

Social Studies-Sociology-The elderly

Discuss ways your family could assist an elderly person. Some ideas might be to send cards, pick some flowers, bake cookies, run errands, or stop in for a visit. Read some go-along books to discover how other children found ways to help an elderly person. List things elderly people might not be able to do on the outside of each flap. Lift flaps and record ways to help under each flap.

Some go-along books about children helping the elderly:

Dan and Gramps by Jean Watson

Special Friends by Terry Berger

The River That Gave Gifts: an Afro-American Story
by Margo Humphrey



Cut book out as one piece. Fold tri-fold style (sides to the center with cover on top).