother

Dad

grandfather

Mom

sister

brother

All In The Family

Families come in all types, sizes, shapes and members. Let's talk about the people in your family!



Time for Dinner!

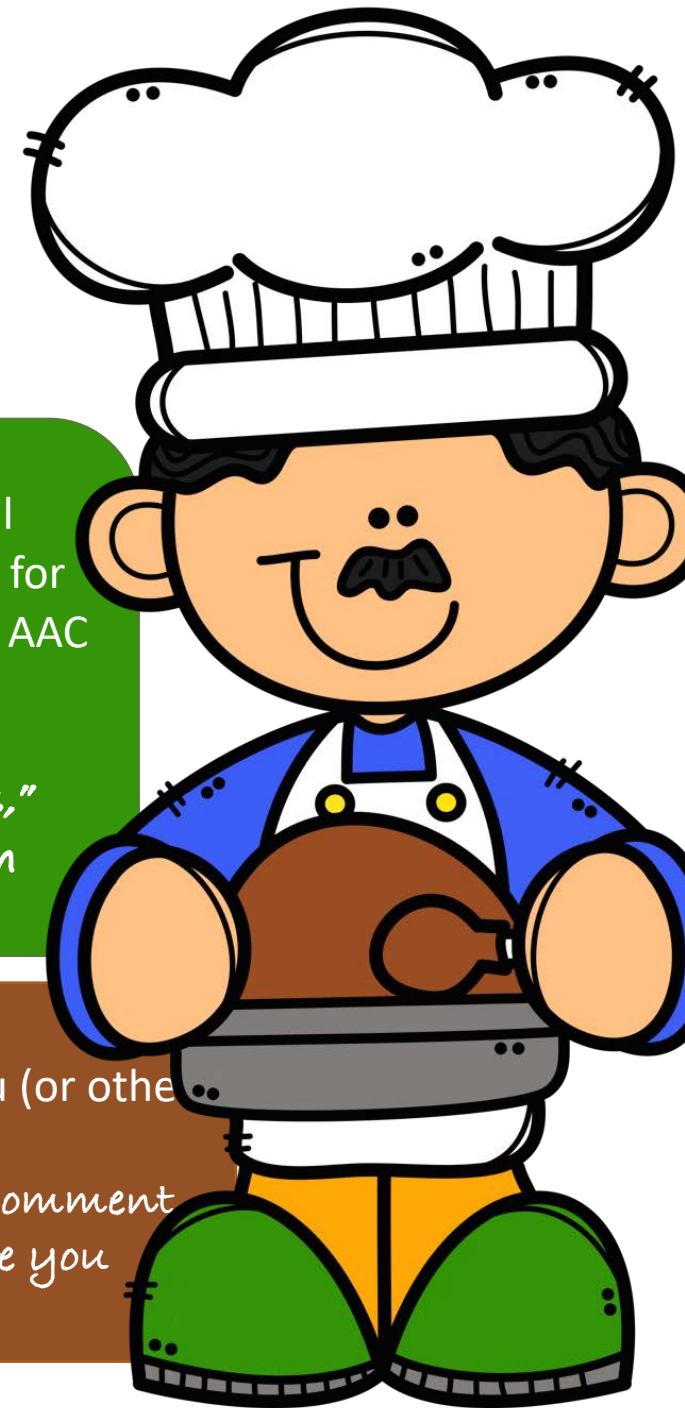
Directions: Who is going to COME for the family dinner? GET your scissors, markers and glue. We are coloring the family, cutting them out and putting them around the table.

Language Connection: Vocabulary Development

- Help your student say/touch the names of the items they are searching for. They can tell you which one they are looking for, which one they found etc. Remember: The POINT is for your student to learn to how to say these words OR find and "say" these words with the AAC board/book/device (AAC-BDD). Can you put these symbols together to make a 2-3 word phrase with the sentence strip?
- **EXPANSION ACTIVITY-** Adults: Use your core word: "GET" to model "get scissors," "get markers...". Model the word "who" by asking "who will you color?" And touch those symbols on the student's AAC BDD while you talk!

