Reading Extension Menu

Grade 2

Theme 5: Family Time

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| **Web**  Choose someone in your family. Think about why this person is special. Turn that web into a 5 sentence paragraph about your family member. Draw a picture of the person to go with the paragraph. | **Family Fun**  Think about something that you like to do with your family. Write an opinion paragraph that tells:  1. what the thing is, 2. when and whom you do it with, and  3. why you like it. Include an illustration. | **Friendly Letter**  Write a letter to the author of the book/selection you are reading. Tell him/her why you DID or DID NOT like the book. Use at least 5 sentences. |
| **Movie Poster**  Pretend your reading selection has just become a movie. Create a movie poster to advertise your book. Include an actor or actress that might play the main character. | **Timeline**  Create a timeline of the main events in the story. Be sure to include at least five. | **Main Idea/Detail Web**  Summarize the main idea in the middle of your web and then support it with at least three details. Be sure to write in complete sentences. |
| **Poem**  Write a poem about how the main character was feeling during the story. | **Journal Entries**  Choose two different characters from the story. Write a journal entry for each of them from their own perspective. | **New Ending**  Create and write a new ending to the story. Then add why you changed it this way. |

Choose one item from each row.

Complete the web with the main idea and \_\_\_ details from the selection.

**Main idea:**

Timeline

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