World Geography Lesson Plans – Week 13

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Room 108

Weekly Agenda:

1) Mexico – Central America and the Caribbean
   a. Physical Geography
   b. Regional Development
   c. Cultures
   d. Economic Development

Use new Prentice Hall textbook and Coach Bailey’s Social Studies website

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Monday

Warmup: Analysis - What events in Mexico’s history might explain why the country continues to have difficulty improving social justice and economic opportunities for all people?
   1) Video: The Geography of Mexico Physical Geography of Mexico
   2) Activities:
      a. Key Terms and Vocabulary – Chapter 9
      b. Understanding and comparing population pyramids.

Tuesday

1) Warmup: Why do they call Mexico a “Place with Three Cultures”?
2) Activities:
   a. Video: The Cultural Geography of Mexico Cultural Geography of Mexico
   b. Review Worksheet Chapter 9 – Mexico (Culture and Economics)

Wednesday

Warmup: Discuss how location influences temperatures and rainfall on the Caribbean islands and in Central America.
   1) Video: Central America and the Caribbean Central America
2) Activities:
   a. Key Terms and Vocabulary – Chapter 10
   b. Label and illustrate the countries of Central America and the Caribbean

**Thursday**

1) Warmup: List capital cities of Mexico, Central America and the Caribbean (with population – use textbook)
2) Activity:
   a. Review Worksheet – Chapter 11 - Central America and the Caribbean (Culture and Economics)
   b. Vocabulary and Key Terms – Chapter 9 (Intro to Latin America)

**Friday**

Warmup: Explain why the majority of people on the Caribbean islands do not benefit from the money brought into the countries by tourists.
1) Activities:
   a. Video: The History of the Caribbean Islands [History of the Caribbeans](#)
   b. Video guide - notes