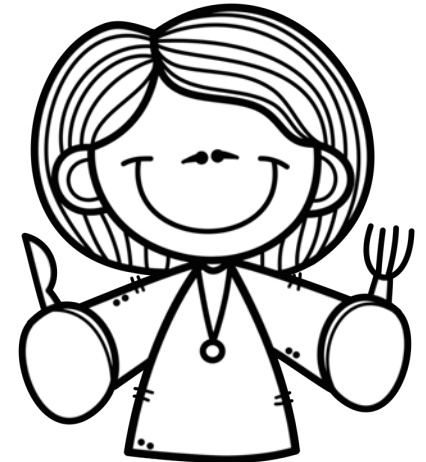
Communication Connection: Functional Use of New Core Words & Vocabulary

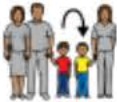
- Student and Partner (teacher, para, parent)-Let your student be the teacher and give you (or other students) directions. "Get Mom" or "Get blue..." In a group, let students take turns.
- **Partner Tip!** Help your student learn to help themselves by initiating a request or comment. Go slow, don't anticipate every need and WAIT for them to ask for something before you jump in to help!

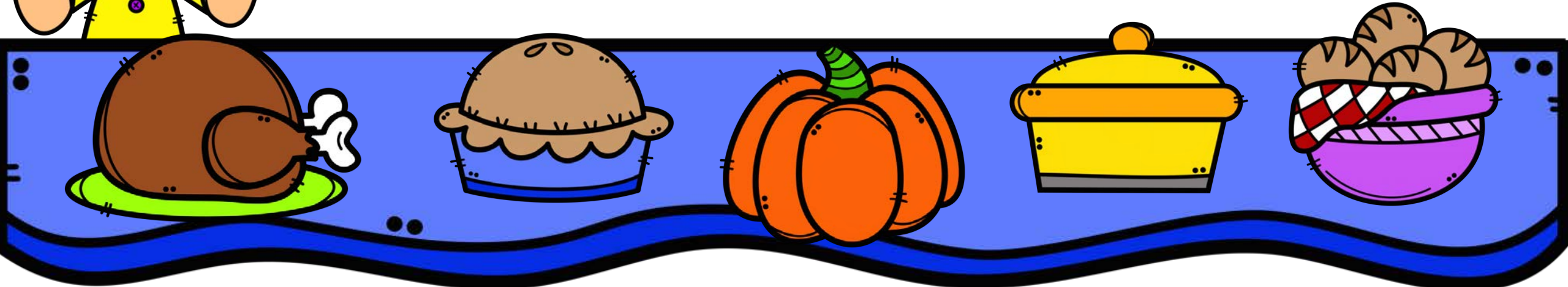


Who is Coming for Dinner?

It's time for dinner! Can you GET the family to come to the table? Tell your partner who you will get. Say "get Mom," "get Sister," or "get Granddad." Color and cut out these family members and glue them to the dinner scene!



 get	 mother	 father	 aunt	to	 come	to	the	 table
	 sister	 brother	 uncle					
	 grandmother	 grandfather	 cousin					



Where Are My Words? Family Edition

Directions: Put a check mark on the communication board for every item you find on your family list. Circle the people as you find them!

Language Connection: Vocabulary Development

- Help your student say/touch the names of the people they are searching for. They can tell you which one they are looking for, which one they found etc.
- **EXPANSION ACTIVITY**- Look at your students AAC Book/Board/Device (AAC-BBD) Can you locate the people on the device?

Communication Connection: Functional Use of New Core Words & Vocabulary

- Student and Partner talk about the family members you found. While you are there, partner points out people in their family. Ask your student, "Who is in your family?" and wait to see what they touch!
- **EXPANSION ACTIVITY**- Add family photos to your student's device on the Family Page. Have parents send you photos of the important family members. Don't forget pets! Add these onto buttons on your child's device.



