



UNIT 1 Family



Learning Objectives

- ❖ Know about the family.
- ❖ Understand the relationship of family members.
- ❖ Know about the types of families.
- ❖ Recognise differences between relations and society.
- ❖ Understand that family gives feeling of security.



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DIALOGUE



(**Madhi** and **Kabir** are friends. Both the friends meet in the market.)

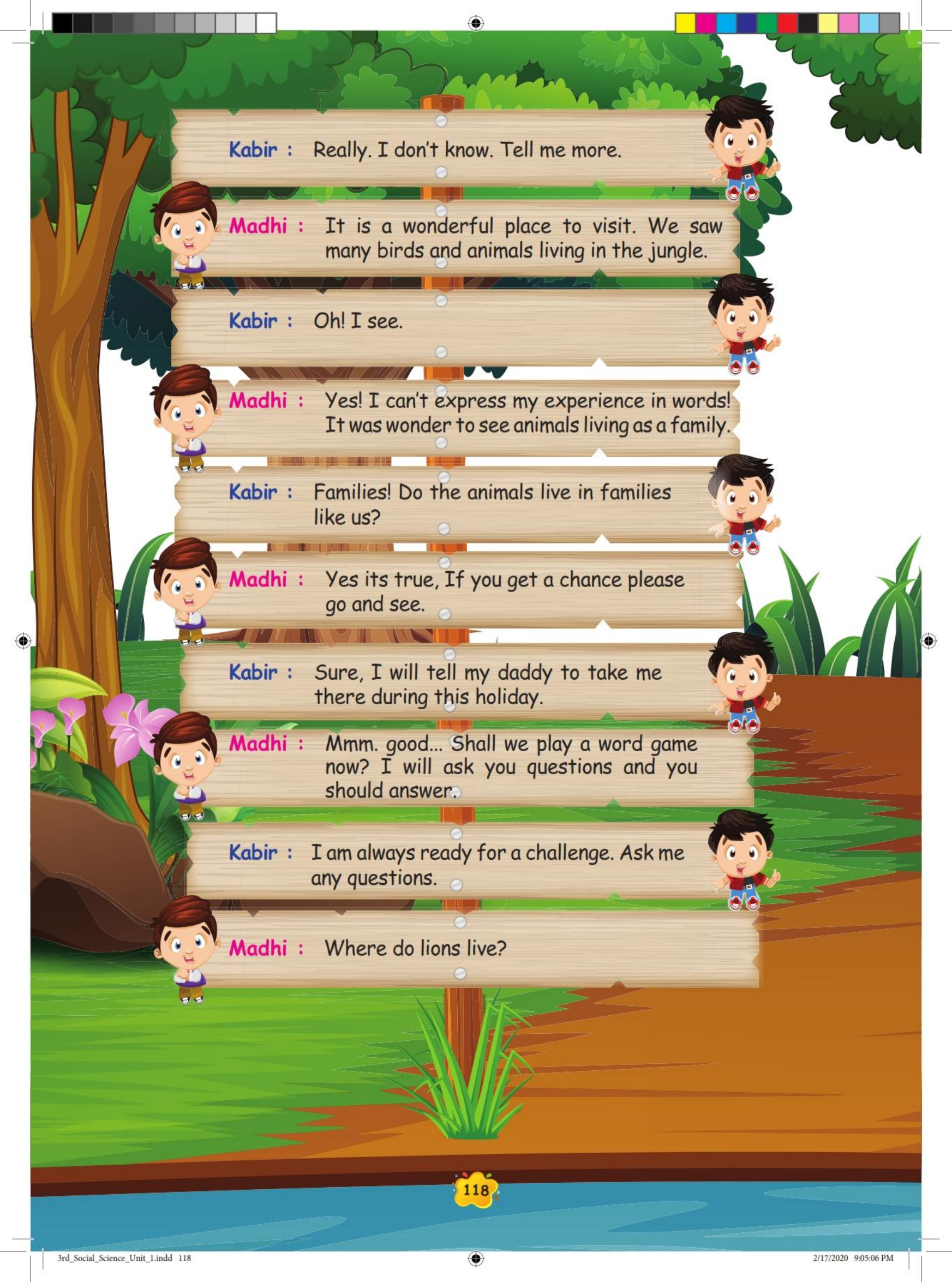


Madhi : Hi! Kabir, It has been so long since we met. How are you?

Kabir : Yeah, I am fine, thanks. I am so happy to see you. How are you?



