Tasha Culberson Project Groundhog February 4, 2016

Hello! We are Mrs. Culberson's Second Grade class. Our community is between Dripping Springs and Austin (just southwest of Austin, Tx). A fun fact about our exact location is that we have an Austin address, are in Dripping Springs ISD, and in a county that encompasses San Marcos (we are much closer to Austin and Dripping than San Marcos). Our school's name is Rooster Springs Elementary and our mascot is a tiger! We are super excited to participate in Project Groundhog. Our groundhog's name is Texas Tom and he did see his shadow! Have you guys ever seen a real groundhog? We look forward to learning about your school and community.

Dripping Springs Community Website: http://www.cityofdrippingsprings.com

Dripping Springs Independent School District: www.dsisd.txed.net

Mrs. Culberson's Class Website: http://tashaculberson.weebly.com

Our weather in Austin is usually very hot in the summer and cold in the winter. The winter temperature usually does not get below freezing or 32 °F. We occasionally have snow that sticks, but not very often. When it snows or ices in Austin everyone gets really excited! The town even shuts down because people here in Austin don't know how to drive on ice. During the summer the temperature can get up to over 100 degrees for many days at a time. It also gets really humid. We spend a lot of our time in the pool swimming to cool off or in surrounding lakes.

We look forward to learning about your communities and weather where you live. We have looked at Google Earth and even zoomed in on your schools! So COOL!!!

Talk to you soon,

Mrs. Culberson's Class