

Activity: Flat Stanley

Curricular Connections: Grade Four Social Studies

There are several options open to a teacher to make friends with students in an Islamic school. Alberta has several Islamic schools that teach the Alberta curriculum along with religious studies. There are also international schools all over the world where student go to an English speaking school in a Muslim nation, for instance Tunisia. The teacher can contact either a local or an international school and ask if they would be willing to start a Flat Stanley project, AKA pen pals.

<https://www.flatstanley.com>

Go to the Flat Stanley website and click on *Exchange*, or use this link, https://www.flatstanley.com/find_host, you will be able to find teachers around the world who are looking for pen pals.

Connect the Alberta curriculum to the content of your letters to your pen pals. For instance, grade 4 is all about Alberta, which would already be a topic of interest for international students.