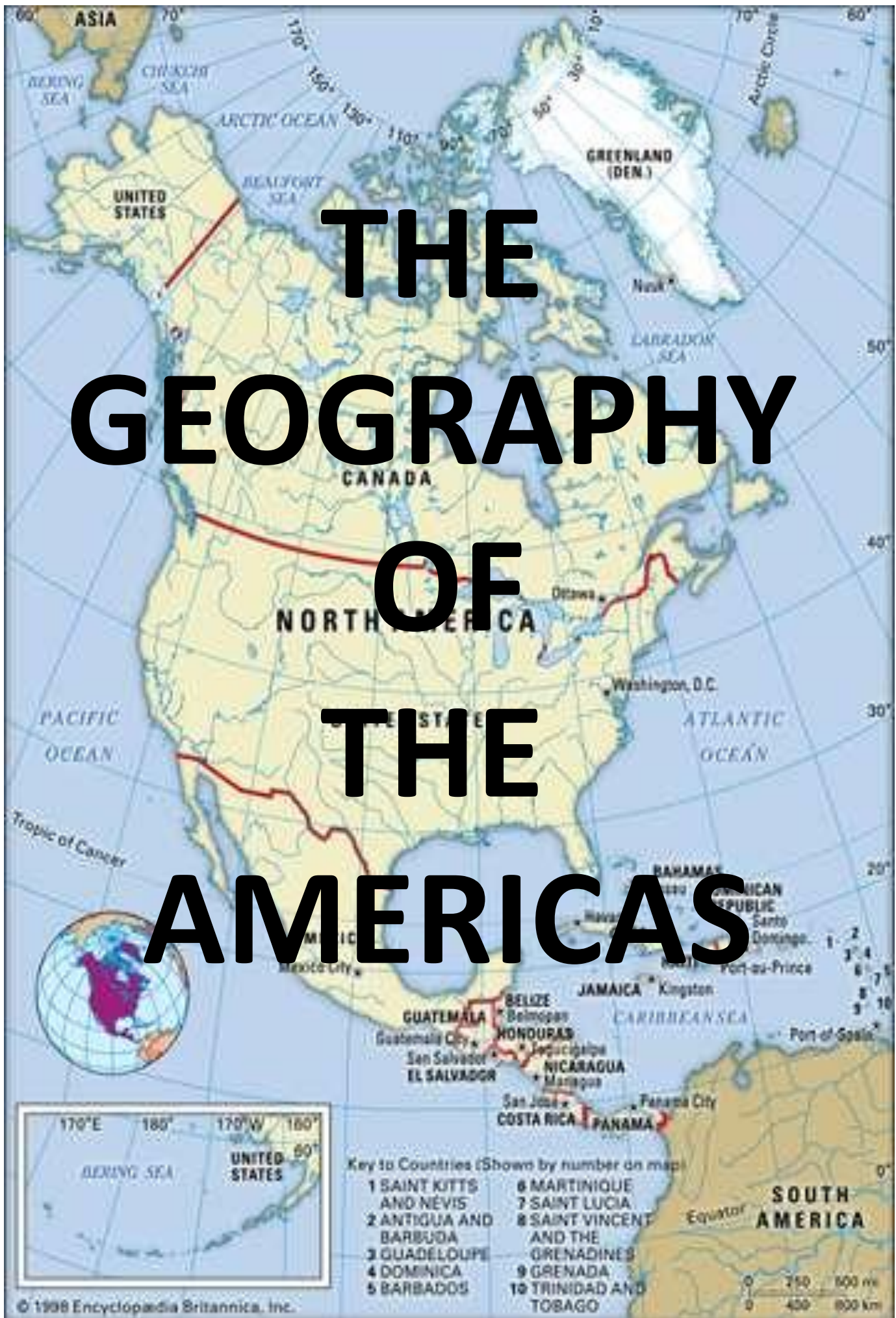


THE GEOGRAPHY OF THE AMERICAS



Day 1

Good morning and welcome to our new topic on the Americas.

LO To use research skills

There are 23 countries in North America.
Can you use your research skills to find their names and further information to fill the table on the next page?

If you want to produce your own table – that is fine

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Day 2

LO To use mapping skills

Now you have identified the countries of North America it is time to find them on a map.

Find and label each country on the map of the Americas on the next page.

If you want to continue with your research why not find draw and colour the flags for some of the countries?

One you have done this why not play this quiz?