Madhi : Yeah, I'm fine too. Do you know I went on a tour to Nilgiri jungle (Masinagudi) with my uncle.



Kabir : Really. I don't know. Tell me more.

Madhi : It is a wonderful place to visit. We saw many birds and animals living in the jungle.

Kabir : Oh! I see.

Madhi : Yes! I can't express my experience in words! It was wonder to see animals living as a family.

Kabir : Families! Do the animals live in families like us?

Madhi : Yes its true, If you get a chance please go and see.

Kabir : Sure, I will tell my daddy to take me there during this holiday.

Madhi : Mmm. good... Shall we play a word game now? I will ask you questions and you should answer.

Kabir : I am always ready for a challenge. Ask me any questions.

Madhi : Where do lions live?



Kabir : Very simple. Lions live in jungle.

Madhi : Correct, But Lions live together as a family in caves.



Kabir : Ok, Ask me the next question.

Madhi : Where do birds live?



Kabir : Birds live in the nests, built on trees or in high places.

Madhi : Good. What do we call a group of elephants?



Kabir : **Herd.** Am I right?

Madhi : Exactly, you are right.





Kabir : We learnt that animals live together.

Madhi : Yes, it is true. I'm happy to share my experience with you.



Kabir : Okay! It's time to move.

Madhi : Yes! Let us also join our families.



Dear friends, Let us know about our families.

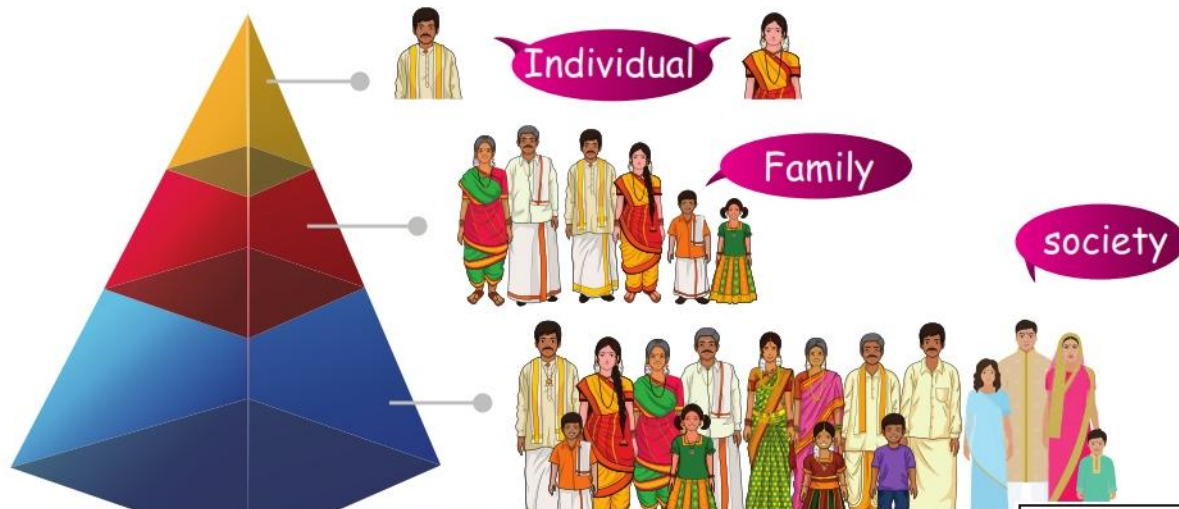


Our Family

Father, mother, children and other close relations live together is called a **family**.



How many families live in your street?



Individuals together make a family and families together make a **society**.



People with **diversity** in language, culture and habits live all over the world in families.



