


2nd-3rd Grade Social Studies Choice Menu

Teacher : _____ Scholar Name: _____

Directions: Greetings East Orange School District families and history scholars! Please work with your child to ensure that they complete 6 out of the 9 assignments featured in the learning menu below.

You must start with number 5 and then make five other choices to complete your learning menu with a total of 6 completed assignments. Please ensure that your child fulfills all of the requirements. Be creative, be authentic, have fun and do your best!

<p>1 Create your own musical instrument using materials around your home.</p> <p>Parents/Guardians please sign here: _____</p>	<p>2 Show kindness to someone. Help a family member.</p> <p>Parents/Guardians please sign here: _____</p>	<p>3 Read a book. Write a summary including a main idea sentence and two supporting detail sentences.</p> <p>Parents/Guardians please sign here: _____</p>
<p>4 Imagine that you are voting for a new leader in your community. Describe what qualities this leader should have, how they should treat others, and what they should do for the citizens of your community. (5-7 sentences)</p> <p>Parents/Guardians please sign here: _____</p>	<p>5 Write 5-7 sentences about your hometown. How big is it? What are some interesting facts about it? What is the climate and geography like? Then, draw a picture of your hometown.</p> <p>Parents/Guardians please sign here: _____</p> 	<p>6 Respect Others Help a friend or family complete a task today.</p> <p>Parents/Guardians please sign here: _____</p>

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<p>7 Write and illustrate a short story about your day.</p> <p>Parents/Guardians please sign here: _____</p>	<p>8 Pretend you are a teacher and read to your class for 20 minutes.</p> <p>Parents/Guardians please sign here: _____</p>	<p>9 Read about a national or international hero or heroine and write down three facts you learned in your own words. Then, draw a picture or create a symbol that represents the hero or heroine.</p> <p>Parents/Guardians please sign here: _____</p>
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Learning Menu Grading Criteria

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<p>Assignment is thorough and complete and contains excellent details with specific examples to demonstrate an in-depth understanding of concepts and ideas.</p>	<p>Assignment is complete and contains details and examples to demonstrate an understanding of concepts and ideas.</p>	<p>Assignment is basic and contains few details or examples. Approaching understanding of concepts and ideas.</p>	<p>Assignment is incomplete and contains little/no details or examples, and does not demonstrate understanding of concepts and ideas.</p>