(Beware it gets harder – there are no answers given!)

<https://quizizz.com/join?gc=10412084>



Day 3

Lo To use mapping skills

The United States of America is divided into states in the same way that the UK divides into counties. I wonder if you can name any?
Have you heard of Texas or California?

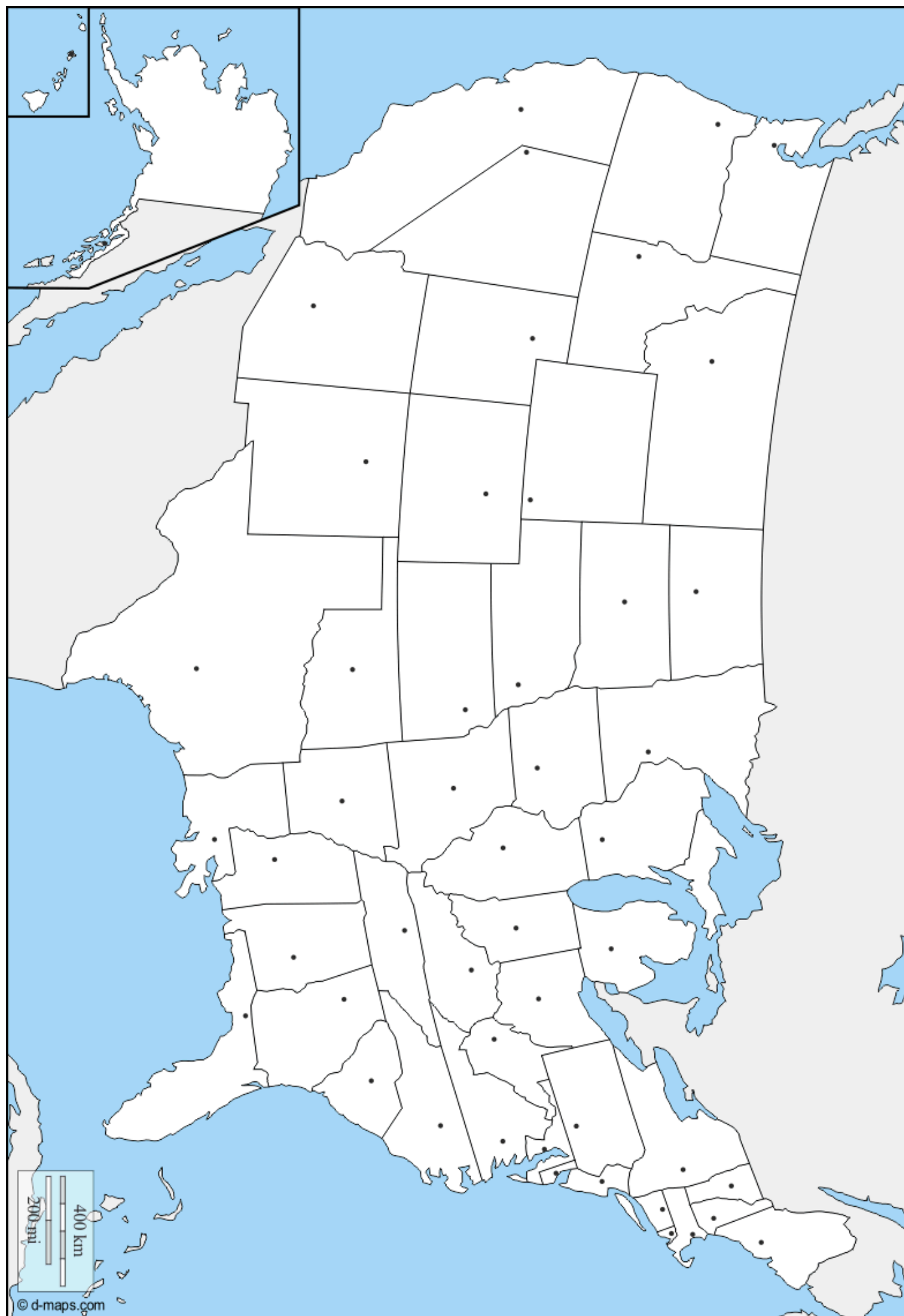
I know Stan lived In the US – perhaps he could post on Seesaw which state he lived in.

Your next task is to label the state map of the United States

There are dots in each state to indicate where the state capitals are. If you want to label those as well you are being super-efficient!
Try to do this as neatly as possible!

