



## Commissioner's Book Club: The Family Book

### Discussion guide

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Art can help make things better in society. It can do this in many ways. One way is by showing people what's unfair in the world. Art can also help people understand each other better. When we read a story about someone's life, we can imagine what it's like to be them. Art can also be a way for people to stand up for what's right and to feel like we all belong.

We hope that both adults and children will engage with these books, and that caregivers find these discussion questions useful in initiating conversations with the young people in their lives:

- ★ What makes your family special?
- ★ Did you see a family in the book that reminds you of yours? Did you see a family that is different than yours?
- ★ What do you think makes a family a family? Can a family be made of friends too?
- ★ What do you like to do with your family?
- ★ How do you show care in your family? How does your family take care of each other?
- ★ What is something fun your family does together?