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Families Have Rules



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Word Count: 71*

The Big Idea

Different families may have the same rules for their children at home.

Skills at a Glance

Monitor-Reading

- Read aloud to clarify

Comprehension

- Identify stated main idea and supporting details

Phonemic Awareness and Phonics

- Initial and final /t/ (set, table, teeth)

Content Vocabulary

- bed, brush, hands, table

Fluency

- Stop at the end of each sentence

Sentence Patterns

- This ____ has a ____.
- The ____ is ____.

Language Development

- Use commands

* Numerals and vocabulary words on pages 4 and 5 are not included in the word count of this book.

Theme:

Rules

What rules does your family have?



Social Studies

What rules does your family have?



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I need to know these words.

dishes



family



homework



rule



This family has a rule.

The rule is, “Do your homework.”



This family has a rule.
The rule is, “Make your bed.”



This family has a rule.

The rule is, “Wash your hands.”



This family has a rule, too.
The rule is, "Wash the dishes."



This family has a rule.
The rule is, "Set the table."



This family has a rule.
The rule is, “Brush your teeth.”



Do you have rules?

