

Geography Knowledge Building

Know that Native Americans were forced to leave their homes and live in unfertile areas of North America, because of racist attitudes	Understand how some of the key landmarks (e.g. the Statue of Liberty) are significant to American people and culture	Know how the climate of different parts of North America affects the environment and living things	Know which plants and animals live in which 'climate zone'	Know that there is a variety of topography in America and make comparisons (e.g. tundra, coniferous forest)	Know how and why different localities prepare for extreme weather in different ways
Know why America was largely populated by people from other nations, primarily Europeans	Know why key buildings and bridges were built, when and by whom	Know which plants and animals are native to North America	Know and understand the term 'climate zone' when talking about the different areas of North America	Know that there is a varied climate and physical geography throughout North America	Know how and why people in Florida prepare for extreme weather, such as hurricanes
Understand the reasons for different processes and resulting changes in a range of locations	Recognise, understand and explain patterns in human geography	Understand how the physical geography of a place influences the lives of its inhabitants	Know and understand more technical vocabulary e.g. biome, climate zone	Compare and contrast diverse locations and environments	Understand why different places employ different strategies for solving similar problems
Processes and Changes	Human Geography	Physical Geography	Geographical Vocabulary	Locations and Environments	Similarities and Differences

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