Family Heritage Shield

For this project, you will be creating your own Family Heritage Shield that reflects your family’s national heritage. A national heritage is defined as the country and/or culture in which your ancestors (family members/relatives) lived before immigrating to the United States. You may have to look back further than your great-grandparents. Some people have ancestors from many different countries, however, you may only choose one country for your focus. This can be the rarest country from your background or the most dominant country. Be sure not to cause a conflict in your household when deciding on your country.

The project should be completed on the Family Heritage Shield. Each student should be prepared to present their Family Heritage Shield to the class. You must be able to deliver and explain at least 3 self-selected topics to the audience without reading the information from the poster. It is not required that all topic areas be presented in class, but you may choose to do so. You may use note cards as a guide, but you may not read directly from the note cards.