

Year 5

Spring 1

Knowledge Map: Overseas Neighbours - North America!

How is North America different/similar to Britain?

Topic focus:

Geography, Art

Key Vocabulary

structure	A building or other object constructed from several parts.
design	A plan or drawing produced to show the look and function or workings of a building, garment, or other object before it is made.
Native Americans	The original people who lived in North and South America for thousands of years before Europeans arrived
continent	Any of the world's main continuous expanses of land (Europe, Asia, Africa, North and South America, Australia, Antarctica).
physical geography	Physical Geography is the study of the physical features of the Earth, such as oceans, mountains, rivers, coastlines, forests and plant life.
human geography	Features of our world that have been created by people are called human geographical features. Examples of human geographical features include cities, towns, villages, dams, bridges and buildings. Human geography is also concerned with how people move and live.
landscape	The landscape is everything you can see when you look across an area of land, including hills, rivers, buildings, trees, and plants

Key Prior Learning

What is the landscape like in the UK?

What is the climate like in the UK?



How do we make structures strong?



Want to find out more?

What are the names of all the countries in the North America?

What famous landmarks appear in North America?

