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Preface

This *School-to-Home Connections* book is created to facilitate communication between teacher and families and to help adults at home support their child's experiences in math at school.

Math in Focus® *School-to-Home Connections* consists of one newsletter per chapter as well as a Welcome letter and an End-of-Year letter, each in both English and Spanish. The newsletters include:

- vocabulary terms with explanations
- a brief outline of the math content for the chapter
- a simple and engaging activity for an adult at home to do with the child to explore or practice a key concept or skill

Students whose parents are involved and supportive tend to be more engaged and successful in the classroom. Take advantage of this opportunity to connect with your students' families. Send the newsletters home near the beginning of each chapter so that families can discuss concepts with their child as they are being presented in school.