

January 2012

Dear Parents,

Our class is creating a social studies project that begins with a story entitled, **Flat Stanley**. The main character of this book is a boy who got mashed by a bulletin board and was flattened! **Flat Stanley** wanted to go on a trip, so his family folded him up and mailed him to California.

Children in our class will make a **Flat Stanley** project to mail to a friend or relative. Please help your child decide who to send his or hers to. Think of someone who will respond to this project with information about the area where they reside. We request that **Flat Stanley** be returned to our school during February. The information received will be shared with our class in geography lessons about the states in our country.

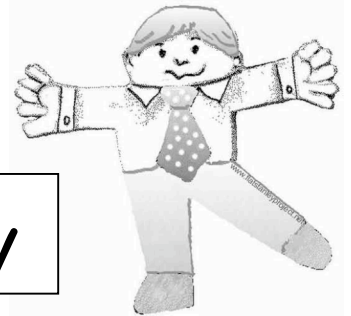
Please fill out the bottom portion of this form and return it to school by Friday, January 13<sup>th</sup>. Print the name of the person your child has chosen to send his/her **Flat Stanley** to and any special name your child knows them by i.e., Grampy, Auntie, Nona, etc. Remember to include the zip code in the address.

Thank you for your cooperation with this project. Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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Flat Stanley



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**Child's Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Flat Stanley** will be traveling to: \_\_\_\_\_ (State)

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_



**Special name** \_\_\_\_\_