



I Color Myself Different

Activity 1: Family Structure

Students will learn about and discuss various family structures.

Format:

- Teacher-Facilitated Group Discussion

Materials:

- Computer
- Projector

Instructions:

1. Watch this video about family structures (3mins):
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hpCyiyNgzIE>
2. Facilitate a discussion with the students about what they watched:
 - What is the role of a family?
 - What are some different types of families? Can they describe that family structure?
 - If they feel comfortable sharing, what type of family structure do they have?

Activity 2: Family Portrait

Students will draw their unique family portraits and share them, along with what they like to do with their families, with the class.

Format:

- Individual
- Teacher-Facilitated Group Discussion

Materials:

- None

Instructions:

1. Guide students to draw a family portrait that shows them doing some they enjoy doing together.
2. Have students share their portraits with the class to continue the discussion about the different ways families look.

Activity 3: Self-Portraits

Students will learn about inspiring Brown creatives, leaders and change-makers from the story.

Format:

- Groups of 2

Materials:

- Letter size paper
- Colouring pencils, markers, crayons

Instructions:

1. Instruct students to select one of the inspiring Brown creatives, leaders and change-makers in the story.
2. Have students use the handout to guide them in doing some research to learn more about them.
3. Have students share what they've learned with the class.

Who Am I?

Complete the handout with information about the inspiring creative, leader or change maker you

Name:

selected from the story.

Age:

Where do they live?

Profession:

Something interesting I learned is:

Something inspiring about them is (write or draw):