

# Paideia Academy gets the lay of the land



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(Top left) Paideia Academy sixth-grade student Drew Brown helps put together a puzzle of the world map during one of day's activities related to geography. (Top right) Third-grade student Cole Godtland forms a topographical map of the hemisphere using salt clay. (Bottom) Paideia Academy students play geography-related quiz games in the computer lab Nov. 17. The activities are all part of Geography Day, an event being held in conjunction with International Education Week, which is a joint initiative of the U.S. Department of State and the U.S. Department of Education. Geography is a key element of the K-8 public charter school's Core Knowledge curriculum, which includes international topics from kindergarten on.

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