



Family Activities

Title: **How to Make an Apple Pie and See the World**

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With the market closed, a baker travels around the world to gather ingredients for making an apple pie. LeVar joins chef Curtis Aikens in his kitchen, which is also his laboratory where he creates new recipes, to get some cooking tips from the chef. Curtis tells LeVar that when he was younger, he hid the fact that he was not able to read; finally, at the age of 26, he asked for help to learn. Viewers also find out how chemistry is used every day at the Turkey Hill ice cream factory.

Here are several activities you and your child can do together after watching this episode.

Fruit Pie

Materials you will need:

- 1 box instant vanilla pudding mix
- 4 cups strawberry frozen yogurt or ice cream
- 3/4 cup skim milk
- Graham cracker pie crust
- Variety of favorite fruits (e.g. pineapple, star fruit, blueberries, strawberries, etc.)

Directions:

1. Put pudding mix, yogurt and milk in mixing bowl.
2. Have an adult beat the ingredients with an electric mixer until smooth and thoroughly mixed.
3. Pour into the graham cracker crust.
4. Create a design on top of the pie with your favorite fruits. Add lots of fruit so that very little or no pudding mixture shows through.
5. Put the pie in the refrigerator until cold and firm, at least one hour.
6. Cut and eat!

Postcard Puzzle

Collect interesting postcards from the next family trip you take. Use them to make jigsaw puzzles.

You will need:

- 2 postcards of equal size
- glue stick
- scissors
- zip-lock bag



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1. Glue two postcards together, back-to-back.
2. Cut the postcard into puzzle pieces.
3. Store the pieces in a zip-lock bag.
4. See how long it takes a friend or family member to put together “both” puzzles! Once each puzzle is put together, talk about the place that is shown.

From Here to There

Locate your home on a map of the United States. Talk about a relative who lives far away. Locate where the relative lives. Use the map to find the best route from your home to theirs. Figure out how many miles you would travel and how long it might take in a car.