

Sample Cocoon

MY SISTER - "MI MA-MICHA". GRANDMA - EDWARD "MI PAPA SITO"
 MOM ENTERS HER "SPICY PINTO BEAN CAKE" IN THE PILLSBURY BAKE-OFF ... SHE DOESN'T WIN!
 PETER PAN IS MY FAVORITE STORY
 CHINESE FOOD
 SUMMERS AT ABE MARCUS POOL
 I TELL MY COUSIN VIRGINIA THAT STICKS AND STONES MAY BREAK MY BONES BUT WORDS WILL NEVER HURT ME... SHE THROWS A BRICK AT ME!!!
 "I LOVE MUSIC!"
 "LA ENCANCHITA"
 CLARICE GARDNER
 HILDA
 BORN: YUMA ARIZONA 11/19/51-6:30 P.M.
 "MEXICAN - BILINGUAL!"
 "I AM ALWAYS LAUGHING!"
 TETHER BALL
 YUMAS 1969 N.A.U. 1973
 ROOSEVELT ELEMENTARY 4TH AVE. JR. HIGH
 I TELL EVERYONE THAT I WOULD NEVER BE A TEACHER... I TEACH FOR 20 GREAT YEARS!
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 I PLAY FOR HOURS UNDER THE LEWIS TREE + J.B.
 "WE THE PAGES OF THE SEARS CATALOG WITH COUSIN MARTY"
 "I WAS A BLUEBIRD!" "RUSHY" THE DOG
 "MUD TAMALES" "MARMALADE" KIMMY
 "WITH LITTLE ROCK DRIVES!"
 MARJORIE MAY DANCE SCHOOL
 "SARAH"
 SARAH - SARAH - DAVID - STEVE - JIM - MRS. SKEVINGTON - JOAN - RUTH -
 BELINDA - LONNA -
 KYLE MY NEPHEW - 0199
 "I LOVE TO SING"
 1995 I WRITE MY FIRST BOOK!
 ST. FRANCIS
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Cocoon of My Culture

Observe your teacher modeling his or her cocoon of culture.

Draw a free form shape that will represent your cocoon, using a blank sheet of paper. Then draw an inside line to form a shell around your cocoon.

Fill in your cocoon. In the the outer shell, put the names of people who have loved, protected and guided you in life. In the inner part of your cocoon write or draw pictures to represent these things:

- your date and place of birth
- the neighborhood you grew up in
- the foods you grew up eating
- games you played as a child
- the music you grew up listening to
- family pets
- rituals and traditions you practiced
- how your family celebrates special events
- words you live by
- the most important thing you give to others
- what you believe makes you unique
- what helps you keep balance in your life
- a special dream you have

Add anything else that you would like to express as a part of your culture cocoon. Be as creative as you like.

Post your cocoon for others to see.