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Latin America Review Guide

Major Landforms:

Regions of Latin America:

River Systems of Latin America:

Pampas-

Regionalism-

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Why does Latin America have many climate?

Resources:

Ethnic Groups:

Tierra caliente, templade, fria-

Mestizo-

El Nino-

Early Civilizations: (compare the three early civ. Location, year, importance)

Maya Aztec Inca

Maize-

Quipu-

Conquistador-

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Age of Exploration: (compare the explores, where did they start finish, importance, outcomes)

Christopher Columbus Ferdinand Magellan

Viceroy-

Cabildo-

Mercantilism-

Encomienda system:

Hacienda-

Portuguese in Brazil/Sugar and Slaves:

Donatario-

The Columbian Exchange:

Colonial Times:

What social classes developed in Latin America?

How did the Catholic Church influence colonial life?

Features of family life in Latin America: City v. Countryside

Peninsular-

Creole-

Peon-

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Winning Independence: Why did the people of LA want independence?

 How did the events in Europe contribute to independence?

 Who were individual leaders in winning independence?

Coup d’etat-

Embargo-

What European countries still have influence in Latin America today? Who holds possessions in Latin America?

Define the rigid class system in Latin America during colonial times.

US involvement: Panama Canal, Platt Amendment, Good Neighbor policy

What is the difference between: OAS, OPEC, NATO, NAFTA, and the Andean Pact?