

North America Homework – Advent Term 2 2023

History/English

Christopher Columbus is thought to be the first person to discover America in 1492. Find out all about him and what he discovered when he landed in 'the new world'.



Get Active

North America has many national sports. Could you try playing one of these at home?

English

Have you ever been to North America? Tell me all about your time there and what you most enjoyed? (Pictures are welcome)



Art/Design and Technology

Research the symbolism of the flag of the United States of America or Canada. Why are there so many stars? What do they represent? Why is the maple leaf a symbol of Canada?



Science

There are many unique animals that are native to North America. Choose at least one of these animals and tell me what you have found out about them. How are they suited to their habitat? Remember, northern Canada sits within the Arctic circle!



Modern Foreign Languages

Both English and French are official languages of Canada. Can you use some of your French knowledge to write a few phrases about Canada in French? Alternatively, you could research why French is spoken in some parts of Canada. What influence have the French had on this region?



Art

Andy Warhol is a famous American artist. Create your own Pop art image.



Geography

Write a weather report for the USA or Canada. What weather can people expect in the different states? Use a map of the USA/Canada and the weather symbols.



Geography

The Great Lakes are found between the USA and Canada. Research one of the Great Lakes and produce a fact file on your chosen lake.



Science

Create a poster to show some of the things that have been invented in North America. Will it be the telephone, the aeroplane, the traffic light - it's up to you!

