Children’s Life in Armenia: Overview

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**Subject Areas:** Social Studies, Language Arts  
**Grade level:** 3 (may be adapted to other grades)

**Overview of the lesson:** Students will learn about children’s lives in Vanadzor, Armenia, and will compare/contrast life in Armenia with life in the U.S. Students will conclude by writing a friendly letter to a child in Armenia.

**Time:** 1-2 class periods

**Required materials:** computer with PowerPoint and a projector; presentation and presentation notes (from this lesson).

**Standards:**  
Geography, Concept 2: Places and Regions  
Writing, Strand 3, Concept 3: Friendly Letter