Congratulations! You have been chosen as an exchange student to _________________. Before you go, you must find out as much information about the country you are visiting.

You can display your information in a box, on a poster, or in a PowerPoint presentation. If you do a PowerPoint it must be on a flash drive (USB key). Decorate your project so it is representative of your country. Create the contents of your box, poster, or PowerPoint so that we can learn about your country.

Since everybody is going somewhere different we will share information about our countries in class on ________.

**You must have:**

1. **Important Facts:** ALL THE IMPORTANT FACTS SHOULD BE TOGETHER. YOU MAY PUT THESE ON A NOTECARD OR ON THE FIRST SLIDE OF YOUR POWERPOINT.
   a. Name of country and it’s capital
   b. Name of the president or chief of government
   c. Official Language/Languages
   d. Population
   e. Name of currency and how many of it equal 1 US Dollar
   f. Important Holidays or Festivals

2. **MAP,** with the name and location of the country and capital clearly marked. The more complete the better. The location of your country in the world should be clear.

3. Flag

And…………………………………………

**Choose any 4 or more of the 13 items listed below:**

1. postage stamp- real, make it or draw it
2. newspaper or magazine article about your country (be able to tell about the article)
3. picture or drawing of traditional clothing, or the clothing itself, and the name
4. picture of a famous building, and its name and location (Why is it important?)
5. picture of a famous landmark, monument, or place, and its name and location
6. postcard-real or drawn
7. picture of a famous person from your country-living or dead
8. picture or drawing of an animal native to your country, and its name
9. the money-can be actual, printed or drawn
10. name and picture of a food typical of your country, and/or a recipe (you may want to make the food)
11. detailed description of the diet of the people
12. recreation-detailed description and illustration of popular activities or sports
13. something that is interesting to you about your country

**FOR EACH OF THESE ITEMS YOU MUST WRITE A FEW SENTENCES EXPLAINING WHAT YOU CHOSE: WHY IS IT IMPORTANT? HOW DOES IT RELATE OR CONNECT TO YOUR COUNTRY? **

Evaluation for Discovery Box/Poster/PowerPoint will be based on:

1. **Completeness** (30 points)
   - Project includes all required items
2. **Discovery Box/Poster/PowerPoint** (30 points)
   - Project uses details/ Drawings or original artwork
   - Project shows what has been learned
   - Visual appeal: neat and colorful
3. **Presentation** (20 points)
• Clear/meaningful/incorporates learning

4. Audience Etiquette (20 points)
   • Learn from others' presentations
   • Respectful of classmates