To:  Parents of a multi-age student

From:  Ms. Waters, elementary art teacher

**SPECIAL POTTERY PROJECT**

Your child will be partnered with a child from a third grade classroom. The multi-age pair will be learning to create a ceramic dish. This art experience will simulate the passing on of artistic culture through communication and interaction. One generation teaches the next.

We are going to collect pictures of pottery from books/internet from each child's country of origin. I would like you to fill in the following information and return this sheet to school.

Child's name: _____

The countries of origin for your family (in order of importance)

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We will be painting the pottery with a glaze. Is there a folk design or symbol from your family that has special meaning? You are invited to help your child draw a symbol or pattern that could be used on their special dish.

| Draw the idea in this box. |
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Thank you!