

PreK-3  
FAMILY TAKE-IT-HOME

5-19-19

**Theme: Curiosity**  
**Topic: Imagination**  
**UU Source #1: A sense of wonder in all we share**

**UU Message:** We use our curiosity to imagine a better world.

**Practice:** The practice of trying to imagine what could be.

**Session Goal:** Encouraging the children to be curious and keep their imaginations working.

**Story** <https://youtu.be/2hol6ilkZk0> **Whoever you are by Leslie Straub**

"Every day all over the world, children are laughing and crying, playing and learning, eating and sleeping. They may not look the same. They may not speak the same language. Their lives may be quite different. But inside, they are all alike. Stirring words and bold paintings weave their way around our earth, across cultures and generations. At a time when, unfortunately, the lessons of tolerance still need to be learned, Whoever You Are urges us to accept our differences, to recognize our similarities, and-most importantly-to rejoice in both."

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**Activity: Torn Paper Collage**

In the spirit of "Beautiful Oops," invite the children to make a collage out of torn paper and glue sticks. Invite them to be mindful of the sound of the tearing paper as they see what their curiosity and imaginations can create.

**Beyond the Horizon from Symphony of Science**

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tKjbHv\\_OKKY&list=PLFC4EE4355ADEBDB1](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tKjbHv_OKKY&list=PLFC4EE4355ADEBDB1)

**Enjoy as a family:** "Created in collaboration with The Planetary Society on their 35th anniversary. Bill Nye, Neil deGrasse Tyson, Emily Lakdawalla and Carl Sagan reflect humanity's next frontier: beyond the horizon.

"Beyond the horizon  
Over the next hill

That's where we make discoveries

That's the next frontier

It is in us to look farther and deeper

It's deep within us

That is why we are all here

Over the next hill, beyond the horizon.

**Theme Connection:** Calling us to be a people of curiosity, Beyond the Horizon takes the words of scientists and astrophysicists and melds them into a rap/musical production.