

Civic Parenting

Find Your Family Spark

A Civic Spark is a moment when you first felt curious, excited, or full of questions about your place in the world—your community, your family, or something bigger.

Step 01

Think About Your Sparks

Chat about it: when have you...

- Felt excited to help or be a part of something?
- Got curious about history, your community, how things work?

Write or draw a “spark” moment:

Step 02

Spark Patterns

Where did these Civic Spark moments happen? Circle:

- Home / School / Community / with Friends / with Family / Other

What do you notice? Our family seems to care about: _____

Step 03

Follow the Spark

Based on what you noticed about your family, what’s one small way to keep your spark going?

Talk about or draw it:

Step 04

Find More Sparks

Where can we go to find more sparks? Circle or add your own:

- Library / Museum / Park / Neighborhood / School

Step 05

Spread the Spark

How can we encourage others to find their own sparks?