

America the Beautiful – pages 502 – 505 (Our World Today Textbooks)

My name and my partners name: _____

Our Physical Region of America is: _____

You and a partner are going to be assigned one of the 7 physical regions of America. Together, you will create a short presentation for your classmates about your physical region of America. You are going to put together a power point that consists of ONLY PICTURES – (no words).

Your power point should consist of 3 – 4 slides.

Slide 1 – Locate physical region on map of United States.

Slides 2 through 4 – A picture from your region on each slide. MAKE SURE THE PICTURE TAKES UP THE WHOLE SLIDE.

When presenting these pictures TOMORROW, you will need to share information with the class such as:

1. Where your region is located (Slide 1)?
2. Where each picture is taken (slides 2 – 4)? Specifically tell us what is in the picture, where is it?
You may want to take notes on this paper to help you tomorrow since your power point will not have any words.
3. How does the region affect the people who live there?
(Examples of things to consider - Jobs, Lifestyles, Food, Clothing, Sports, etc)
4. Answer your specific question that is assigned to each region – (below).

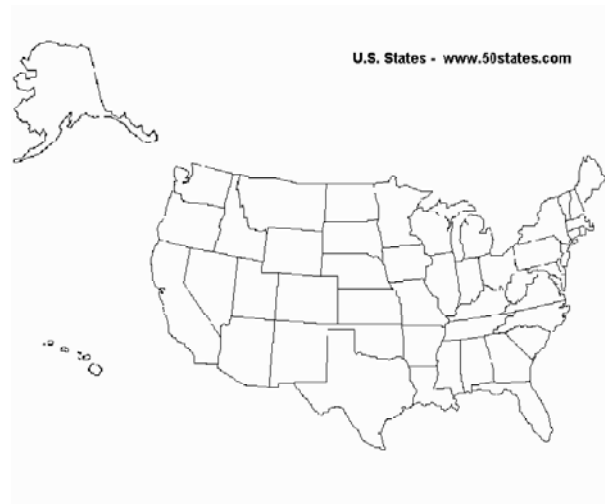
As you listen to your classmates describe the physical regions of America, please do two things.

1. Label the physical region in America map
2. Fill out the answers to the question assigned to each region.

****Before beginning, know that the weather patterns in the U.S. are generally “temperate”. What does that mean?** _____

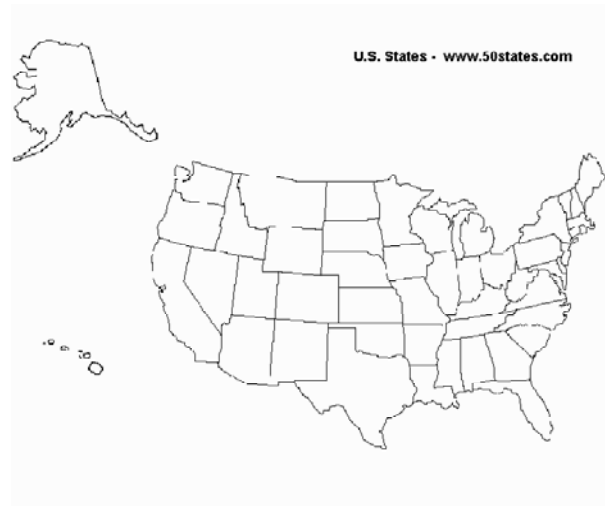
THE COASTAL PLAINS

What is a megalopolis? How do the coastal plains have one?



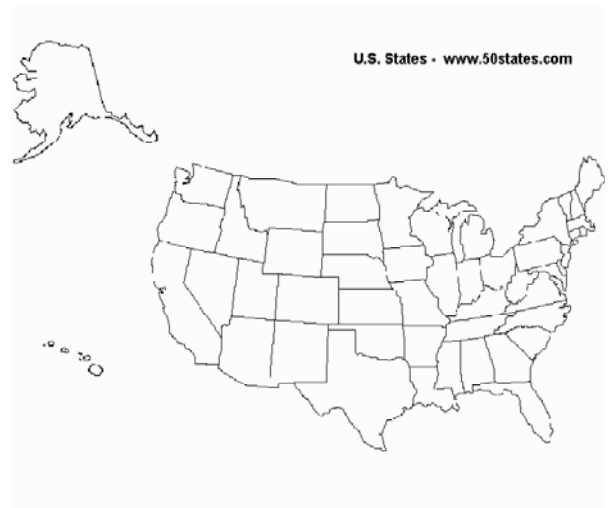
THE APPALACHIAN MOUNTAINS

What is unique about the age of these mountains?



THE INTERIOR PLAINS

What formed the Great Lakes?



MOUNTAINS AND PLATEAUS

What is the "Continental Divide"?



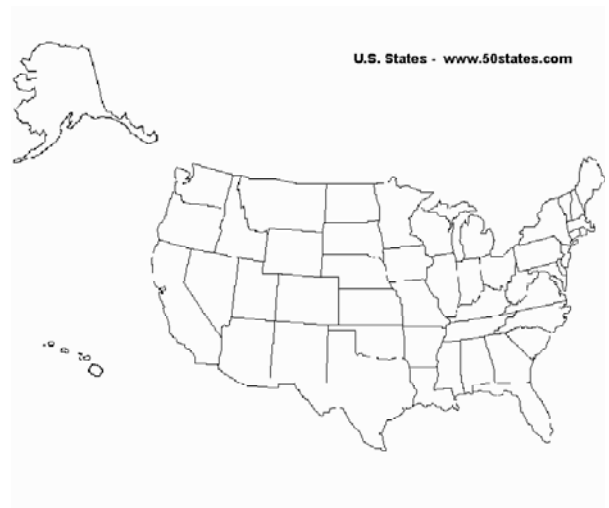
THE PACIFIC COAST

Why do many of the mountains have snow on top year round?



ALASKA

Why do most people who live in Alaska live in the southern portion of it?



HAWAII

How were the islands of Hawaii formed?

