



Geographical Locations and Characteristics

I can describe the geographical location and characteristics of different places in the Americas.

1. Use atlases, information books and the Internet to explain the geographical location of the following places in the Americas:

Place Name	Anchorage, Alaska	Rio de Janeiro
State and/or country		
Capital city		
Coordinates (latitude and longitude)		
Hemisphere		
Size (area, etc.)		
Natural (physical) features		
Time zone		
Typical weather (rainfall, summer and winter temperature, etc.)		

2. Find and describe other places in the world that share similar physical features with each of your chosen locations in the Americas. Explain why this might be the case.