Indian family



Mexican family



Chinese family



African family



Scottish family



Russian family

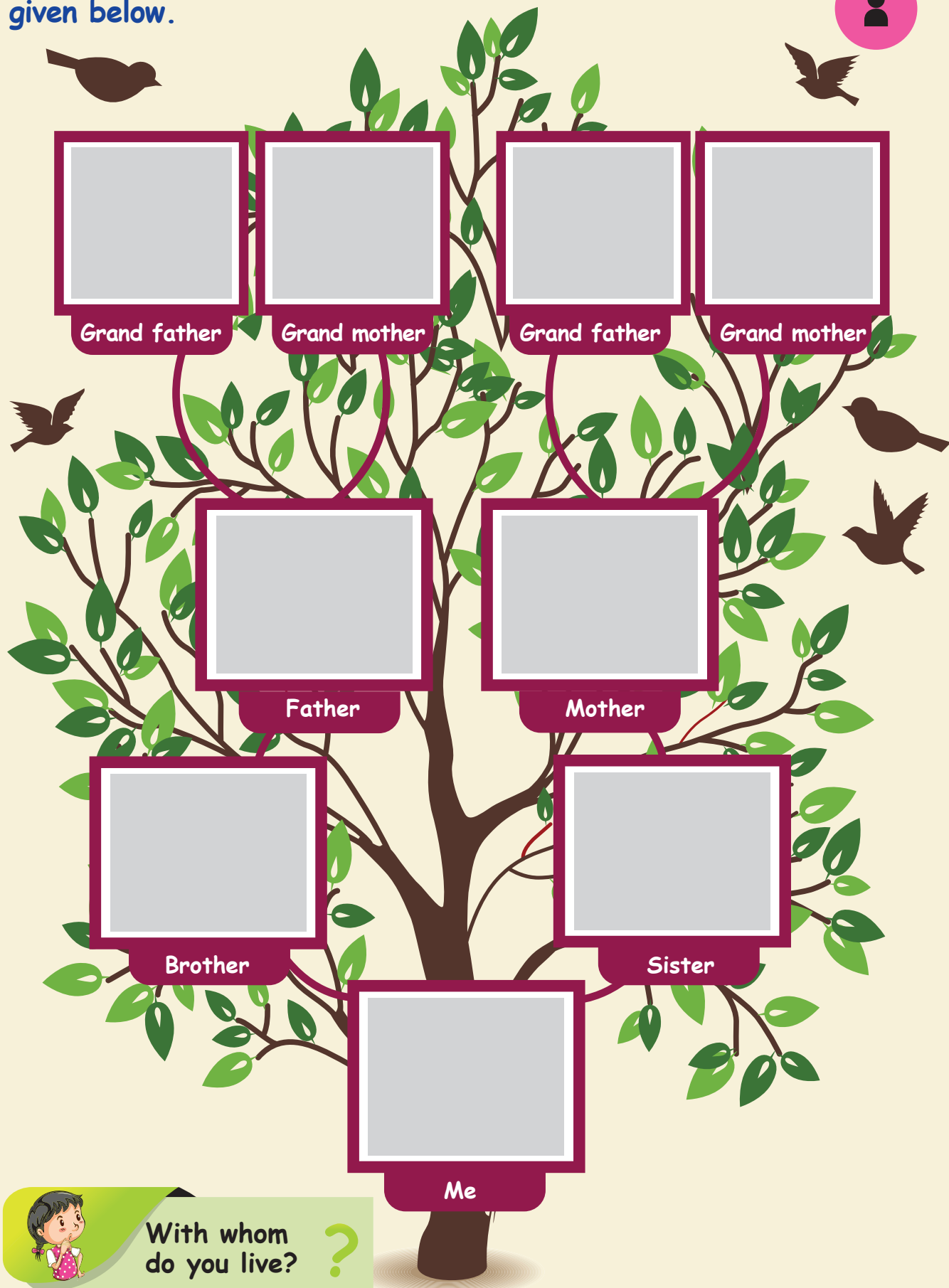


Japanese family



Arab family

Paste the pictures of your family in the family tree given below.





Relations

Maternal Relations

Relations through
our mother are called
Maternal Relations

Paternal Relations

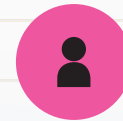
Relations through
our father are called
Paternal Relations



ACTIVITY

Let us write

List out the names of
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and Paternal relations
of your family.

