







Dear Families,

Going to school can sometimes cause separation anxiety in young children; this doesn't just happen to "first timers" who have never been to school.

No matter what the grade, students often miss their families at some point during the day.

Sometimes all it takes to comfort a lonely child, is to look at a photograph of their loved ones.

I thought it would be nice to decorate a school family tree, where children could go to catch a glimpse of mom, dad, siblings and even pets.

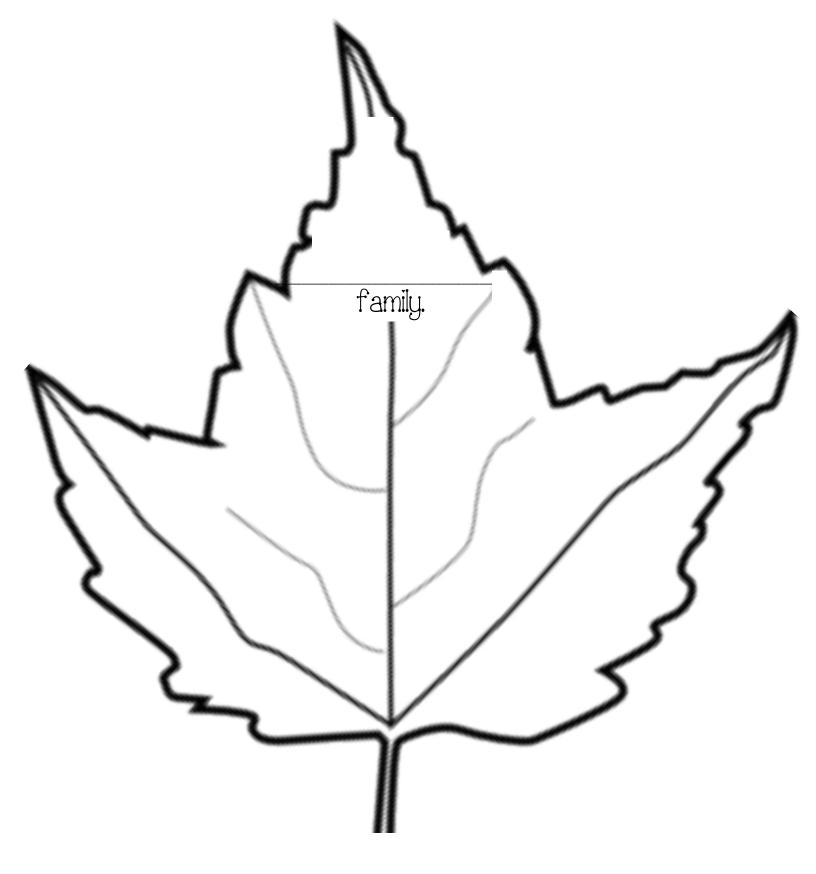
Enclosed is a construction paper leaf. Please take a picture of your family, including pets, glue it to the leaf and cut it out.

Fill in the blank with your child's first name. i.e. Kelli's family, and return it to school by:

Students will be showing and sharing their leaf with their classmates and then putting it on our big family tree.

Thanks in advance for your cooperation. If you have any questions, feel free to give me a call.

Educationally yours,



Please glue a photograph of your family to the middle of the leaf; cut it out and fill in the blank with your child's name.

Print this sign off and glue it to the center of a big red paper heart. Put the heart in the center of your tree trunk.



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