

WHAT IS FAMILY?

Divide the class into pseudo-families (*groups will consist of 4 or 5 people, mixed girls and boys*).

Have them come up with a Family Name.

These groups will remain intact throughout the unit.

Class Discussion:

Discuss with the class the definition of family and the different types of families found in society.

Define Family:

Family Types:

Nuclear/Traditional –

Extended –

Blended –

Single Parent –

Childless Couple –

Single Adults –

What is Family? - Worksheet.

Individual Assignment:

Students will fill in the information that pertains to their own family, individually.

Class Activity:

Students will be polled on a set of questions. Signs around the room will indicate whether they Strongly Agree, Agree, Disagree, or Strongly Disagree.

Group Assignment:

Students will work together in groups to discuss the four problems listed at the end of the packet.

Family Facts: - Quiz

Students will take the quiz as a group that reinforces the information they learned about the types of families.