

UAA4: South American Places

ENDURING UNDERSTANDINGS:

1. *Physical features divide South America*
2. *Man-made boundaries divide the South America*
3. *Natural Resources can determine South America's wealth and poverty*

GUIDING QUESTIONS:

1. *What are South America's significant physical features?*
2. *Where are South America's significant political boundaries?*
3. *Do South America's political boundaries follow natural boundaries?*
4. *What are some of South America's valuable resources?*

The main web site that you should use to answer the questions on this assignment about South America's geography will be found by you taking a little quiz. Please "click on what you think is South America's most prolific animal (*if you don't know what prolific means, well.....look it up!*) If you "click" correctly you will be whisked through cyberspace to the web site that will be your source for answering the questions on this assignment. Good luck!



Did you you "click" correctly the first time and go to the correct web site? Or are you a "prolific" enough user of the internet that all you did was hold your mouse over each photo and read the URL that appeared at the bottom of your screen and you knew which one to click? Aren't you clever??!! Now that you know what is the most common animal in South America is here is your assignment.

Instructions for completing this assignment:

The web sites (sources) for the successful completion of this lesson are found in the links described and listed in above on this page. Use those web sites to complete this lesson. Please read each question of this quiz carefully to ascertain which link within the World Atlas web site to go to. When you have researched the answers to ALL of the questions and know the answers you are now ready to create and submit your assignment! You are required to answer ALL questions!! Please adhere **EXACTLY** to the following directions:

1. Keep your internet browser open to this page in the course.
2. Open up a new Word document and type your name, Unit and Assignment number and your Global Perspectives online student number in the upper **left** hand corner of your Word document using a separate line for one. Please use **Times New Roman** or **Arial** font and size number **12/12**

EXAMPLE:

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UAA1 **or** UAA1

CHS **or** CHS-1

3. Copy and paste the assignment questions below into a Word document. Make sure to copy **only** the assignment questions.
4. On your Word document that you copied and pasted the questions to, please color your chosen answers from black to **red** and also **bold** them. If the question asks you to type something in a space provided, please do so and make sure to **bold** the answer and change the color to **red**
5. Save the Word document on your hard drive AND a removable disk for back up purposes.
6. Send your completed assignment, which you have now "saved", as an attachment with the assignment name (**UAA4**) and your Global Perspectives online student number (**ex. CHS - 1**) typed into the subject line.

Here is your assignment: UAA4: South American Places

Question 1: "Click" on the map of South America found on the World Atlas web site. According to the United Nations, the world has 193 nations. How many nations (not territories) make up the continent of South America? Make sure to answer the question with a number. **(10 points)**

Question 2: According to the South American section(s) of the World Atlas web site, South America's land size ranking of the Worlds continents is.... **(10 points)**

- 4th
- 5th
- 6th
- 2nd

Question 3: South America's highest AND lowest point are both located in WHAT nation? (make sure to spell it correctly!) **(10 points)**

Question 4: South America is surrounded on all sides by water but a very small portion of the north western part is connected to WHAT continent? **(10 points)**

- Central America
- Europe
- North America
- the Caribbean

Question 5: What South American nation is the largest (land mass) *boy do I hope no one misses this one!!* **(10 points)**

Question 6: On the continent of South America is a nation owned by a European nation. What is it? **(10 points)**

Question 7: What is South America's population? **(10 points)**

1,256,785,000

285,384,000

349,510,000

807,419,000

Question 8: South America boasts of the world's second longest river and the world's largest rain forest that both go by the same name. True OR False? **(10 points)**

Question 9: South America's largest city is WHAT? (population) HINT: Use the section of the World Atlas web site called "The List". **(10 points)**

Sao Paulo, Brazil

Bogotá, Columbia

Buenos Aires, Argentina

Santiago, Chile

Question 10: England owns a group of islands off the Argentinean coast. What are they called? (hint: England also goes by a two letter abbreviation) **(10 points)**