

Presentation Proposal About Culture for Primary School Students

Presentation Topic: Cultures of the World

Information about presenter

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Education:

IB Diploma, United World College of the Adriatic, Duino, Italy (1990)

BA, Grinnell College, Grinnell, IA, USA (1994)

Dip. Ed., University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia (2000) ([Click here](#) for resume (CV))

Born into a Tibeto-Nepalese family in a Hindu country, I grew up attending a Jesuit boarding school. Following graduation from school in Nepal, I attended an international school in Catholic Italy, and then went to the small private liberal arts college in Iowa, USA. While a student in Iowa, I spent a semester in the UK, attending Lancaster University.

Following graduation from Grinnell, I started on an international teaching career. The career led me to Australia for my teaching qualifications, and to ten different countries spread over four continents. Over the course of the teaching career, I travelled to about three-dozen countries as well.

Presentation Description

- **Duration:** 30-45 minutes.
- **Target Audience:** Primary School Students between the ages of 8 and 11

A multimedia presentation about different cultures around the world. The quirks about the cultures of different people I have discovered in my travels around the world—about their daily practices, their food, their music, their religious practices and beliefs, their habits, their education etc.

Presentation Objectives

- Cultural education of children

Equipment and Room/Venue

- Data projector
- Microphone if in a big auditorium, otherwise I can project my voice sufficiently to make myself heard!
- Internet access

Honorarium and Expenses

Negotiable depending on the number and duration of the presentations.

In the past, honorarium for a single presentation was US\$500.00. When the visit involved more than just a single presentation, if it involved interactions and other activities for instance, then honorarium paid as been as much as US\$2000.

Travel, food and accommodation expenses as appropriate.

Additional Information and contact details

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