

Week of _____ Topic #2.1 - My Family and Home Caregiver(s) _____

Big Ideas

- **My family includes the people I live with plus other family members.**
- **My family members have names.**
- **I live with my family in a place we call home.**

Changes to the Environment

Language Materials / Books	Manipulative Exploration	Gross Motor Materials & Equipment / Blocks	Sensory Exploration	Pretend Play	Outdoor Exploration
Picture about my family and community – p. 4 Add books	Add - Putting on and taking off lids, pegboards, felt houses and felt board	Add cardboard brick blocks, pictures of homes, small people figures and small vehicles	Add <i>Textured Houses</i> book	Add dress-up clothes, unbreakable full-length mirror, unbreakable hand mirrors	Add 5 foot long chalk line on sidewalk

Experiences for the Week

Day	Books	Finger Plays, Language and Cognitive	Self, Social and Emotional	Sensory, Art, Nutrition	Movement, Music, and Gross Motor	Transition Times
Monday	First Reading of: <i>Goodnight Moon</i> – p. 9	FP or Song: Hush Little Baby – p. 11 Storytelling Figures: select – p. 10	<i>Places We Call Home</i> book – p. 16	Putting On and Taking Off Lids – p. 20	Tiny Steps – Big Steps – p. 21 Movement and Music – p. 22	Yuri Says – p. 23
Tuesday	Select from Book List – p. 8	FP or Song: Five Little Babies – p. 11 Storytelling Figures: select – p. 10	I Know Someone Special – p. 16	<i>Textured Houses</i> book – p. 18	Tiptoe Through the House – p. 21 Movement and Music – p. 22	Taking Big Steps – p. 23
Wednesday	Second Reading of: <i>Goodnight Moon</i> – p. 9	FP or Song: Helping Daddy Drive – p.12 The Work Families Do – p.13 Made Book: <i>Our Family's Favorite Cereal Book</i> – p. 14	<i>Places We Call Home</i> book – p. 16	Putting On and Taking Off Lids – p. 20	Move Like a Rag Doll – p. 22 Movement and Music – p. 22	A Helper I Will Be – p. 23
Thursday	Select from Book List – p. 8	FP or Song: I Have A Special Grandma – p. 13 Storytelling Figures: select – p. 10	Mirror, Mirror, What Do You See? – p. 17	Cereal for Snack – p. 20	Tiny Steps – Big Steps – p. 21 Movement and Music – p. 22	Yuri Says – p. 23
Friday	Third Reading of: <i>Goodnight Moon</i> – p. 9	FP or Song: Finger Family – p. 13 I'm Bringing Home a Baby Bumblebee – p. 14 Storytelling Figures: select – p. 10	<i>Places We Call Home</i> book – p. 16	<i>Textured Houses</i> book – p. 18	Tiptoe Through the House – p. 21 Movement and Music – p. 22	A Helper I Will Be – p. 23