

F-LAN CHINESE CURRICULUM PROJECT

MY EXTENDED WORLD (PART 2) - Level 3

UNIT 2: Family and Community

ENDURING UNDERSTANDING:	ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS :	AP Theme
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students understand that they are a part of family units in society. Students understand the different practice between Chinese families and American families as to celebrate birthdays and holidays. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Who are in my extended family? What is the immigration history of my family? What activities do I do with my family in the community? How does my family celebrate holidays? Why do my family celebrate certain holidays? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Families and Communities

What will students be able to do by the end of this unit:

<p>Speaking/ Listening <i>(interpersonal and presentational)</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students can introduce their extended family members. Students can converse with a peer about their family tree and heritage. Students can describe the appearance and personality of their relatives. Students interview native speakers and exchange information on how family celebrate traditions in different cultures.
<p>Reading <i>(interpretive)</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students can demonstrate the knowledge from an authentic birthday invitation. Students can identify key family members and interpret main ideas by reading a famous Chinese person’s biography and family history.
<p>Writing <i>(presentational and interpersonal)</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students can use a graphic organizer to compare and contrast birthday parties between China and America. Students can create their own birthday invitation. Students can write a letter to a Chinese pen pal about what happened at the 70th birthday celebration.

Topic 1: Extended Family

Duration: About 10 hours

Vocabulary	Phrases/Grammar
1. 来自 2. 代 generation 3. 祖父 Father's mother 4. 祖母 Father's mother 5. 外祖父 Mother's father 6. 外祖母 Mother's mother 7. 继父 Stepfather 8. 继母 Stepmother 9. 表 used to express cousin with different last name 10. 堂 used to express cousin with same last name 11. 亲戚 Relatives 12. 夫妻 Husband and wife 13. 孩子 Children 14. 关系 Relationship 15. 和谐 Harmonious	<p>你的家来自哪里? Where did your family come from? 我的家来自中国。My family is from China. 请你讲一讲你的家。Please talk about your family. 我的家很大。My family is big. 你有亲戚吗? 他们是谁? Do you have many relatives? Wh我有亲戚。他们是爷爷奶 奶、外公外婆、表哥表弟。奶、外公外婆、表哥表弟。I have grandparents from both dad and mom's sides. also cousins. 你常常去看你的亲戚吗? Do you see your relatives often? 是的,我常常去看他们。Yes, I offer visit them. 你家亲戚在一起的时候都做什么? What do you do when there is a family gathering? 我和亲戚一起去中国城吃饭,也打电脑游戏。We go to Chinatown to eat and also play computer games. 你们的家过什么节日? What holidays do you celebrate with your family? 我们的家过春节、中秋节、和端午节。We celebrate the Chinese New Year, the Moon Festival, and the Dragon Boat Festival. 你们家的家庭关系怎么样? What kind of family relationships do you have? 我们的家庭关系很好! Our family relationship is very strong!</p> <p>Grammar: . 一边。。。一边。。。 (while) is used when two actions are taking place at the same time. 我一边开车一边听音乐。 while I am driving, I am listening music.</p>
<p>Supplementary</p> 1. 严 Strict 2. 关心 Care and love 3. 热情 Warm 4. 养父 Adopted father 5. 养母 Adopted mother 6. 单亲妈妈 single mom	<p>为了。。。 (for) for a purpose 为了买这件礼物,我花了一百美元。 I spent \$100 for this gift.</p>

Topic 2: Family Activities in the Community

Duration: About 10 hours

Vocabulary	Phrases/Grammar
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 购物中心 Shopping center 2. 超市 Supermarket 3. 博物馆 Museum 4. 动物园 Zoo 5. 市区 Urban 6. 郊区 Suburb 7. 教堂 Church 8. 湖 Lake 9. 海滩 Seashore 10. 爬山 hiking 11. 风景 Scenery 12. 露营 Camping 13. 野餐 Picnic 14. 幽默 Humorous 15. 外向 Extrovert 	<p>你有空的时候喜欢和家人做什么？ In your spare time, what do you normally do with your family?</p> <p>要是没有很多作业，我们会去亲戚家。 If I do not have a lot of homework, we will go to visit my relatives.</p> <p>你的姥姥家住在哪儿？ Where does your grandma live?</p> <p>她住在郊区。 She lives in the suburbs.</p> <p>你为什么喜欢和你的大表哥一起玩？ Why do you like to spend time with your oldest cousin?</p> <p>因为他很幽默，很会玩。 Because he is humorous, and playful.</p> <p>你们会去哪里玩？ Where do you normally go?</p> <p>我们去湖边钓鱼。 We go fishing by the lake.</p> <p>我们要么去逛街买东西，要么去海边游泳。 We either go shopping or go to the beach.</p> <p>Grammar:</p> <p>要是 (if)</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">要是下雨，我就在家看电视。</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">If it rains, then I stay home to watch TV.</p> <p>要么.....要么..... (either...or...)</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">周末，我要么去姥姥家，要么去奶奶家。</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">I either visit my mom's mom or visit my dad's mom at weekend.</p>

Topic 3: My Family Celebrations

Duration: About 10 hours

Vocabulary	Phrases/Grammar
1. 节日 Holiday 2. 母亲节 Mother's Day 3. 父亲节 Father's Day 4. 情人节 Valentine's Day 5. 国庆节 4th of July 6. 万圣节 Halloween 7. 感恩节 Thanksgiving 8. 圣诞节 Christmas 9. 新年 New Year Day 10. 团聚 Family reunion 11. 颜色 Colors 12. 火鸡大餐 Turkey dinner 13. 派对 Party 14. 游行 Parade 15. 服装 Costume 16. 糖 Candy 17. 装饰 Decoration	<p>中国人过美国节日吗? Do Chinese people celebrate American holidays? 有的节日过, 有的节日不过。We celebrate some holidays. 中国人过美国节日时都做什么? What do Chinese people do to celebrate American holidays? 我家过节的时候一起吃团圆饭。My family has a big feast together. 过XX节时, 你都买什么装饰品? /你怎么装饰你的家? When you celebrate ____, what do you buy to decorate your house?/How do you decorate your house? 春节的颜色是红色。它象征幸福。 The color for Chinese New Year is red, and it is a symbol of happiness. 中国人通常怎么过生日? How Chinese people celebrate birthdays? 我们一起去中国城吃饭。We all go to Chinatown for dinner. 中国人过生日的时候都吃什么? What cuisine do Chinese people eat to celebrate birthday? 中国人过生日的时候送什么礼物? What presents do Chinese people give for birthdays?</p> <p>Grammar: 的时候 (When) 中国人过生日的时候送么礼物? What presents do Chinese people give when celebrating birthdays?</p> <p>有的.....有的..... (Some...some...) 有的人过万圣节, 有的人不过。 Some people celebrate Halloween, some do not.</p>

CULTURAL CONNECTIONS

1. Students will be able to tell the different ways to address cousins in an extended Chinese family.
2. Students will understand that some birthdays are very important in China, such as 70th, 80th, 90th. Chinese families will have big celebrations on these birthdays.