Dear Family,

I would like you to do an activity with your child that lasts at least five minutes but less than one hour. I would like you and your child to notice what time it is when you start and to write the time down. I would also like you and your child to notice what time you stop. I would like you to help your child figure out how many minutes the activity took. Finally, I would like your child to draw a picture of the activity and to write down how many minutes the activity took.

In school, we will classify the activities the children did by the amount of time each activity took.

Your child needs to bring this to school by __________________.  
  (date)

Thank you for your help.

Sincerely,