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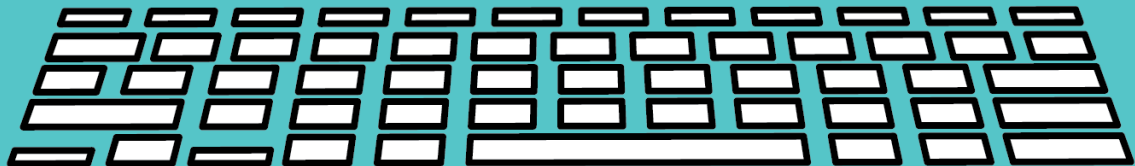
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1. What is the second largest country in the world?		9. North America is the ____ largest of the seven continents.	
2. What is the biggest city in America?		10. There is a permanent ice cap in ____.	
3. What is North America's lowest point?		11. Mexico celebrates a tradition called ____ of the Dead.	
4. In what country are the Hopewell Rocks?		12. North America is the ____ most populous continent.	
5. What is the largest fresh-water lake in the world?		13. A new word is added to the dictionary every ____ hours.	
6. North America's highest point is in which U.S. state?		14. ____ together there are ____ countries and territories.	
7. What is the most popular religion in North America?		15. The ____ River is the longest stream in Canada.	
8. What is the hottest desert in North America?		16. There are over ____ million people in North America.	



NORTH AMERICA

Size: North America is the third largest of the seven continents. The biggest city in the continent is Mexico City.

Population: The most populous country in North America is the United States. It is often called the "melting pot" of people and cultures from all over the world. There are over 580 million people in North America.

Number of Countries: There are three major countries in North America, Mexico and the United States. There are also two major territories. North America also includes the Caribbean and Central American countries, Belize, and Greenland.

Largest Country: Canada is slightly larger than the United States making it the second largest country in the world. The smallest country is Grenada.

Location: North America is bordered by the Atlantic Ocean to the east and the Pacific Ocean to the west.

Ranking: North America is the fourth most populous continent and the third largest continent in size.

Deserts: The Chihuahuan Desert is located in the Southwest United States and Northern Mexico. Other deserts include the Sonoran Desert, Great Basin and the Mojave Desert. The Mojave Desert is the hottest desert in North America.

Mountains: North America's highest point is Mount McKinley which is located in Alaska. Death Valley is North America's lowest point. Major mountain ranges include the Appalachian Mountains, the Rocky Mountains, Cascades and the Sierra Nevada. The Central Plateau runs along Mexico's Pacific coast. Los Tuxtlas is a chain of volcanic mountains.

Water: The longest river in North America is the Mississippi-Missouri River System. Lake Superior is the largest fresh water lake in the world. The Rio Grande river serves as a natural border between the U.S. and Mexico. The Mackenzie River is the longest stream in Canada.

Natural Resources: Major natural resources in North America include copper, gold, silver, zinc, iron ore and nickel. The USA is the world's third biggest oil and coal producer. Agricultural products include grains, corn,

soybean and peanuts. 50% of the world's corn supply is produced in North America.

Landmarks: Kennedy Space Center, Grand Canyon, Mayan ruins in Mexico (such as Chichen Itza), Niagara Falls in Canada, Statue of Liberty in New York, Agua Azul Falls in the Mexican rain forest, Hopewell Rocks and Chateau Frontenac in Canada.

Animals: You will find brown bears, coyotes, raccoons, moose, mountain lions, jaguars, beaver, bison, snowy owl, rattle snakes, alligator, ocelot, iguanas, tamandua and wolves.

Climate: North America is the only continent to have all climatic types. Central America has savanna and tropical rainforest. The northern parts of Canada and Alaska are tundra. There is a permanent ice cap in Greenland. Death Valley is the hottest place in North America. The highest temperature ever recorded in Death Valley was 134 degrees.

Health: North America ranks first in terms of life expectancy. The average age for men is 77 years and 81 years for women. Some states in Mexico such as Guerrero, Oaxaca, Chiapas, Tabasco, Puebla and Hidalgo rank below the world average.

Culture: Culture in North America is based on where a person's previous culture came from. American traditions include celebrating Independence Day, Easter, Christmas. In Canada, Remembrance Day, Boxing Day, Calgary Stampede, and Vancouver Celebration of Light are popular celebrations. In Mexico, cultural traditions include The Day of the Dead, Mariachi music and quinceañeras.

Food: Canadian food includes poutine, Montreal bagels, maple syrup, bannock. Traditional Mexican food includes hamburgers, hot dogs and burritos. American foods include hot states, enchiladas, Carne asada and Chorizo.

Language: English is the most widely used language throughout the continent. A new language added to the continent was two hundred other languages used in North America including Spanish. Bilingualism is the main reason why Northern American people speak English, Spanish, and French. Spanish is spoken by 92.7 percent of the Mexican population. 'Piece of cake' is one of the best-known American phrases. It is difficult for newcomers to the U.S. to understand.

Religion: Christianity is the most popular religion in North America.

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