**主题：环游世界八十天
Theme: Travel Around the World in 80 Days**

TAKE A WILD TRIP WITH ME AND USE YOUR IMAGINATION TO TRAVEL AROUND THE WORLD......

In the last month of Mandarin 8, we will incorporate essential grammar / sentence patterns, as well as a variety of vocabulary to help you write a story of YOU traveling around the world in 80 days. In each class, we will learn new patterns / words to help you create your own story.

This is the opportunity for you to integrate as much as possible from what you have learned in these two years. **Products:**
1. Writing a complete story either in handwriting or typing format. **2.** Story presentation in any of the following formats: PPT slides, video, Storyboard or any other format that you deem fit.

**Structure**

At least 10 sentences are required for each part:

1. Self-introduction:

To begin your story, you will write one paragraph  to introduce yourself, including name, age, grade, school, city, state, country, family, likes and dislikes.
​Such as:
你好！我叫刘晓。我上...年级。我......岁。我住在美国特拉华州威明顿。我在塔山学校上学。我家有四口人。

1. Your travel plan:

Sample questions to think:

* 1. Where (countries, cities or landmarks) that you hope to visit
	2. What do you hope to do in those places?
	3. What transportation method will you take?
	4. How long will your travel be?
	5. ……
1. Preparation:

Sample questions to think:

* 1. What or who do you hope to bring with you on this trip?
	2. What do you need to bring for your travel?
	3. ……
1. The actual trip:

Use your imagination to create the storyline:

* 1. Where have you been?
	2. Who did you meet?
	3. What happened?
	4. How was the trip?
	5. ……

**Other notes:**

* Include conversations.
* Invite your classmates to be a guest in your story if you want to.
* Give your story an interesting context and add twists to your stories.
* The writing should start now and it will last in the next 2-3 weeks.
* Ask for individual support in and outside of the class.

**Timeline:**

First draft due: 5/13

Second draft due: 5/20

Final version due: 5/27.

Presentation will happen between 5/31-6/7.