

# “One Thing to Know” Back-to-School Activity

## Directions:

Invite families to help you to build connections with their children! Copy this page to make handouts to share during a back-to-school open house or similar event.

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### Tip:

To keep responses private, you can invite families to place completed handouts face-down in a basket, provide envelopes for them, or offer a dropbox with a lid.