

# Family Relationships

## Summary

This lesson discusses sibling rivalry, birth order and negative and positive aspects of relationships. This is part of the Family Unit (Fam).

## Main Core Tie

Adult Roles And Responsibilities

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## Time Frame

1 class periods of 70 minutes each

## Background for Teachers

The textbook used is, "Strengthening Family and Self" published by Goodheart-Willcox.

## Intended Learning Outcomes

The students will know: the following are positive characteristics if the family incorporates the skill and negative if the family is lacking the characteristic: commitment, time together, appreciation, communication, decision making, responsibility, problem solving, values and spiritual wellness, family rules and family traditions. The term sibling refers to brothers and sisters. Sibling rivalry means competition among children. Sibling rivalry usually occurs at all stages of life. Level of sibling rivalry is varied according to ages and life events.

## Instructional Procedures

Journal, text, family placement activity, birth order, toothpaste activity, sibling rivalry, and internet quiz.

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