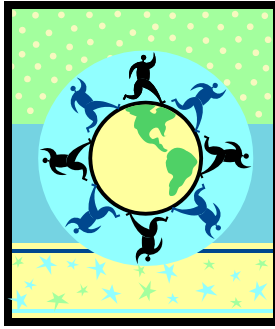


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Second Grade Project Plan for: **TRADITIONS AROUND THE WORLD**

Big Idea: Traditions from around the world make our communities more diverse and enrich the U.S. culture.

Storyline:

- Countries around the world have different traditions (traditions in food, clothing, celebrations, and the arts.)
- Traditions impact families and communities.
- The traditions of people from other countries can be found in our local community.
- The traditions of people from other countries are similar to and different from traditions in our families.

COUNTRIES: Germany, Mexico, India, and Kenya

Focus Questions:

- What are the food, clothing, celebration, or arts traditions in Germany, Kenya, Mexico, or India?
- How does food, clothing, celebration, or arts traditions impact families and communities in Germany, Kenya, Mexico, or India?
- Where are the food, clothing, celebration or arts traditions from Germany, Kenya, Mexico, or India found in our local community?
- How are the food, clothing, celebration, or arts in from Germany, Kenya, Mexico, or India alike and different from your family?

GERMANY

GERMANY EXHIBIT TEAM #1: What are the <u>FOOD</u> traditions in <u>Germany</u> ?	
Statement of expected student learning	Student research questions
Common foods Special foods Meals Food preparation Etc.	What are some common foods in Germany? What are special foods in Germany? What do people eat for breakfast, lunch, and dinner in Germany? How is food prepared in Germany? Etc.

GERMANY EXHIBIT TEAM #2: What are the <u>CLOTHING</u> traditions in <u>Germany</u> ?	
Statement of expected student learning	Student research questions
Daily clothing Special occasion clothing (holidays, dances, religious gatherings, parties, etc.) Special accessories (head dresses, jewelry, shoes, etc.) Materials	What types of clothing do they wear everyday? Do they wear anything unique for special occasions? Do they wear special accessories? What are their clothes made of?

GERMANY EXHIBIT TEAM #3: What are the <u>ARTS</u> traditions in <u>Germany</u> ?	
Statement of expected student learning	Student research questions
Music w/ instruments Special dances Special arts & crafts Special theater presentations Music w/ song	Are there any special instruments they use to make music? Do they have any special songs? What kinds of dances are important to them? How do they express themselves through arts & crafts?

GERMANY EXHIBIT TEAM #4: What are the <u>CELEBRATION</u> traditions in <u>Germany</u> ?	
Statement of expected student learning	Student research questions
Holidays—religious and national Special events -weddings -birthdays -funerals -festivals	What religious holidays do they celebrate? How? What national holidays are important to them? How do they celebrate them? How do they celebrate weddings? Funerals? Birthdays? Festivals?

KENYA

KENYA EXHIBIT TEAM #5: What are the <u>FOOD</u> traditions in <u>Kenya</u> ?	
Statement of expected student learning	Student research questions
Common foods Special foods Meals Food preparation Etc.	What are some common foods in Kenya? What are special foods in Kenya? What do people eat for breakfast, lunch, and dinner in Kenya? How is food prepared in Kenya?

KENYA EXHIBIT TEAM #6: What are the <u>CLOTHING</u> traditions in <u>Kenya</u> ?	
Statement of expected student learning	Student research questions
Daily clothing Special occasion clothing (holidays, dances, religious gatherings, parties, etc.) Special accessories (head dresses, jewelry, shoes, etc.) Materials	What types of clothing do they wear everyday? Do they wear anything unique for special occasions? Do they wear special accessories? What are their clothes made of?

KENYA EXHIBIT TEAM #7: What are the <u>ARTS</u> traditions in <u>Kenya</u> ?	
Statement of expected student learning	Student research questions
Music w/ instruments Special dances Special arts & crafts Special theater presentations Music w/ song	Are there any special instruments they use to make music? Do they have any special songs? What kinds of dances are important to them? How do they express themselves through arts & crafts?

KENYA EXHIBIT TEAM #8: What are the <u>CELEBRATION</u> traditions in <u>Kenya</u> ?	
Statement of expected student learning	Student research questions
Holidays—religious and national Special events -weddings -birthdays -funerals -festivals	What religious holidays do they celebrate? How? What national holidays are important to them? How do they celebrate them? How do they celebrate weddings? Funerals? Birthdays? Festivals?

INDIA

INDIAEXHIBIT TEAM #9: What are the FOOD traditions in India?

Statement of expected student learning	Student research questions
Common foods Special foods Meals Food preparation Etc.	What are some common foods in India? What are special foods in India? What do people eat for breakfast, lunch, and dinner in India? How is food prepared in India? Etc.

INDIAEXHIBIT TEAM #10: What are the CLOTHING traditions in India?

Statement of expected student learning	Student research questions
Daily clothing Special occasion clothing (holidays, dances, religious gatherings, parties, etc.) Special accessories (head dresses, jewelry, shoes, etc.) Materials	What types of clothing do they wear everyday? Do they wear anything unique for special occasions? Do they wear special accessories? What are their clothes made of?

INDIAEXHIBIT TEAM #11: What are the ARTS traditions in India?

Statement of expected student learning	Student research questions
Music w/ instruments Special dances Special arts & crafts Special theater presentations Music w/ song	Are there any special instruments they use to make music? Do they have any special songs? What kinds of dances are important to them? How do they express themselves through arts & crafts?

INDIAEXHIBIT TEAM #12: What are the CELEBRATION traditions in India?

Statement of expected student learning	Student research questions
Holidays—religious and national Special events -weddings -birthdays -funerals -festivals	What religious holidays do they celebrate? How? What national holidays are important to them? How do they celebrate them? How do they celebrate weddings? Funerals? Birthdays? Festivals?

MEXICO

MEXICOEXHIBIT TEAM #13: What are the FOOD traditions in Mexico?

Statement of expected student learning	Student research questions
Common foods Special foods Meals Food preparation Etc.	What are some common foods in Mexico? What are special foods in Mexico? What do people eat for breakfast, lunch, and dinner in Mexico? How is food prepared in Mexico?

MEXICOEXHIBIT TEAM #14: What are the CLOTHING traditions in Mexico?

Statement of expected student learning	Student research questions
Daily clothing Special occasion clothing (holidays, dances, religious gatherings, parties, etc.) Special accessories (head dresses, jewelry, shoes, etc.) Materials	What types of clothing do they wear everyday? Do they wear anything unique for special occasions? Do they wear special accessories? What are their clothes made of?

MEXICOEXHIBIT TEAM #15: What are the ARTS traditions in Mexico?

Statement of expected student learning	Student research questions
Music w/ instruments Special dances Special arts & crafts Special theater presentations Music w/ song	Are there any special instruments they use to make music? Do they have any special songs? What kinds of dances are important to them? How do they express themselves through arts & crafts?

MEXICOEXHIBIT TEAM #16: What are the CELEBRATION traditions in Mexico?

Statement of expected student learning	Student research questions
Holidays—religious and national Special events -weddings -birthdays -funerals -festivals	What religious holidays do they celebrate? How? What national holidays are important to them? How do they celebrate them? How do they celebrate weddings? Funerals? Birthdays? Festivals?