

How Can You Participate in CULTURES IN MOTION?

If you have questions or would like to participate in Cultures in Motion, please contact the Office for Study Abroad & International Learning at Bellarmine University by phone at 502.272.8479 or by email at internationalstudies@bellarmine.edu





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A COOPERATIVE PROJECT OF BELLARMINE UNIVERSITY

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What is

CULTURES IN MOTION?

Bellarmine University and the Louisville Metro Office for Globalization have partnered for the program Cultures in Motion to help spread knowledge and appreciation of our world's cultures. As the world becomes more interconnected, U.S. students are at a disadvantage in the global community; Cultures in Motion strives to help students become more knowledgeable about the rest of the world. What better way to open the eyes of U.S. students to new cultures than to have students who have studied all over the globe come to our community's middle and elementary classrooms and share their knowledge and experiences? These international students and study abroad returnees are eager to share what they have seen and learned so that Louisville children may in turn become interested in learning more about the world.



Andrew Stivers, China/Asia



Allison Schumacher, Morocco/Africa

Who is involved in this classroom project?

International students who are studying on Bellarmine's campus as well as U.S. students who have studied in one of Bellarmine's programs around the globe will visit classrooms in Louisville. Along with their memories, they will bring souvenirs and pictures from their home country or the countries they have visited and share the significance that these carry. These students will share specific traditions celebrated in other countries and discuss ways in which a particular culture differs from U.S. culture. This program is an excellent way to bring the world to the classroom and open students' eyes to different cultures around the world!

From Teacher Participants

"Casey shared interesting information and hit all the high interest points. It's an excellent program; I hope to hear from you again next year!"

JANE CUMMINGS

Third grade teacher Johnsontown Road Elementary

"The presentation was excellent, the kids enjoyed it immensely. Amanda made her experiences in Holland come alive for my students. She used pictures, maps and an interactive game. Thank you for including us in this program. I love for my students to have the opportunity to experience lessons from such enthusiastic and knowledgeable students."

KELLY STUBER

Third grade teacher Eisenhower Elementary



Lisa Abell, England/Europe