- ☐ mother
- ☐ father
- ☐ grandmother
- ☐ grandfather
- ☐ sister
- ☐ brother
- ☐ aunt
- ☐ uncle

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People Family

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it	that	love	hate	family	for	brother	father	bad	different
he	she	grandfather	grandmother	mother	sister				

some

all

and

More

2

- ☐ mother
- ☐ father
- ☐ grandmother
- ☐ grandfather
- ☐ sister
- ☐ brother
- ☐ aunt
- ☐ uncle

Snap + Core First

Main List: People

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Back Core Words QuickFires Topics Keyboard Dashboard

mom Pronouns Family Occupations School People All Word Lists

dad sister brother teacher friend Little Words

family man woman me we they

your us them boy girl child

grandmother grandfather aunt him her uncle

neighbor guy person people Word Forms

- ☐ mother
- ☐ father
- ☐ grandmother
- ☐ grandfather
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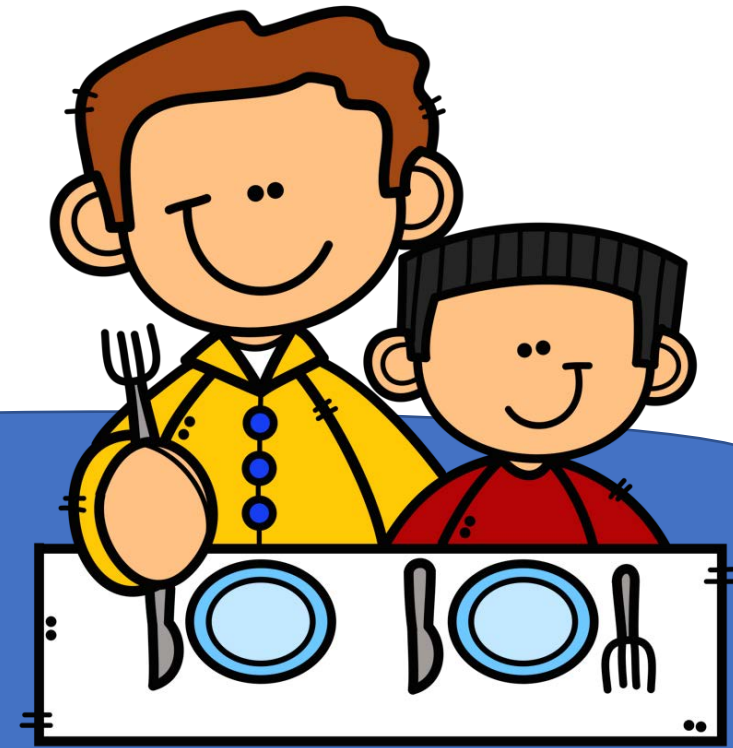
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- ☐ mother
- ☐ father
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- ☐ sister
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mine 	they 	him 	her 	person 	aunt 	uncle 	baby 	school
its 	them 	boy 	girl 	us 	grandma 	grandpa 	child 	jobs
your 	their 	man 	woman 	our 	girlfriend 	boyfriend 	children 	story characters
yours 	theirs 	his 	hers 	ours 	wife 	husband 	adult 	other people

The Grid

Whatcha' Got To Say??



Take a second and talk it out! This is an opportunity to have a no pressure conversation about your family. Parents/teachers share your opinions first and wait for students to add in their own thoughts. Don't forget to WAIT after you model!

