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## We Love Learning



One of the most often asked questions by students as they write their letters to their pen pals is, "**Are our pen pals learning the same things we are learning?**" The fact is, the classrooms may look different, but the eagerness to learn is the same for children around the world. Take the opportunity to have your students exchange with their pen pals, descriptions of their current lessons. It will be fun for them to compare how learning is the same and different. Students may describe what they are learning by using a template such as the ones shown below. They may send a copy of something they have worked on and are proud of such as a math paper, a story they have written, a map or diagram, a research report, science project, or artwork.... Almost anything they have done in class can be shared with pen pals. It might be nice to divide the class up into subject areas allowing each subject to be represented in the package of letters. Students receiving the letters can then share the information with each other.



Dear Pen Pal,  
Here is an example of what I  
am learning in \_\_\_\_\_. I am  
in grade \_\_\_\_\_ and we  
learned this during the  
\_\_\_\_\_ quarter of school.  
Earlier in the year we  
learned about \_\_\_\_\_.  
I'm looking forward to  
learning \_\_\_\_\_ soon.  
Please send me an example  
of your school work.

Your Friend,  
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

# Dear Pen Pal

## WHAT I AM LEARNING IN SCHOOL

I love to learn! My teachers help me and my friends learn many things in my school. Here are some things I am learning in \_\_\_\_\_ grade. Please write back to me and tell me what you are learning in your school! Maybe we are learning the same things! Thank you for sharing your learning with me!

Your Friend,

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In Mathematics I am learning:

In Reading and Writing I am learning:

In Social Studies and Science I am learning:

Art

Music

Computers



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