

## Preparing for (MS)<sup>2</sup>TC and NASA/ARISS Radio Contact with the International Space Station Event

## ENGLISH Homework assignment due FRIDAY, JANUARY 24th

When we have our radio contact with ISS astronauts in March, we need to be prepared with some relevant, well-thought-out questions. To that end we are having a competition, entry into which is mandatory for all  $(MS)^2TC$  students.

Your entry will consist of one question suggestion and must include the following elements:

- The question must be based on research you have conducted on, or knowledge that you have of, the ISS (International Space Station). Questions should exhibit genuine interest and curiosity.
- 2. You must write 1-2 paragraphs to provide an explanation and justification on the relevance/importance of your question (Hint: use the skills you learned in writing persuasively to help your case).

From the entries received the  $(MS)^2TC$  faculty will choose 5 questions which will be used on the day of contact.

NASA has a webpage dedicated to the ISS and there are student links highlighting similar experiences of other schools around the country.

http://www.nasa.gov/

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Hand your question and paragraphs in during your Language Arts class on Friday, January 24<sup>th</sup>.

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Question:		
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Explanation/ Relevance:		