Write About It: My Family

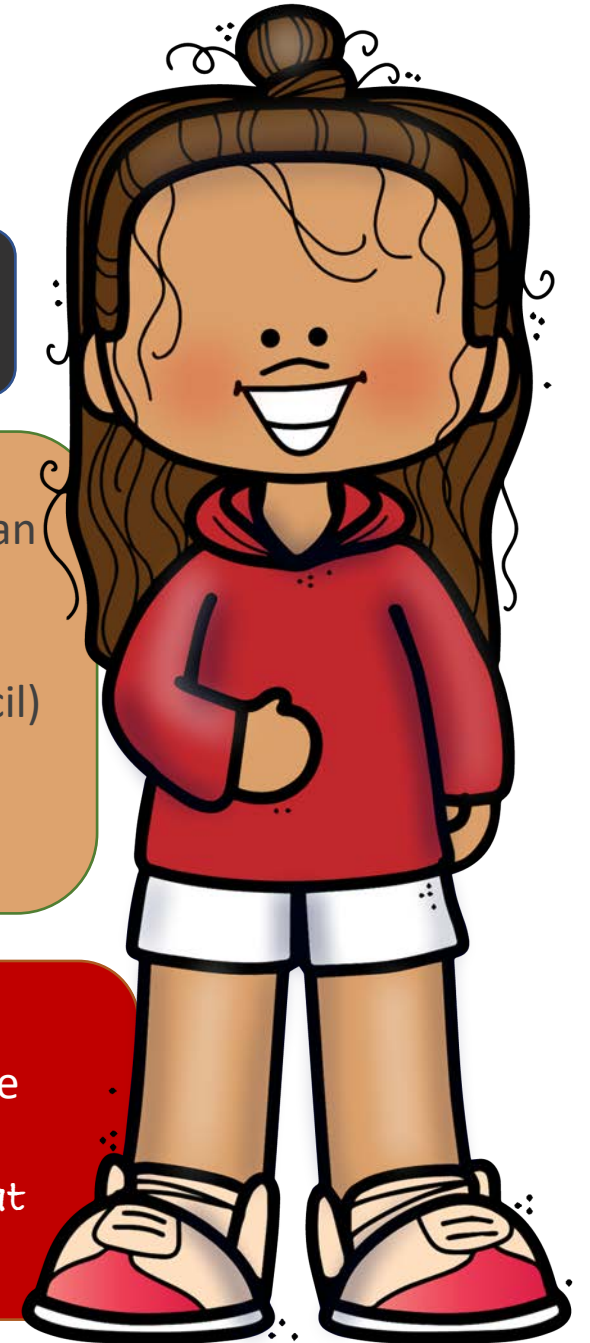
Directions: You're a poet. Did you know it? In this activity we are going to write about families!

Language/Literacy Connection: Vocabulary Development

- Help your student figure out what types of words they want to add to their poem. You can choose from family members on the following word and picture banks, OR pick from the describing words on your symbol sheet or AAC-BBD.
- As the student adds words to their poem, you could let them use their keyboard (or pencil) to spell the word themselves. Don't worry if it isn't perfectly spelled- comment on the letters they choose and see if you understand the words they are making. If you are writing, let them tell you what letters to choose.

Communication Connection: Functional Use of New Core Words & Vocabulary

- Student and Partner talk about your family. Why did they pick the word they did? Tell the student something about your own family- use their AAC-BBD to model while you talk!
- **EXPANSION ACTIVITY-** *Make a poster or card out of the poem to share on the wall at school or to send home to the families!*



My Family Poem

A family is _____.

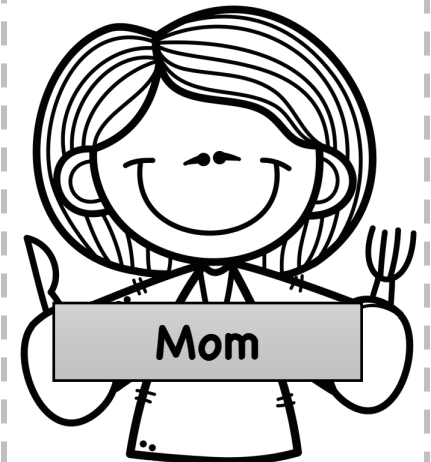
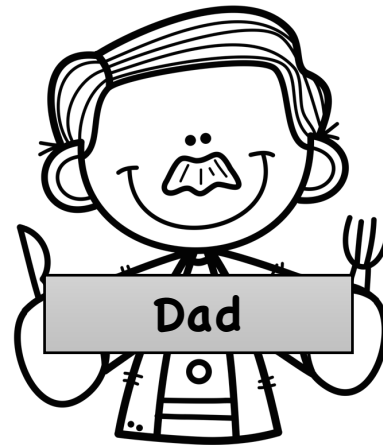
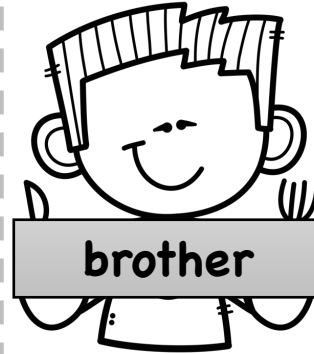
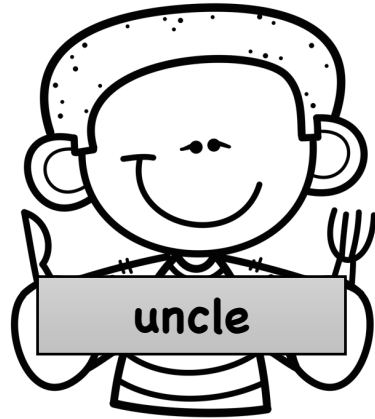
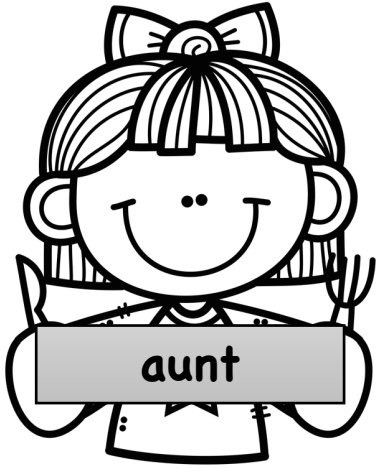
A family is _____.

