**Travel Plans**

This year in 6th Grade CAPP students will be doing Model UN as well as learning about ancient civilizations. In order to be global citizens it is necessary for students to know the various regions of the world and where countries are located. This homework assignment is designed with the intention of helping students begin the process of global awareness and understanding of world geography.

**Students:**

You are applying for a grant that will allow you to travel to any three cities in the world, outside of North America. However, the guidelines of the grant stipulate that the three cities you travel to must be in different countries, and the countries must be separated by at least two other countries. (So I can’t go to both Paris, France and Madrid, Spain because those cities are in neighboring countries).

As part of the grant application, you need to develop your flight itinerary. You must begin and end your travels from the Phoenix International Airport (PHX).

**You will need to:**

1. Decide on the three cities you would like to visit
2. Look at a world map to be sure the cities are in countries that are separated by two or more other countries.
3. Look up flights starting in PHX to your first destination, then continue on to your second, and third destinations, ending again in PHX.
4. Find the most efficient and cost effective flights (flying first class is not cost effective!)
5. Log the following information: What carrier will you be flying (Delta, United, American Airlines, etc), the flight number, how long the flight is (hours and in) any layovers or stops, and the total cost.
6. Knowing the flights you will take, list all the countries and oceans you will fly over.
7. Write a 1-2 paragraph reflection on this assignment. What did you think of it? Do you think this was helpful for a real life situation you may have in your life? If so, what type of situation? If not, why not? What do you think of the cost to fly to the destinations you want to see?

You may type or legibly hand write this assignment. You may ask for help from your parents, however this is your assignment to complete.

See the other side of this paper for information that may help you with this assignment.

**Helpful links:**

**Kayak.com/flights** – this is a one-stop site that will let you look up the destinations you want to travel to and compares all the major airlines.

**Ryanair.co.uk** – for cheap flights in the UK and Europe

**Jetblue.co.uk** – for cheap flights in the UK and Europe

**china-sss.com/en** – for cheap flights from China to other cities in Asia

**airindiaexpress.in** – for flights from India to other cities in Asia

**southafricanairways.com -** for flights within Africa

**kulula.com** – For flights within Africa

**worldatlas.com/aatlas/world.htm** – World Maps

**Chart:**

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| Depart from: | Arrive in: | Carrier: | Flight #: | Total Travel Time: | Stops in: | Total Cost: | Countries I fly over: |
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\*\*\*PLEASE NOTE!!!! At the top of the box where you search for flights, there is usually an option for “multi-city.” This will allow you to search ALL your flights at once, and will come up with a flight itinerary for you!