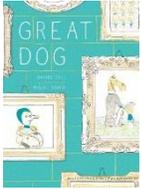
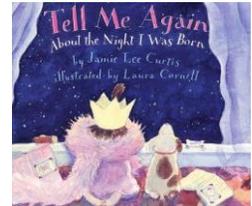


November is: Family Stories Month

Read these stories together. Then spend time with Mom, Dad or a grandparent and share your own family stories. Tell stories about what you've and your ancestors have done. Imagine what you may do in the future.



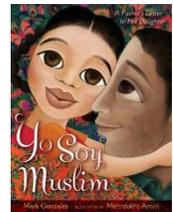
Cali, Davide. [Great Dog](#). (A puppy looks at the portraits in his hallway, and his father tells him the story of his family.)



Curtis, Jamie Lee. [Tell Me Again: about the Night I was Born](#). (In this story about adoption, a child enjoys the tale of her birth)



Diaz, Junot. [Islandborn](#). (A young Dominican American child learns her family's history by asking for stories from relatives and neighbors.)



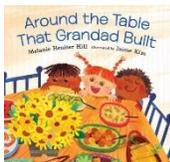
Gonzales, Mark. [Yo Soy Muslim](#). (A father writes a beautiful poem to his daughter to help her be proud of who she is.)



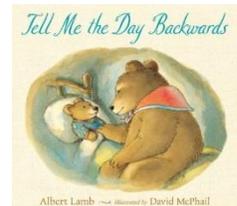
Harshman, Marc. [One Big Family](#). (A family reunion is full of stories, meals and fun together.)



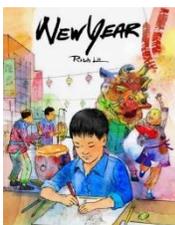
Hegarty, Patricia. [We Are Family](#). (Many families doing things together all over the world)



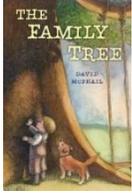
Hill, Melanie Heuser. [Around the Table that Grandad Built](#). (A family celebrates a meal together as they recall where all the how their history contributed to the meal.)



Lamb, Albert. [Tell Me the Day Backwards](#). (Timmy Bear and his mama recount the day, one event at a time.)



Lo, Rich. [New Year](#). (A child moves from Hong Kong to America. He finds acceptance and a way to tell his story when his drawings inspire the class to decorate the classroom with symbols of Chinese New Year.)



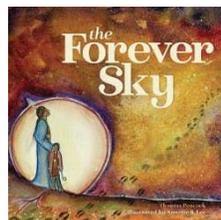
McPhail, David. [The Family Tree](#). (A boy fights for a tree that has been in his family for generations.)

Norman, Kimberly. [Come Next Season](#). (A family enjoys the different seasons.)



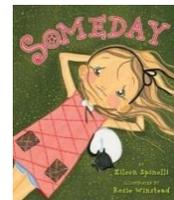
O'Leary, Sara. [A Family is a Family is a Family](#). (A teacher asks each child to draw a picture and to tell what makes each family special and unique.)

O'Leary, Sara. [When You Were Small](#). At bedtime, a creative father tells his son tall tales about when he was small.



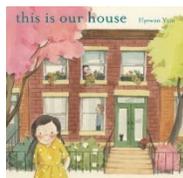
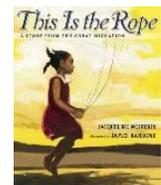
Peacock, Thomas. [The Forever Sky](#). (Nighttime is the perfect time to share ancestor stories about the sky and stars.)

Spinelli, Eileen. [Someday](#) (A young girl dreams of what her future will be, while comparing it to the present day.)



Watts, Jeri. [A Piece of Home](#). (A young boy moves to the US from Korea with his family. Keeping tradition helps him and his family to acclimate.)

Woodson, Jacqueline. [This is the Rope](#). (A young girl tells the story of a jump rope that belonged to her grandmother, and all the ways it was used for three generations.)



Yum, Hyewon. [This is Our House](#). (A child tells the story of her family as she looks at different parts of her house.)