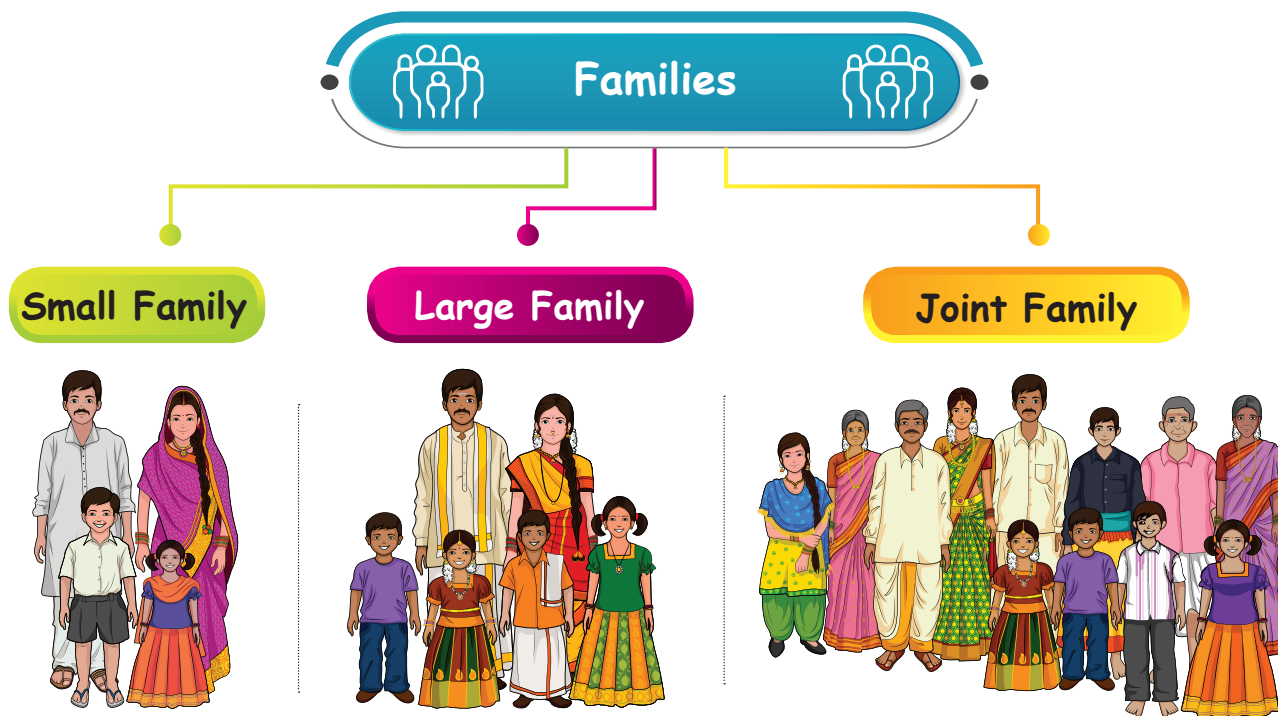


My Maternal relatives

My Paternal relatives



Types of families



What do you see in the pictures given above?

- 1 In the first picture only mother, father and children are seen. This type of family is called a **small family** or a **nuclear family**.
- 2 The family in the second picture is having father, mother and more than two children. This type of family is called a **large family** or an **extended family**.
- 3 The family in third picture is very big. We can see that two or three generations live together. This type of family is called a **joint family**.



Special values of the family

- Family fulfill our basic needs like food, clothing and shelter.
- Family is the first school for the development of physical and moral growth of a person.
- There are several values that bind the family members together. Such **values** are:

Love and Affection



Respect



Protection



Sharing



ACTIVITY
Let us write



List out the other **values** that bind the family members together.

Tolerance

Unity of the family

It is better to work together than to do it alone. In this way work load will be reduced and relationship will be strengthened. This will help for the **Unity of the family**.



As children it is good to do our work by ourselves. It is better to manage and keep our things in the right places. This not only makes us disciplined but also helps us to save time, as we have to spend time to search for things.

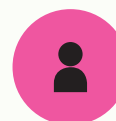


How do you manage your things? ?
Discuss with your friend.

Our - Relations

Apart from our family members, distant relatives also come to our house. All the family members meet during family festivals. When they come to our house we should welcome them. We should talk with them and help them to fulfill their needs. This is the way to respect them. **Hospitality** towards guests is the best value among Tamilians. This strengthens our relationship.

How do you call your relations?



- 1 Mother's mother _____
- 2 Father's father _____
- 3 Father's sister _____
- 4 Mother's brother _____



How should you behave when the relatives come? ?



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Cooking

Washing

Earn for the family

Going to shop

Clean the floor

Switch off the lights and fans when not in use

WHO DOES WHAT?



