FAMILY PICTURES CLASS BOOK:
REQUIREMENTS FOR EACH PAGE

We will be creating a class book inspired by *Family Pictures/Cuadros de Familia* by Carmen Lomas Garza. Each of you will create three pages for the book.

The requirements for the pages are as follows:

**First Page**

**Something special you do with your family**

a) Write at least one paragraph describing a memorable family activity (neatly handwritten).

b) Include a drawing, painting, collage, photograph, or a picture cut out of a magazine or printed from the Internet to go with the text on half of the page.

**Second Page**

**A map and basic information of a country where your family has roots**

a) Use the Internet and a word processing program.

b) Include a map of the country.

c) Include at least five basic facts about the country.

d) At the bottom of the page, write “Websites consulted:” followed by the websites you used to get the information.

e) Save all of your work on the computer in case you need to make changes later.

**Use these websites to do your country research:**

- CountryWatch.com (http://aol.countrywatch.com/)
- Country @ a Glance (http://cyberschoolbus.un.org/information/index.asp)
- Encarta Encyclopedia (http://encarta.msn.com/artcenter_/browse.html)

**Third Page**

**A recipe for a special family dish**

(You can ask a family member for help with this.)

a) Write or type the name of the dish and the recipe neatly and clearly.

b) Include a drawing, painting, collage, photograph, or a picture cut out of a magazine or printed from the Internet to go with the text on half of the page.

**For Each Page**

- Layout should be well done, with just enough blank space to make it pleasant to look at.
- Leave a margin of about one inch at the left for the binding.
- Add colored borders or other artistic details.
- Make sure the pages look neat, ready to publish, with no spelling or grammar errors.