

Junior Geography Parent Letter

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Dear Parents,

I am excited to get to meet each of you and your children as we learn more of our beautiful United States of America.

We will have a small class with just 8 students, which will give us a lot of opportunity for learning – especially for games and other activities. We will study each state, and by the end of the semester your child should be familiar with the major waterways, mountains, topography, cultures and foods within the country, to name but a few.

I would appreciate if you could provide your child with a ring binder just for Geography and include several sheets of lined paper. They should come to class each week with this binder as well as coloring pencils and pen/pencil for writing.

The first class will be a getting to know you experience, and for me as the teacher, an opportunity to find each child's geographical level. After the first class I will provide a schedule of our plans for the semester.

If your child has any special needs or anything else that would be helpful for me to know, please let me know before class starts. If you have any concerns during the semester, feel free to contact me.

Geography is an exciting subject and we will have a fun time together as we explore this vast country.

Geographically yours,

Phyllis McAdam