

Globe Trekking is a program which the Mauthe Center began to educate children in the Green Bay and surrounding areas about different countries and other cultures. There were 16 countries represented at this event by UWGB international students (Denmark, Switzerland, Northern Ireland, Palestine, Mexico, The Netherlands, China, France, Uganda, Iraq, Germany, The United Kingdom, Japan, Spain, Saudi Arabia and Egypt).

The international students developed a session which was 30 minutes long, and carried out this session 3 times on this day for different classes of children. The international students begin sessions by welcoming the children and introducing their country. They then carried out the prepared session with the children to educate them on their culture. The sessions were anything from games, songs, dances, poetry, useful sayings, coloring the flag, crafts, or a basic presentation. After the 30 minute session, the international students answered many follow up questions the children may have had, and the kids moved onto their next country! Each class was able to travel to 3 different countries.

The children that participated in this event learned about culture, and developed a better understanding about cultural differences.

Bay Harbor Elementary would like to thank the Mauthe Center for sponsoring and making this event possible for our students.