A family is _____.

But most of all, a family is _____!

By: _____

Poem Picture Bank: Family Names



Poem Word Bank: Family Names

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Mom

Dad

aunt

uncle

sister

brother

cousin

grandmother

grandfather

Poem Picture Bank: Describing Words



friendly



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loyal



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hugs



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fiesty



taking care



help



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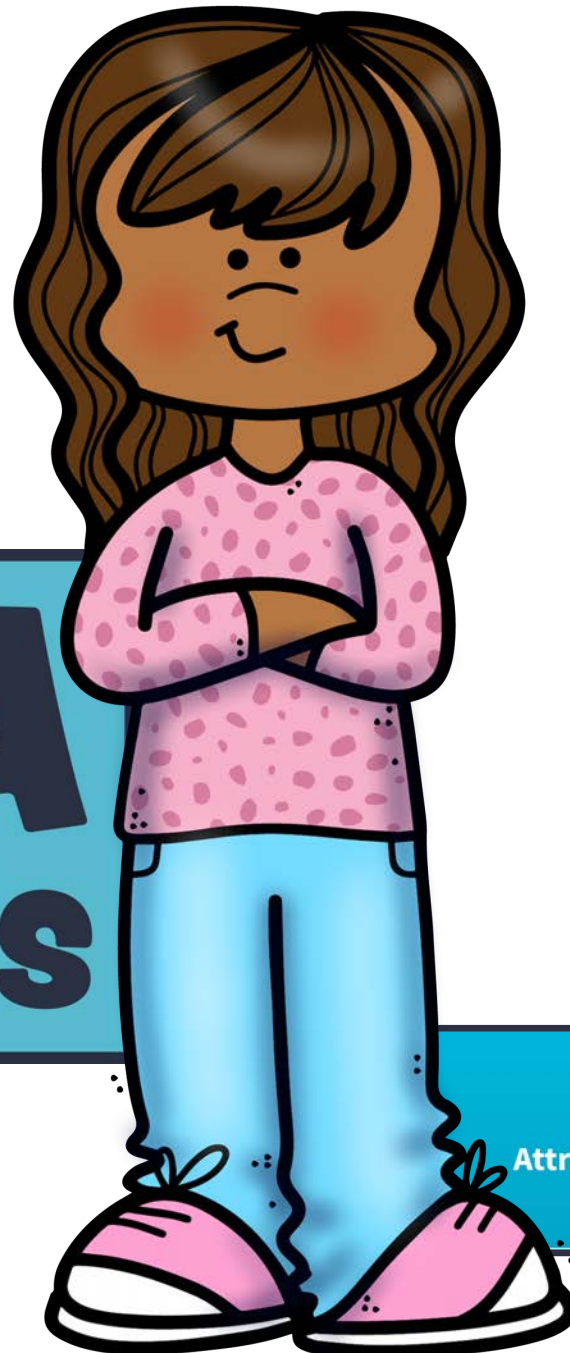
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Credits:



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