

# Gift Coupons

## Goals

- To become familiar with traditional holidays
- To provide students with an appropriate way of giving
- To print legibly with properly spaced letters, numbers and words



Overview: Students identify ways they can provide service and complete gift coupons for Father's Day, Mother's Day, birthdays or other holidays.

## Materials

- Copies of "Coupon Father's Day", "Coupon Mother's Day", or "Coupon Birthday" printed 4-per-page and cut apart to form quarter page coupons (2-4 coupons per student). For other holidays, use one of the above templates and edit the text before printing.

## Directions

1. Point out the date of an upcoming holiday on the calendar. Ask students the purpose of the holiday and how they might celebrate.
2. Ask students to think of services they could provide as a way of giving. List ideas on the board or chart paper.
3. Give each child a set of coupons. For each coupon, have the student fill in the name of the person for whom the coupon is intended and what the coupon is good for. Students can add their names at the bottom.
4. Have students deliver their coupons on the appropriate day. Remind them to follow up on their commitments.

## Stationery Studio Extensions

- Let students choose a *Stationery Studio* border or shape and design their own gift coupons for another occasion.
- Have students choose a favorite border and use the friendly letter format to write a letter to send with their gift coupons.