

All About Me

Cultural Box Project (Shoe Box size)

Within Social Studies, we have been learning about Inuit, Acadian and Ukrainian cultures and how traditions are passed down. Now it is our turn to share and learn from each other! Each student will have an opportunity to present about his or her culture and traditions for 5-7 minutes.

Please help your child create a culture box with items that reflect your families, culture, traditions and interests. Some possible examples include holiday traditions, flags, samples of writing, books and pictures. Children may dress up in traditional costumes that reflect their cultures or demonstrate dancing, singing or food.

I find this activity helps increase confidence and further increases a sense of community within the classroom. The children find out interesting facts about their classmates. We often hear "Me, too!" "My family does that too." or "That's so cool!"

I hope you enjoy sharing your family's culture and traditions. I have attached a schedule for when each student will present. Please contact me if you have any questions. I will be glad to help.

Sincerely,

Larissa Fulawka

Marking Rubric

The box	4	3	2	1
	More than 5 items	3-4 items	2 items	1 item Not completed
The presentation	4	3	2	1
	Confident voice No prompting to share information	Audible voice 2-3 prompts to share information	Quiet voice 4-5 prompts to share information	Questioned to elicit information

Student's Name	Date
Akaash, Gladness, Evan	April 28
Hayam, Michael, Emma G	May 1
Taryn, Adriana, Alexa	May 7
Noble, Rose, Erica	May 8
Amaris, Carter K., Vaughn	May 14
Ritaj, Bethany, Emma K	May 15
Mason, Kyler, Emily	May 21
Ashley, Cole, Carter M.	May 22
Ethan, Breckan, Kayla, Justin	May 28
Luke, Francheska	May 29