

“Where in the World” Family Project: At Home Discussion Form

We want every family at Antietam to “pin” our world map during the 2021-2022 school year! While we hope to have in-person events this year, such as Back-to-School Night, in which families can visit the new display case in the lobby, we understand that not all family members can visit the school on specific days or at specific times.

We hope this form will be a conversation starter for families, as you talk about your family's history and how/why your family arrived in the United States. The student can place a pin in any location on the world map; it could be where an ancestor is from or where a parent lived or where the child was born. It is where a family feels most connected. For example, Mrs. Bloomrose grew up listening to stories about an earthquake in Messina, Sicily which greatly affected her great grandmother. Because Mrs. Bloomrose visited Messina and found a memorial to the victims of the 1908 earthquake, she feels most connected to that location in Italy. That is where she has placed a pin.



Student Name: _____ Teacher/Grade: _____

Parent/Guardian Name and Email: _____

These are optional, in order to provide possible locations to pin on the world map. Provide as much or as little information as you want.

Student Birthplace (city/state/country): _____

Birthplace of Parent(s)/Guardian(s) (city/state/country): _____

Birthplace of Grandparent(s): _____

Birthplace of Great Grandparent(s): _____

Any other locations that have significance to the family: _____

Why are these locations important to the family? _____

Where will the student place a pin on the world map? (city/state/country)

Please return to Mrs. Bloomrose in Room 123. I will then contact the family to schedule a “pinning” time.