

Start together: "Grace comes in, gratitude sees it, and graciousness passes it on."

REMEMBER Brag and Tag

This image shows a single sheet of white paper with horizontal ruling lines. The lines are evenly spaced and run across the width of the page. There are no margins, text, or other markings on the paper.

REJOICE **Applause Night**

WHO

WHAT THEY CAN DO NOW

READY Make the Weekend's Leaves

- Nothing gets written tonight. The writing starts tomorrow. Leaf pattern: page 17.

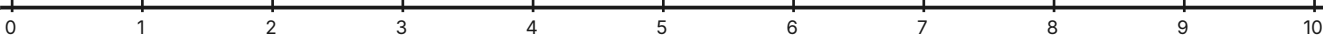
For the kids (Book 1): *The Backward Feast*, storybook page 123, activity book page 52 (Celebrate pages 58–59)

The Growth Line

Tape a long strip of paper to a doorframe. Each kid gets a pencil mark on it with their name and the date. Grown-ups have mostly stopped growing taller, so they mark a different kind of growth: a short line from 0 to 10 beside the height marks (big kids can add one too, next to their height). Pick one area where you grew this year. Before you mark it, let the room guess how far it moved. Then mark where you were a year ago and where you are now, and copy the marks here so you have a record.

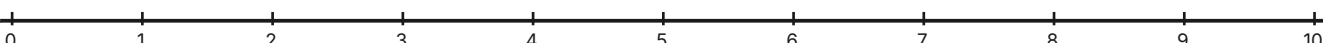
Ideas: a money goal, a skill, a habit you kept, work or school, people you helped, a relationship, a fear you faced, a project around the house.

Name _____ Where I grew _____



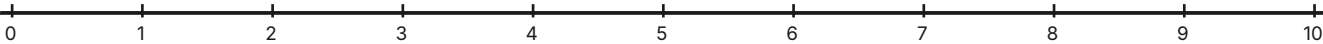
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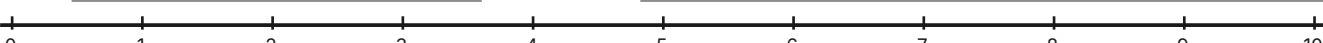
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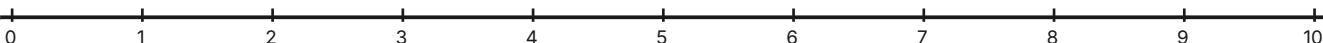
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Keep the strip, and add next year's marks to the same one. Next November, this page shows where you started.

DAY 4 · THURSDAY THE LEAF PATTERN

Thursday night's Ready is cutting the weekend's leaves. Cut this leaf out of the book along the dashed line and use it as your pattern: trace around it on colored paper as many times as you need. The back of this page is blank.

