

7th Grade Geography - Unit 2 - North America

Overview: The physical features, climates, and natural resources of North America.

Suggested Time Frame: 3 weeks

Essential Questions: What are the physical features, climates, and natural resources of a country or continent?

Content:	Domain-Specific Vocabulary	Arkansas Frameworks:
Physical Geography - the United States The United States Today Physical Geography - Canada Canada Today Physical Geography - Mexico Mexico Today Physical Geography - Central America & Caribbean Central America The Caribbbbean Islands	tributary, continental divide, megalopolis, pulp, newsprint, maritime, peninsula, inflation, cash crop, smog, isthmus, archipelago, cloud forest, ecotourism	WST.1.7.1 WST.1.7.2 WST.1.7.3 WST.1.7.4 WST.3.7.1 WST.4.7.2
Assessments: Summative - Chapter tests using MC and short answer/essay questions. Formative - Observe student understanding using quizzes, exit tickets, and openers.		