

## Around the World and Back

Working with a partner, plan a trip around the world leaving from Ontario. Pick four different destinations in four different continents. Mark them on a map. You can use a digital map or a paper map.

Decide on how much you want to spend in each place by researching average costs of hotel; flights and food costs.

Convert the amount of Canadian dollars you need and then convert to each of the currencies of the places you plan to visit. You need to research the current exchange rates.

Are there countries in the world whose currency is considered to be valued for less than the Canadian Dollar? Why might this be?

Are there locations that seem more expensive to visit? Explain.

Is there anything else that you might need money for on this trip?

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Organize your trip and spending in an audio recording or organizational chart and explain your calculations. One example of a chart is below:

| <b>Destination</b> | <b>Currency /<br/>Exchange</b><br>(name) / (rate)<br>Amount x rate<br>= \$CAD | <b>Hotel</b>                  | <b>Flight</b> | <b>Food</b>                   |
|--------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------|-------------------------------|
| Barcelona          | Euro / 1.40                                                                   | $70 \times 1.40 =$<br>\$98.00 | \$680.00      | $50 \times 1.40 =$<br>\$70.00 |
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| Total              |                                                                               |                               |               |                               |

Add the total for hotel, flight, and food for the Grand Total cost of the trip.