Family Tree

An exciting activity that you can create with the help of your immediate and extended family is creating a family tree. Communicate with your relatives and collaboratively get involved to create a piece of work that will be relevant for years to come.

A family tree is the most common form of visually documenting one's ancestry. Most family trees include a box for each individual and each box is connected to the others to indicate relationships. In addition to an individual's name, each box may include dates, birthplace, and other relevant information, depending on the complexity of the family tree diagram.

Tips when creating your Family Tree

- The easiest way to draw a family tree is start with a family tree template

- Decide how many generations you want to show

- Start drawing from yourself backward or from the oldest generation downward

- Each individual in your family will be represented with a box connected to others with lines that indicate relationships

- Add descendants, ancestors, spouses, and siblings

- In addition to names, you can also add birth dates as well as pictures, or anything else that would enhance your tree

- To make your family tree easy to understand, each layer should represent a single generation.

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