

FLAT IKE'S ADVENTURES



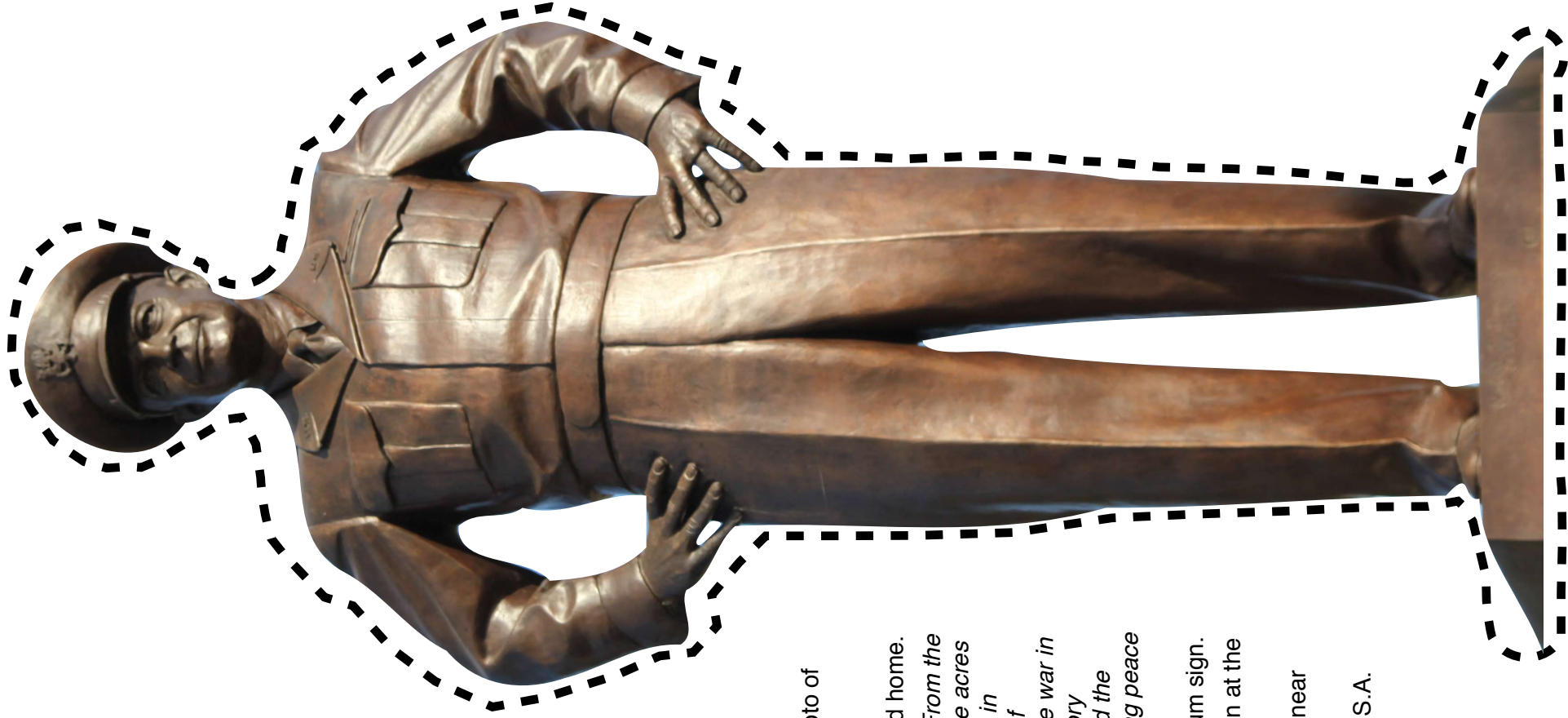
THE FLAT STANLEY BOOKS BY JEFF BROWN HAVE BEEN ENTERTAINING YOUNG READERS FOR YEARS, WHILE ALSO STARTING A MOVEMENT THAT HAS TAUGHT KIDS SO MUCH ABOUT GEOGRAPHY AND SOCIAL STUDIES. IKEducation WANTS TO CONTINUE THAT EFFORT, SO WE PROVIDE VISITING STUDENTS WITH A FLATTENED VERSION OF THE ELEVEN FOOT STATUE OF GENERAL EISENHOWER THAT OVERLOOKS HIS PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY, MUSEUM, AND BOYHOOD HOME. AFTER LEARNING FACTS ABOUT THE STATUE, ITS QUOTES AND IMAGES, STUDENTS WILL USE IPADS TO TAKE PHOTOS WITH FLAT IKE AROUND OUR CAMPUS AND THEN EMAIL THEM BACK TO THEIR TEACHER WITH NOTES OR DESCRIPTIONS THAT DOCUMENT THEIR FIELD TRIP.

WE CAN'T WAIT TO SEE YOUR FLAT IKE ADVENTURES!

EXTENSION ACTIVITIES:

- ★ PLEASE TAKE PHOTOS WITH FLAT IKE AROUND YOUR SCHOOL OR HOMETOWN AND SEND THEM BACK TO US AT MBGOSE@EISENHOWERFOUNDATION.NET OR HAVE YOUR TEACHER/PARENT SHARE YOUR PHOTO ON THE EISENHOWER PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY'S FACEBOOK OR TWITTER PAGES. BE SURE TO INCLUDE ANY NOTES OR DESCRIPTIONS THAT DOCUMENT IKE'S TRIP.
- ★ FIND OUT MORE ABOUT THIS STATUE AND ITS SCULPTOR AT WWW.EISENHOWER.ARCHIVES.GOV
- ★ FIGURE OUT HOW TO POSITION FLAT IKE IN FRONT OF YOUR CAMERA SO THE PHOTO LOOKS AS IF THIS ELEVEN FOOT STATUE IS OVERLOOKING YOUR SCHOOL.
- ★ DETERMINE WHAT DIRECTION YOU WOULD HAVE TO TRAVEL TO GET TO IKE'S HOMETOWN OF ABILENE, KANSAS FROM WHERE YOU LIVE. HOW LONG WOULD IT TAKE TO GET THERE BY CAR? CAN YOU MAP IT? WILL YOU BE DRIVING ON THE EISENHOWER INTERSTATE HIGHWAY SYSTEM?





Need ideas? Find a take a photo of Flat Ike:

- on the steps of his boyhood home.
- with the pylon that says, *"From the modest home built on these acres came one destined to lead in battle the mightiest array of fighting forces ever to wage war in freedom's cause. The victory secure, as President he led the effort to ensure a continuing peace for all the world."*
- inside the "U" of the Museum sign.
- in front of the water fountain at the Place of Meditation.
- with the Golden Rain Tree near the front of the Library.
- on the Great Seal of the U.S.A.