

6M Country Project

In a couple of weeks, the students of 6M will be presenting information about their chosen country as part of our class country project. By now, the students will have researched and are in the process of writing a country report, and as a result, they have become the class experts about their special country. It is time to share that knowledge with a special creative project and a short presentation.

The special project is meant for the students to demonstrate their creative side, with some information that relates to their chosen country. **Students could choose from a variety of creative ideas (ie. food dish, model, poster, etc.) as long as their country is represented creatively.** They do not have to do a food dish; it is a choice only.

The presentations will be 5 – 10 minutes long with a question and answer period afterwards. Students will be given some class time to prepare for the presentation, but the majority of the work will have to be done at home. Basically the students will need to talk about their researched country with the following information:

- What are 3 interesting things that you learned about your country?
- What are 3 things that surprised you about your country?
- What are 2 significant differences between your country and Canada?
- Describe what you made to represent your country, and explain why you decided to make that particular thing.

If the student decides to make a food dish, please be aware of the following:

- there needs to be enough food to share a small sample with 20 – 25 people
- all food needs to be prepared at home
- food can be reheated with a microwave or oven at school, or a crockpot can be brought from home
- the school will provide plates, cutlery, and cups
- **ALLERGY ALERT: NO NUTS and GLUTEN FREE (if possible) please!**

Your child has decided to make _____

Due date for the presentation and special project: MONDAY, DECEMBER 10th

** The food fair will take place on Mon, Dec 10th, Tues, Dec 11th, and Wed, Dec 12th and I will contact parents about a schedule for the day their child is to bring food.

Thank you for your cooperation and assistance in making the country project a success for the students. I hope that the students enjoyed their time researching about different countries, and that they have learned a little bit about how the rest of the world lives.

Please contact me at school (667-8496) or home (633-4442), if you have any questions or comments about the country project.

David Michayluk

Parents, please sign below to indicate that you have discussed this information with your child.

Parent Signature

Final Written Report

Please make sure your written report includes the following:

- A title page
- A table of contents that indicates the different parts and pages of your report
- A coloured and labelled map of your country's continent including all major physical features and neighbouring countries on the continent.
- A coloured and labelled map of your country including all major physical features and cities in your country.
- A coloured copy of your country's flag
- Bibliography

The final report does not have to be typed, as long as it neatly written or printed by the student.

Please make sure the following is also included:

- all the information is presented in paragraph form
- you have included a paragraph for each section of the research:

Location	Physical Geography	Political Geography
Flag	Population	Additional Information
Climate	Food and Drinks	Religion
Economy	Leisure	Languages
- each section should also have a heading or title.
- remember each paragraph should have an opening/developing sentence, and supporting sentences using the information that you collected when you answered the questions and gathered the information.

Thank you for all of your hard work. I look forward to reading your final reports and learning more about interesting cultures around the world. I hope you enjoyed the experience and learned something about the world we live in.