April 8, 2020 Mrs. Clark

Geography 20

Dear Grade 10s:

I hope that you all have found this chapter on The Treaty Process interesting- I know that I sure did! Reading about the "new" treaty with Nunuvut certainly gives me some hope that our country is moving in the right direction.

You will be pleased to know that there is a new Monthly News for April. There are only five articles in this one so you should do two per week; I don't care what order you do them in so do any one you like on any given day (start with one for this week for sure).

I am also sending home a package called Understanding Treaties and the Indian Act. It is a really interesting booklet that explains the history and types of treaties (both historic and modern) in Canada.

Please read the introduction carefully (including taking a few minutes to examine the maps!) then go on to Lesson 1: Worldview. Read the information then complete the "tasks" (Task 1, Task 2) this week. You are asked to compare the First Nations and European/Western Worldviews, then to answer two questions that are personal and relevant to you. Please answer these thoroughly- not just in a quick sentence or two. It is a chance for you to share about yourself (so there are no wrong answers!) and you may actually find your own answers interesting.

Next week, please hand in your March Monthly News (if you haven't already) and your answers from The Treaty Process in the textbook.

Good luck with the assignment and feel free to contact me at lclark@sunrisesd.ca or 204-367-2296 if you have any questions.

Take care!

Mrs. Clark

"Turn your wounds into wisdom." — Oprah Winfrey