

#### **LEVEL 1 UNIT 2 Novice Low**

Course: World Language	Grade Level: Level 1
Unit Title: My Friends and Family	Length of Unit: ~ 6 weeks

**Unit Summary:** Students will continue their introduction to the target language by learning how to communicate around topics of friends and family. Through building on their beginner's vocabulary and grammar, they will understand when and how people say simple things about families and friends as well as be able to prepare basic statements that communicate information about friends and families. Additionally, students will learn how family and friendship structures differ across cultures.

## **Stage 1- Desired Results**

### STANDARDS Interpretive (NL)

I can identify the general topic and some basic information in both very familiar and everyday contexts by recognizing practiced words, phrases, and simple sentences in texts that are spoken, written, or signed.

### Interpersonal (NL)

I can communicate in spontaneous spoken, written, or signed conversations on both very familiar and everyday topics, using a variety of practiced words, phrases, simple sentences, and questions.

### Presentational (NL)

I can present information on both very familiar and everyday topics using a variety of practiced words,

#### **Transfer**

Students will be able to independently use their learning to...

communicate appropriately with people from other cultures.

# Meaning

ENDURING UNDERSTANDINGS

Students will understand that...

Students will know...

Students will understand that concepts of family and friendship vary across cultures.

ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS

Students will continue to consider the following question(s). . .

Who are the people in my life?

### **Acquisition**

Language Functions:

- Give a description using one or two short adjectives or adverbs
- Respond to a simple question

Students will be able to...

#### Interpretive

- Recognize and identify words and phrases in an authentic text
- ☐ Recognize familiar words and phrases from a

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phrases, and simple sentences through spoken, written, or signed language.  From ACTFL World Readiness Standards Modal Proficiency Benchmarks	Say that one is happy or sad Say that one likes or doesn't like something Recount what one is doing in short, memorized sentences Express one's plans simply for later in the day, the next day, weekend  Related Structures/patterns  question structure (inversion, est-ce que, ¿.? possessive adjectives, comparatives comparative adjectives  Priority Vocabulary  to be to have regular activities (reg. verbs) sport vocab activity vocab personal and descriptive adjectives	video Identify some key information in a text Recognize some events from a story timeline  Interpersonal Ask for and give information about familiar, practiced topics. Exchange information using technology Interact online to get information and ask questions Interact to ask and answer simple questions  Presentational Identify/name people or items I list activities, events, or preferences Present a brief description of a person or event  From ACTFL World Readiness Standards "I can" statements

Stage 2- Evidence					
Evaluation Criteria	Assessment Evidence				
Task Rubric Interpersonal Interpretive Presentational	PERFORMANCE TASK(S): French IPA German IPA Spanish IPA				
	OTHER EVIDENCE				
	STUDENT SELF-ASSESSMENT & REFLECTION.				
	Stage 3- Learning Plan				

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Learning Activity/Formative Assessment (Sample activities are listed from the beginning to the end of the unit).	Mode of Communication		
Hook: Video or song about family			
Compare family sizes between countries	Interpretive		
Describe a celebration that is important to you	Presentational		
Express what you think makes a family	Presentational / Interpersonal		
Express why family/friends are important	Presentational / Interpersonal		
Explain a celebration	Presentational / Interpersonal		
Identify/name family members and give relationship	Presentational		
Explain what you do with family/friends	Presentational		
Compare information about two different families from different places in the target culture	Interpretive		
Read an infographic about families in the target culture	Interpretive		

Technology Integration: <a href="http://www.voki.com/">http://www.voki.com/</a> - allows student to select an avatar and record <a href="https://screencast-o-matic.com/">https://screencast-o-matic.com/</a> or <a href="https://www.screencastify.com/">https://screencastify.com/</a> - allows students to record voice with PPT slides

Resources:			
French:			
German:			
Spanish:			