March 13, 2007

Dear Families,

We will soon begin planning our final permanent city project which will be made using recyclable materials! In preparation for construction, we ask that children bring in a small to medium sized shoebox. These soon-to-be building and transportation structures will gradually go through the process of being painted, accessorized and added to our fictional city.

Have you been wondering when you would finally get around to that spring cleaning? Well, below, you will find our wish list of materials that can also be used for this project. If you have any of these items that can be donated to the Second Grade classrooms they would be greatly appreciated!

Our Materials Wish List

- pipe cleaners
- buttons
- bottle caps
- assorted small boxes (i.e. for jewelry)
- old fabric
- corks
- tissue boxes
- aluminum foil
- tissue paper
- craft sticks
- different types of wrapping paper scraps
- styrofoam
- straws
- cotton balls
- small rocks
- twigs
- candy trays
- old newspapers
- little green fruit baskets

In addition, please note the following dates for upcoming trips below:

Tasha, Rebecca and Dave's Class

- **Park Slope Food Co-op (Brooklyn , N.Y.)**
  Wednesday, March 12th

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- **Malcolm Shabazz Harlem Market (btw Malcolm X Blvd. and 5th Ave.)**
  Thursday, April 3rd (your child will need a bag lunch)

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- **Museum of the City of New York (Fifth Ave and 103rd Street)**
  Thursday, April 10th (your child will need a bag lunch)

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Dot and Jackie's Class

- **Park Slope Food Co-op (Brooklyn , N.Y.)**
  Wednesday, March 12th (your child will need a **bag lunch**)

- **Malcolm Shabazz Harlem Market (btw Malcolm X Blvd. and 5th Ave.)**
  Tuesday, April 8th (your child will need a **bag lunch**)

- **NYU Dance Workshop (NYC)**
  Friday, April 11th (your child will need a **bag lunch**)

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- **Museum of the City of New York (Fifth Ave and 103rd Street)**
  Thursday, April 17th (your child will need a **bag lunch**)

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If you are interested in joining us on a trip and have not had a turn to be a chaperone, please let us know!

Sincerely,

Tasha, Dot, Rebecca, Jackie and Dave