

# Prepare your students for Building Colorado: Cities

Recommended for Fourth Grade

# **Before the Presentation**

- 1) Divide students into 8 groups of 2-3 students each.
  - a. If your student numbers do not divide equally, 6-8 groups will work fine.
  - b. Please have the groups sit together at desks with the surfaces cleared. If students are not in their groups and **seated together** at the presentation start time, this will take up game time.
- Visit our <u>Teacher Resources</u> page and have your students review the Pre-Lesson Vocabulary.
- 3) Set-up smart board or projector and computer.
  - a. We will need to use your technology (computer & projection equipment) to present a Prezi presentation during the program (no audio is needed). We will need access to the internet (Google Chrome works best).

## **During the Presentation:**

- **Teacher participation** enhances the game in every way. You can help out by becoming a "banker" and helping to distribute resources (game pieces). Staff will explain.
- Building Colorado instructors may need assistance with monitoring and adjusting class behavior. Staff are unfamiliar with your students' backgrounds and disciplinary protocols, therefore *teachers must remain in the classroom for the duration of the program.*
- Here are also points during the game where students will be working in small groups to solve a problem and might benefit from additional focused attention. In addition to a teacher, the Building Colorado presentation is a great day to have a classroom volunteer or parent who can help facilitate additional learning.

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- Final payment is due 30 days prior to your scheduled program.

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