WHERE AM I?

As we start our unit on voyaging and exploration, we need to follow the first rule of wayfinding: to establish where we are. Using the questions below, write an essay describing your place in the world NOW, as a sixth grader. You should include an introduction and conclusion. Your essay should be about 2 pages. This assignment is worth 25 points.

**Government and Laws:** What rules do you have for yourself? For your “crew”? Who makes decisions for you?

**Economics and Sustainability:** How do you sustain yourself (get the things you need to survive)? What do you have to do in exchange for what is provided?

**Religion:** What part does religion play in your life?

**Society and Classes:** Who is your “crew”? What society/societies do you belong to? What is your place in those societies?

**Culture and Innovation:** What is your “culture”? How do you show your uniqueness?