Family Time Brainstorming--Please have your group work on answering these questions in today's and/or next week's family time. Record your team answers here.

## What have you liked about family time?

Share Time

**Snacks** 

The People(Different People)

Making Stuff

Our adult leaders

Games

Thanksgiving and Christmas days

Eating together

Seeing our family member

The activities

Playing Outside

Getting out of class

Thanksgiving & Christmas Parties

Meeting new people

Playing Uno

Christmas/Thanksgiving Activities

Art Projects (Making Snowflakes, Placemats, etc.)

Going outside to play/have free time

making stuff with family members

Having your birthday on family day

Everything

Seeing everyone (different people than in my class)

Having snacks

Making crafts

Hand shakes

Charades

Having free time to just hang out

Connections with each other

Spending time with friends

Sharing things about weekends and breaks

Older kids getting to know younger kids

Playing Games

**Homecoming Banners** 

Big group activities (Thanksgiving and Christmas)

Loved the Christmas and Thanksgiving days

Watching movies

Playing games

When we got candy

Game time

Get out of class

When we have snacks

Playing with other groups

Family birthday party

Played games like Uno, Sorry, Apples to Apples, and Chess

caroling

Holiday stuff

Playing games with family group

Getting to know more people better

It's pretty relaxed

Sitting around having fun and relaxing

Competitions with other families

Doing things with our "cousins"

Holiday activities

Sharing Time

Liked Meals together

## What activities have you disliked?

Holiday Activities too long

Sharing

Doesn't think much of it.

Journals

Don't like to share(younger kids)

Don't like to be called out

Wish times were longer on the Thanksgiving and Christmas days

Going outside when it was cold

Don't like that it's on Monday or in first hour

Homecoming banners

Boring sometimes

Arts and Crafts

Wish it rotated days and times

Boring when it's time to talk

Repetitive

Less activities for Christmas and Thanksgiving... need more time for each activity

Not enough change

New groups every month

Journal Writing

Mr. Roop leaving our family

Timeslot

Losing other class time

Biggie leaving our family

Not enough time

No snacks

The toothpaste activity (wasting it)

Too long not

Not long enough

Do the same thing everyday

Cuts into 1st hour

Everything

Wish it was at a different time/rotating times

More structure(Activities)

Not enough snacks

Compliment Web

Wish it was a different time of day

Missed a lot of 2nd hour

Could be doing more productive things

Wish we could do more things with other families

Missing first hour

Journal writing

Sharing information

Crafts and Making Things

The Gym Activities at Christmas

Always being in the same room

Not having snacks

## What activities/lessons would you like to do during family time?

Playing kickball

Would like to have activities that the older kids could teach the younger kids

Adopt a Soldier to write monthly letters to them

UNO

Large group activities

Battles with other families

Have lunch together more often

**Board Games** 

Go outside more

Charitable events, pick up trash in community, coordinate w/ Chamber or City

Paper plane competitions

Paperbag Puppets

More active games

Bond with other families

Pizza party

Nap time

Family bonding walk

Family trust activities

Family Competitions (i.e. Family Feud)

Scavenger Hunt

Having family time at a different time of the day

Join other families for activities/battle of families

Make food together

Puzzles

Seems like activities are for little kids always

**Family Competitions** 

Outside activities

Basketball

Art

Physical activities

**Projects** 

More physical activities

Mancala

More activities for older students

Put Handprints on wall (like they do in concrete) - make a family tree or wings with handprints

Twister

Relay Races

Eating together

Crafts

Paint a wall

More arts and crafts

**Taking Photographs** 

More charades

**Family Competitions** 

Less organized/go with the flow

Field Trips around town

Going outside

Field Trips

More games

Family time fundraiser to get to do more stuff

Arts and crafts

Valentines activity to get to give to someone of your choice

Free time

Help younger kids make valentines boxes X2 (LOVE THIS!)

Various Card Games

Coloring

Longer projects that we work on from week to week

More cousin time - competition

Games in gym

Play Headbands/Charades

Have competitions with other families

Play more games together

Do projects to build stuff together

Do more productive stuff

Have tutoring/study hall with family every once in a while to help each other

Dodgeball tournament

Have our family go out and help someone in the community like clean up their yard or take down Christmas lights, etc.

Have a family activity day (like Thanksgiving or Christmas) once a month

Longer meeting times

More time with other families

Go Outside

Want to do something original

Guest Speaker w/ something cool to see (like animals)

Family Feud Tournament

Movies

Snacks

Yoga