

CD Case Photo Holder

Kids create family photo holders to remind them that we are all one big family.

Supplies:

- Family or school photos that can be cut, old magazines, old calendar pictures, and/or other printed materials
- Clear plastic CD cases, one per kid
- Rulers
- Pencils
- Scissors
- Solid-colored paper to mat the photos
- Glue sticks or double-sided tape
- Markers
- Hole punches (optional)
- Edging scissors (optional)
- Other craft/scrapbooking tools (optional)

Set Up:

Gather favorite photos or pictures that can be used for this project.

Instructions:

The story about the early Christians told a great story about people who treated each other like family. The early believers in our story shared everything with each other because they knew that doing that would make God happy.

As Christians, we really are all one big family. I know you all have favorite pictures – and some of you brought those with you today. You're going to use a CD case to make a unique photo holder. You'll use pictures of the people and places you love most to remind you that we are all one big family!

1. Have kids measure their CD cases to determine how to cut the mat paper and the photos/pictures they would like to use in their holders. Each kid will need at least four photos: one each for the front and back of the case, and two for the inside of it.
2. Once kids cut their photos/pictures to size, have them make two back-to-back photo pairs, sandwiching the mat paper between each pair of photos. Use glue stick or tape to fasten the photos and paper to each other.
3. Show kids how to press the photo "sandwich" into the frames.

Cool! Open or closed, this photo holder is a great way to display your photos and remind you that we are all one big family.

If you have less time . . .

Precut the mat paper to fit the CD cases.

If you have more time . . .

Bring in hole punches, edging scissors, and other craft/scrapbooking tools that the kids might use to add a different dimension to their photo frames.