

A traveling diary



Hi,

If you are receiving this diary, you have been selected to participate in an elementary school project with a group of young students located in the Canadian province of Quebec.

My name is Kristel El-Akouri and I am an elementary school teacher (grade 6) in Montreal, Quebec, Canada. This year, my students are taking part in a special writing project: **a traveling diary**. The project calls for these students to create their own diary where they introduce themselves and talk about their environment, passions, activities, etc. The idea is for them to mail their diary to someone who lives as far away as possible from them. And the diary begins its travels!

The person who receives the diary, in this case yourself, is invited to write a letter back. In your letter, you have to mention your name, and then share information about you, about your city and your environment. In turn, you must mail this diary forward to somebody else that you know who lives as far away from you as possible. Please make sure the person you send it to is committed to writing back and paying the mailing fees to prolong the mailing thread forward. The whole process is to keep going until **May 1st**, at which point, the person in possession of the diary mails it to our school so that we can receive it before the end of the school year. Here is our address:



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Montréal, Québec
*** ** CANADA

If you have any questions concerning the project or if you wish to confirm receipt of this diary, please don't hesitate to contact me by email at _____ . It will be a pleasure to answer you or to follow the itinerary of our diary!

On my behalf and on the behalf of my students, I sincerely thank you for your considered participation in this special project. Looking forward to hearing from you,

Kristel El-Akouri