

19 février 2012

Visio-conférence

We had a webcast on Monday February 13th with our partner school in Delaware. We met Mrs Logan's 4th grade and saw their classroom. All of us got the chance to talk with our American friends and we had a great time.

Lundi 13 février, les CM1.10 ont participé à une visioconférence avec notre école partenaire du Delaware aux États-Unis. Nous avons rencontré les CM1 de Mme Logan et nous avons pu découvrir leur classe. Tous les élèves ont eu la chance d'échanger quelques mots avec nos amis américains et nous avons passé un très bon moment.

05 février 2012

Hello, how are you ? Happy new year to you too !

Thank you for your stickers, pencils and tee shirt : we all really liked them. Your paper t-shirts were beautiful too : we hung them on our wall so that we can have a look at them whenever we want.

Mrs Tessier just sent you a mail with t-shirts and pens : there's the emblem of Pontault-Combault on them, which is the shape of our town with a female blackbird. It's funny your state bird is a hen, because one of our symbols in France is the cock.

For Christmas, DS and Wii games, computers, mp3 and cameras were the most popular gifts in our class. We didn't get ipads.

Here it's cold, but sunny. It's about -10 celsius degrees which must be around 15 degrees for you.

Where do you get your meals at school ? And what do you eat ? A lot of students here eat in the canteen : we take a tray, our food, and we go and sit down with our friends. Then we clear the table, and we can play outside or read at the school library.

Here are some pictures of the "US t-shirt winners":

Gillian managed to draw perfect parallel lines.

Jesse is the one who improved the most his score at the last French test.



Jordan is the first who managed to fold a paper in 3 equal parts, without any measuring instrument.



14 janvier 2012

We miss you

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

We are sorry we haven't written in soooo long. As you know school is very busy. Since we do not have a foreign language class like you do we have to find a time to talk write to you. However,our class had library for one marking period and we just finish doing research on France in that class.

The sticker e sent is of a blue hen which is our state bird. Each of the 50 states has a bird that represents their state. Each state also has a state;flag, tree, bug, flower etc. We even have a state pie! It's a peach pie. Nothing is really done with any of the state representations except for the flags which fly at all of the public schools and government buildings.

We like the idea that you will all get to earn the chance to wear the T-shirt. You should post the winner and how they earned it on the blog. Or at least a few of the winners.

Last week we took an important state Reading test. Many of us improved our score. Mrs. Logan was thrilled. Next week we will take the Math test.

This month we have several days off. Last week we had off Monday for New Years Day, this week we have off Friday because the teachers have training. We also have off on Monday (that makes it a 4 day weekend)for Martin Luther King's birthday. Last we have a 1/2 day the following week, on Friday 1/27, for parent conferences.

How has your weather been? Ourshas been crazy. Last week we had a light snow which cause a 1 hour delay for school and 2 days later it was 64 degrees (not sure of metric equivalent ,but it was warm.

What were the most popular Christmas gift in you class? A bunch of us got ipads or Nooks.

Your Delaware Friends

16 octobre 2011

PICTURES

Have a look at our pictures : we had a baseball lesson last Friday !

09 octobre 2011

HELLO !

We learn how to play baseball at school this year. We don't have any professional baseball team in France. Do you play other sports like basketball or swimming ? In our class this year, some of us play basketball or soccer ; some of us practise dancing. Do you know tennis ? 5 of us have already played tennis.

We have a student council too and we're going to elect our class representatives next week. We had Spirit Days a few years ago, when Mrs Logan's students gave our school's students the idea. We hope we'll have some this year! What kind of Spirit Days have you had lately ? Give us some ideas !

Do you learn French at school ? Would you like to learn it ? To say hello, you can either say "bonjour" or "salut" (when you talk to a friend)

Your friends from France

24 septembre 2011

Getting to Know Each Other

Hi Friends,

New York City is about a 3 hour drive from Dover. 9 of the 24 kids here today have visited NY. 5 of us have seen the Statue of Liberty, but didn't go to the island to visit it. Mrs. Logan has been there twice. The first time she went she was in 4th grade. She went up to the crown and looked out.

Only 2 of us know what Rugby is! We have no idea if we have a team in the World Cup. Rugby is not a popular sport in the US. American football and baseball are the most popular sports in the US. Do you play baseball? Do you have professional baseball teams?

Our school does not have sports teams. However, we play different sports and learn the rules for them in gym class.

Our school has a student council. Two students from each of the 4th and 5th grade classes are elected to the student council. These students meet after school once a month to plan spirit days. Do you have a Student council? Do you have Spirit Days?

Farewell,

Your Friends from Delaware

17 septembre 2011

Hello,

Thank you for your message. Some of us heard about the earthquake and the hurricane.

Do you live far from New York ? Have you ever been there ? Have you seen the Statue of Liberty ? We heard a lot about September 11th on TV. We talked about it at school too.

Do you have a Rugby team taking part to the World Cup ? Our team is the second of our pool at the moment. Do you practice any sport at school ? Which one ?

Have a good day, talk to you soon !

Mrs Tessier and her students

10 septembre 2011

Welcome back to school!

Hello,

I hope you all had a wonderful summer.

We started school on August 24. Did you here about the earthquake that happened on the East coast of the United States? It was south of us, but we all felt it. Then we had a huge hurricane. Luckily Delaware wasn't hit too hard.

My class and I look forward to meeting all of you.

Your e-pal in America,

Mrs. Logan