



Family Newsletter for Unit 1

People Everywhere

Learn About It

In this unit, your child will learn:

- how families work and learn together
- about leaders and the rules they make to help people
- about community life

Here are some ways that you can help your child learn:

Talk About It

Lesson 1: Family

Helping and Learning People in a family help each other. Discuss with your child the ways your family works together and teaches each other new things.

Lesson 3: Leaders and Rules

Rules at Home Parents are family leaders who make the rules at home. Talk with your child about your home rules and how they keep your family safe.

Lesson 4: A Community

Community Helpers Every community depends on people like firefighters, librarians, and nurses. Together with your child, discuss how some of the helpers in your community make a difference.

Make It

Community Helper Collage Work with your child to make a collage showing the different kinds of helpers in your community. Help your child draw pictures and cut out photographs from old magazines and paste them on a piece of cardboard.

Read to Learn More About It

Following Rules, by Robin Nelson. Photographs and simple text show children following rules at home and at school.

That's Our Principal! by Ann Morris. Mr. Plaut's busy day as a school principal includes making sure the school is safe and getting to know his students.

On the Town: A Community Adventure by Judith Caseley. Sparked by a school assignment, a boy and his mother explore the people and places that make up their community.



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