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Dear Parents/Carers

At Moorside we want to inspire children to think about the world we live in. During lessons, the children are taught about the continents, oceans and seas and the different cultures around the world. On Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March, our school will be holding an 'Eggsploring the World' Day. Each year group will be studying a different continent in depth, looking at maps, climates, people and physical features.

In addition to this day, we are also holding an **egg decorating competition**. Due to the success of last year's historical egg competition, we are holding a Geography themed contest this year. This will be a home project whereby the children will design and decorate an egg that represents a country from the continent that they have been learning about in school. You can be as creative as you want, creating whole scenes in boxes or keeping it simple and just decorating one egg. An example of a design could be about Spain and could consist of flamenco dancers, paella, beaches and the Spanish flag. The egg designs need to be **completed and handed in by Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> March**. Please see the list of continents below:

- EYFS – Antarctica
- Year 1 – Europe
- Year 2 – Africa
- Year 3 – North America
- Year 4 – Asia
- Year 5 - Oceania
- Year 6 – South America

Thank You for your ongoing support,

Miss Cowperthwaite and Miss Potts  
**History and Geography Coordinators**

**DIRECTIONS**

1. Using a straight pin, carefully pierce the small end of an egg. (Tip: If it is difficult to pierce the end, use sandpaper to thin it down.) Wiggle the pin in a circular motion to widen the hole. Repeat this process for the large end of egg. Insert paper clip into second hole, and move around to break the yolk.
2. Hold egg over a bowl. Over hole in small end, use a straw to blow out contents. Repeat process until egg is empty.
3. Rinse egg under running water. Return egg to carton; let drain for at least 3 hours. Repeat process with remaining eggs

**Please complete the slip below and attach to your entry:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Year Group \_\_\_\_\_

Country: \_\_\_\_\_



*To go further than we thought possible  
To run faster than we hoped  
To reach higher than we dreamed  
To be the best that we can be*