Outsiders

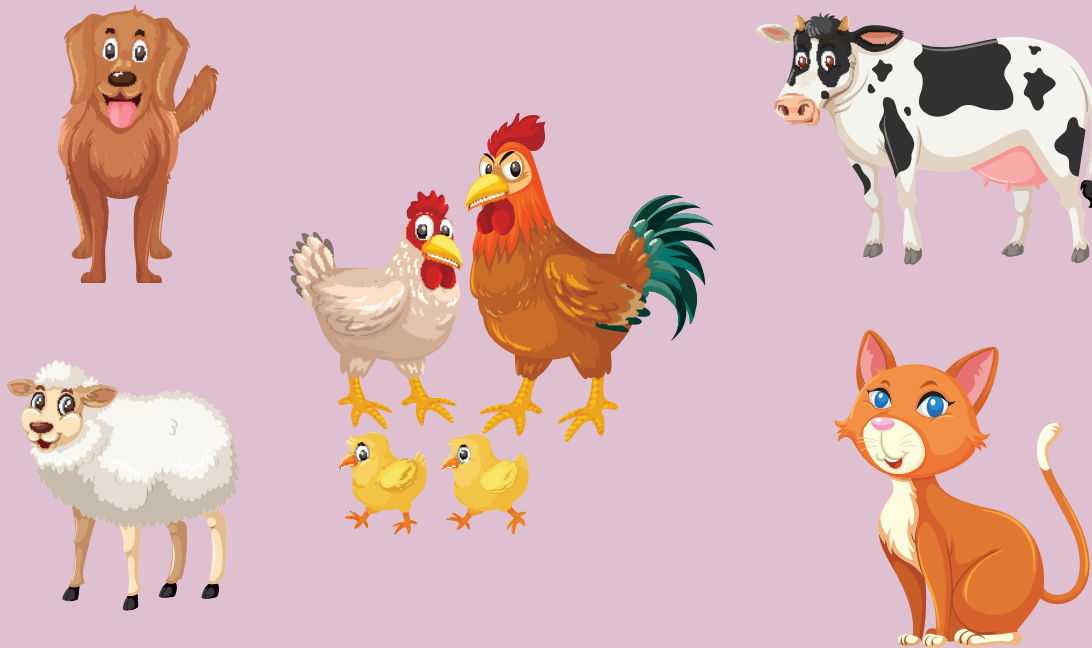
Apart from our relatives, other people come to our house. Many **outsiders** like milkman, vegetable vendors, and cylinder supplier also come. We must behave carefully with them too.

Neighbours

Many families live near our home. We call them **neighbours**. It is good to keep cordial relationship with them. When needed, we must help each other. This value ensures our safety.



Some families are rearing **pet animals** like their family members.



Is there any pet animal in your house?





Budget of the family

Income and Expenditure is important for any family. We must spend according to our income. Basic needs should be fulfilled first. We must act according to the **budget system**. Economic crisis occur when expenditure exceeds income. **Simplicity** is the best policy.



Glossary

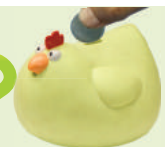
Fulfill : achieve
Hospitality: warm reception
Values : moral principles



How many members
in your family earn
for livelihood?



Do you save
money?



Recap

- Basic unit of the society is family.
- Basic needs like food, clothing and shelter are fulfilled by the family.
- Inter dependence of family members help in becoming good citizens and develop harmony.
- Family teaches us the values of discipline, morals and the habit of sharing.
- A family must run within the budget to ensure economical security.
- Family helps us to feel safe and secure.





EVALUATION



I. Choose the correct answer.

1. The basic unit of the society is _____.
a) village b) town c) family
2. _____ is one of our basic needs.
a) Sofa b) Shelter c) Car
3. Father, mother and children living together is called _____.
a) small family b) big family c) joint family
4. _____ is the best cultural value of Tamilians.
a) Hospitality b) Celebrating festivals c) Going to temple
5. Running the family by preparing _____ is the best way to improve economy.
a) wealth b) money c) budget

II. Match the following.

| | | |
|----------------------|---|-----------------------|
| 1. Character | - | should live in unity |
| 2. Sharing work | - | uncle |
| 3. Maternal relation | - | vegetable vendors |
| 4. Outsiders | - | improve relationships |
| 5. Neighbours | - | respect |

III. True or False.

1. A family fulfills all our basic needs. ()
2. Our neighbours are our relatives. ()
3. Our economy improves when expenditure exceeds income. ()
4. We must keep our things in their respective places. ()
5. Simplicity is the best policy for every family. ()



IV. Answer the following.

1. Name the types of families.
2. What do you mean by joint family?
3. What are the values that we learn from our family?
4. Who are our neighbours?
5. Write a note on 'Budget'.



FUN WITH ACTIVITY

PROJECT



Prepare your family budget on the basis of the table given below and put a tick at the right place.

| Income (Rupees) | | Expenditure (Rupees) | |
|------------------------|--------|------------------------|--------|
| Criteria | Amount | Criteria | Amount |
| Salary (income) | | Rice, groceries | |
| | | Vegetables | |
| Other source of income | | | |
| | | | |
| | | | |
| Total | | Total | |

- Income and Expenditure are same
- Income is more than expenditure
- Income is lesser than expenditure

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