

## American Geography

*Test your knowledge of American Geography! Match the Names to the Places.*

1. **A river**
2. **Mountains**
3. **A Lake**
4. **An Island**
5. **A Forest**
6. **An Ocean**
7. **A Desert**
8. **Waterfalls**

- a) Niagara
- b) Mississippi
- c) Mojave
- d) California  
Redwood
- e) The Atlantic
- f) The Rockies
- g) Hawaii
- h) Superior

## Group Survey : You and Nature

Conduct a survey of other people in your class. How many people...

- Prefer the country to the city?
- Live or have a house in the country?
- Have climbed a mountain?
- Have slept outside in the countryside?
- Have jumped off a cliff?
- Have camped in a forest?
- Have canoed on a river?
- Have gone fishing in a lake or river?
- Have walked in a desert?
- Have swum in the ocean?
- Have bathed under a waterfall?

Ask questions to find out more information.

## Word Poems

Choose one of the new words that you have learned so far. You are going to write a mini poem to help you remember this word. Follow the instructions.

- ❖ Write the new word at the top of the page.
- ❖ Think of two adjectives to describe the word. Write them on the line under the word.
- ❖ Choose one of the following questions about the word and write on the next line.

What does it make me think of?

Where is it?

Who lives there?

What can you do there?

What does it look like?

- ❖ On the fourth line, write the answer to the question on line three.
- ❖ Write the word again.

Look at the example below:

<p><i>Lake.</i></p> <p>Deep.      Blue.</p> <p>What does it make me think of?</p> <p>Peace.</p> <p>Lake.</p>
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