

Family Life Book Report

After reading your book, fill in the boxes with the requested information.

Title:

Author:

Setting:
(Where and when story takes place)

Tone:
(Funny, serious, sad, hopeful ...)

Plot: (2-3 sentences about what happens)

Main Characters:
(Name and few words of description)

Themes/Messages:
(What does this book have to say about family life?)

Finally: Rate how much you liked this book from one to six. 1=not at all to 6=best book I've read in a long time, and I'd recommend it to others) and write the number on the doorknob.

My Family, Then and Now



Use this worksheet to guide a conversation with parents or grandparents about how aspects of family life were similar and different in earlier times. Based on your interview, you will choose a topic mentioned in the questions below and create a two-page spread using words and pictures to show how your family did that activity or tradition “then and now.” So, take notes. If you have old and new family photos available, use them in your illustrations.

I interviewed _____ on this date _____.

- 1** If your family wanted to go for a walk together when you were growing up, where did you go? What did you see?
- 2** What did your family like to do together for fun?
- 3** What jobs did you do to help out at home?
- 4** Where did you get your food? Did you have a garden? Did you hunt or fish? Did you go to the local grocery store or supermarket?
- 5** What games did you play with your siblings or neighbor children when you were growing up?
- 6** What was your favorite holiday? What did your family do to make it special?
- 7** Who read or told stories in your family? Describe your favorite family reading or storytelling times.
- 8** Did you go on family vacations? Where did you go? How did you travel? Describe a trip you remember.