CHAPTER 2: The United State Land of Variety

What I know: United State has 50 states
  1. I know that the United State has many different ethnics.
  2. I know the different climates.
What I want to know: What does the United have to offer?
  1. The different variety it has?
  2. What build the United State?

VOCABULARY:
1. variety
   a. The United States is a land of great variety
   b. Many different kinds, usually at the same time or place.
   c. In my guidance class, I learn there are variety of ways to study.

2. Citizens
   a. The people in all 50 states are citizens of the United States
   b. A member of a country
   c. I am living in the United State which makes me a citizen.

3. Natural Resources
   a. The Northeast region has fewer natural resources than other regions.
   b. In nature that people use such as oil, coal, natural gas, minerals, fish, farmland, and forests.
   c. In Stockton, it is told that our natural resources are not as much as other countries.

4. Population Density
   a. This region has the nation's highest population
   b. Tells how many crowded a place is based on the number of people living in a certain size region
   c. Stockton population density is fewer compare to LA.

5. CRASH CROPS
   a. It's warm climate is good for farming. Farmers grow cash crops, or crops they can sell.
b. Crops that can be sold such as cotton, rice, and orange.

c. Stockton have grown fresh strawberries which make a good cash crop.

6. Technology

a. Town factories use new technology to make new products.
b. Is the inventions that improve the way we live and work.
c. The United States build new technology to make it easier to build or better communication.

7. Service Jobs

a. Most Americans now work at service jobs.
b. Job in which people help other people.
c. Around Delta, I've seen many young students help other people providing it as a service job.

NOTES

- When state become a free nation it only have 13 state.
- In 1959 Alaska became the 49th state.

Four large Regions

- Northeast, Midwest, South, and West.
- Northeast
  - flat coastal plains
  - fewer natural resources
  - large cities
- Midwest
  - it's near great lake
  - many factories
  - flat land
- South
  - large coastal plain
  - low climate
  - warm climate
- West
  - tall rocky mountain
  - hot, dry

Many people move to the United State for freedom

COMMENTS

- How did the United State build more state?
- Who own the state before it ever was a state?
- Surprise, how the land/ climate changes.
- Surprise, how many different people would live in so many different regions.

Yes! That's always a good belief! My parents did exact that for "Freedom!"
Summary: When I was going through chapter 2, I understood the regions better. I understood how the 4 regions are so different. The 4 regions are “Northeast, Midwest, West, and South. As I read chapter 2, I realize how the climate and land are so uneven, such as, South is warm and west is hot. Not to mention, northeast is a coastal plain and Midwest is business like with many factories. I also understood that many came to the United States came here for a better living. In other words, they want freedom.

The most important I learn today is being able to tell the difference in all 4 regions.
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Vocabulary

The United States is a land of variety because it has many jobs, landforms, and natural resources. The northeast has a high population density because many people live close together in this region. In the South, farmers grow cash crops, or crops they can sell. They grow cotton, rice, and oranges. The West has many natural resources, or things we get from Earth. Most Americans work at service jobs where they help other people.

Read and Remember

Regions of the US

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<td>Coastal plains and low mountains</td>
<td>Near great lakes, region is coal and iron</td>
<td>Low mountains</td>
<td>Hot, dry climate, mountainous</td>
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<td>What are the landforms?</td>
<td>- low natural resources but high population density</td>
<td>- huge flat plain</td>
<td>- good for farming</td>
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<td>What are the natural resources?</td>
<td>- factory jobs, fishing and trading</td>
<td>- work in factories</td>
<td>- mining, fishing</td>
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<td>What work do people do?</td>
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Group A

A. Washington D.C.
B. Puerto Rico
C. Oklahoma
D. Shannon Lucid
1. The city is the capital of the US
2. The people are citizen of the US
3. Oil is an important resource from the
4. Thru astronaut in space for 188

Think and Apply

1. American Democracy
   - vote for president
   - vote for law maker
   - freedom of religion
2. Largest city in the US
   - New York City
   - Los Angeles
   - Chicago
3. Natural Resources
   - forest and fish
   - oil
   - gold, coal, silver, iron
4. Landform in the US
   - Rocky mountains
   - Great Plains
   - Death Valley
Journal Writing.

I would want to live in the northeast then any other region. The reason why is because it is city-like with a huge population density. The temperature is also great and there are people to communicate with. Northeast allow me to be around an area that isn't hot or an area with few individuals. I want to be surrounded by many people.