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Activity 1: Discover a New Religion

Activity Description:

Help your family understand religions by learning about them. At breakfast ask your kid(s) which religion they don't know much about, but would like to learn more. Tell your kid(s) that your family will do research after school today. During the day, take a few minutes to look up some good resources about the religion(s) you choose to research.

Some possible websites to brows:

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/religion/religions/>

<http://www.religioustolerance.org/worldrel.htm>

<http://www.religionfacts.com>

You can also remind your kids to introduce themselves to someone they don't know at school today. Share with them possible conversation ice breakers.

Activity 2: At the Dinner Table

Activity Description:

Your family can share the information you found about different religions.

Each person can say a few facts they learned and found interesting.

It would be fun to have some foods to try that are from different cultures or religious back grounds. If you have time to purchase something of interest before dinner, share it at dinner.

Ask how their day went at school. Did they meet or talk to anyone new? Do they want to follow up by getting to know that kid better? Possibly set up a play date or some other activity where they can continue to get to know each other.