Family Newsletter for Unit 1

World Geography and Culture

The Big Idea

What are the important features of communities throughout the world?

- What are geographic features?
- What resources do communities use?
- What are some parts of culture?
- In what ways have cultures changed over time?

Unit Overview

In this unit, your child will learn about

- the ways that geographic features affect people
- different kinds of resources and how they are used by communities
- culture and the ways people share traditions
- changes in civilizations and cultures over time

Family Activity

Connect to the Big Idea Ask your child about the important features of communities throughout the world. Read the Unit 1 Big Idea to Go Booklet together. Look at what your child has written and drawn.