## Social Studies Heritage Day Project

Due Date: Wednesday, February 15, 2017

## **Project Requirements:**

- Part 1 Each student interviews an older family member asking basic questions such as:
  - -What is our cultural heritage?
  - -What are some special things our family does for the holidays?
  - -What are some other special things about our family?
  - -Can you tell me about other family traditions?
  - -How is life different today from life when you were in school?

(The above are sample questions, feel free to add your own!)

Students use the questions to write a brief essay describing their family's history and heritage. (A sample template for writing the essay is included, but feel free to create your own!) The essay does not need to be long. Just include the answers to your questions. Be ready to share some information with the class!

- Part 2 Each student creates a family tree spanning at least two generations. (A sample family tree is included, but feel free to create your own!)
- **Part 3** Students also write a favorite family recipe for a 3rd grade "Culture Cookbook." The recipe can be for anything! Be creative. Please be sure to include all the ingredients and steps necessary for its creation! (A sample recipe template is included, but feel free to create your own!)

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