Quiz here – its tough!

<https://quizizz.com/join?gc=22143028>



Day 4 & 5

LO To undertake geographical research

Now you have named the different US states, I'd like you to carry out some geographical research about one of them.

Pick a state and then find out some geographical information;

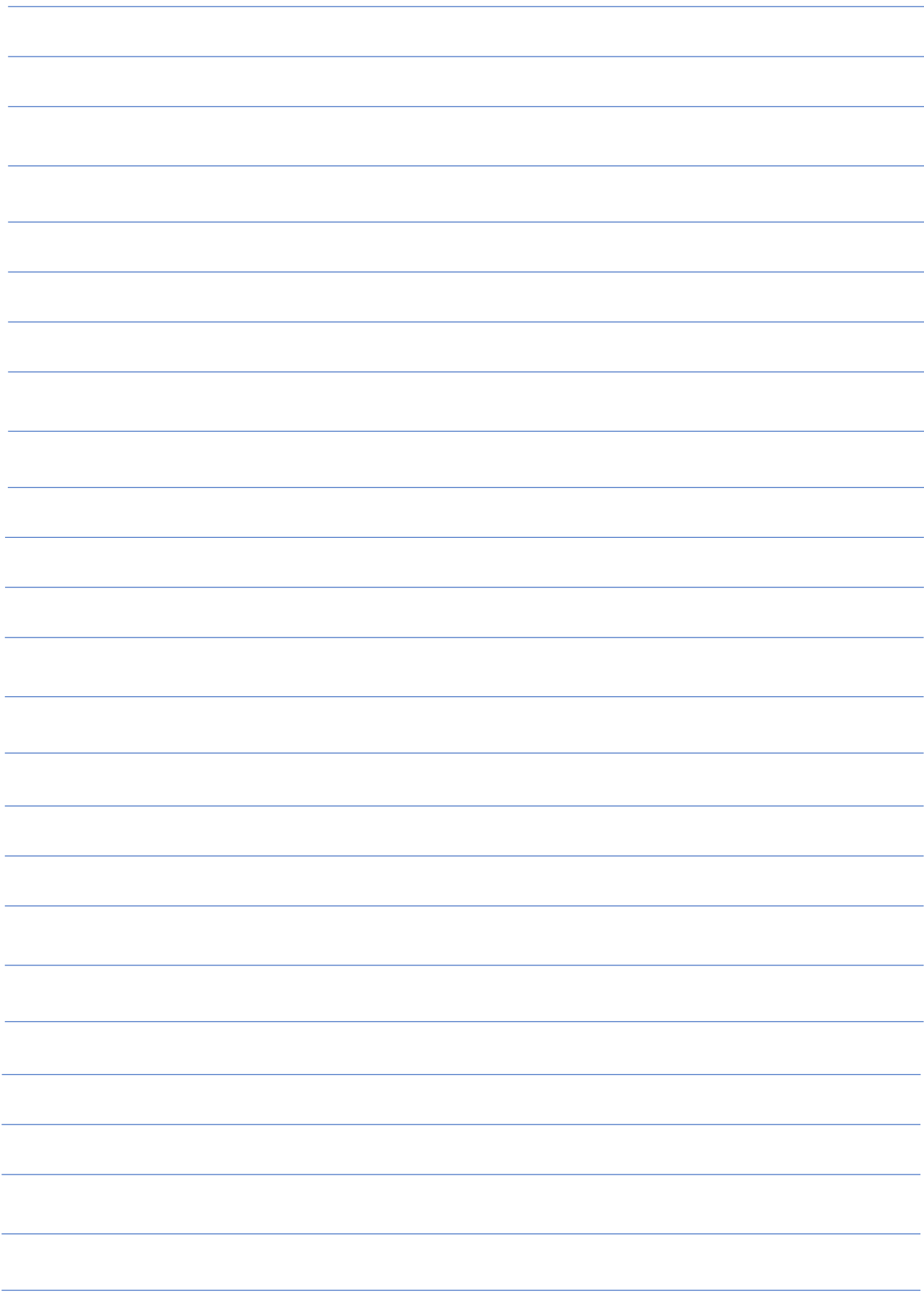
Where is the state?

What is the climate like?

What is the landscape like?

What cities are in the state?

Once you have carried out your research you will need to write a best copy using the next page, or in your own style. - This work should take 2 sessions.



Day 6

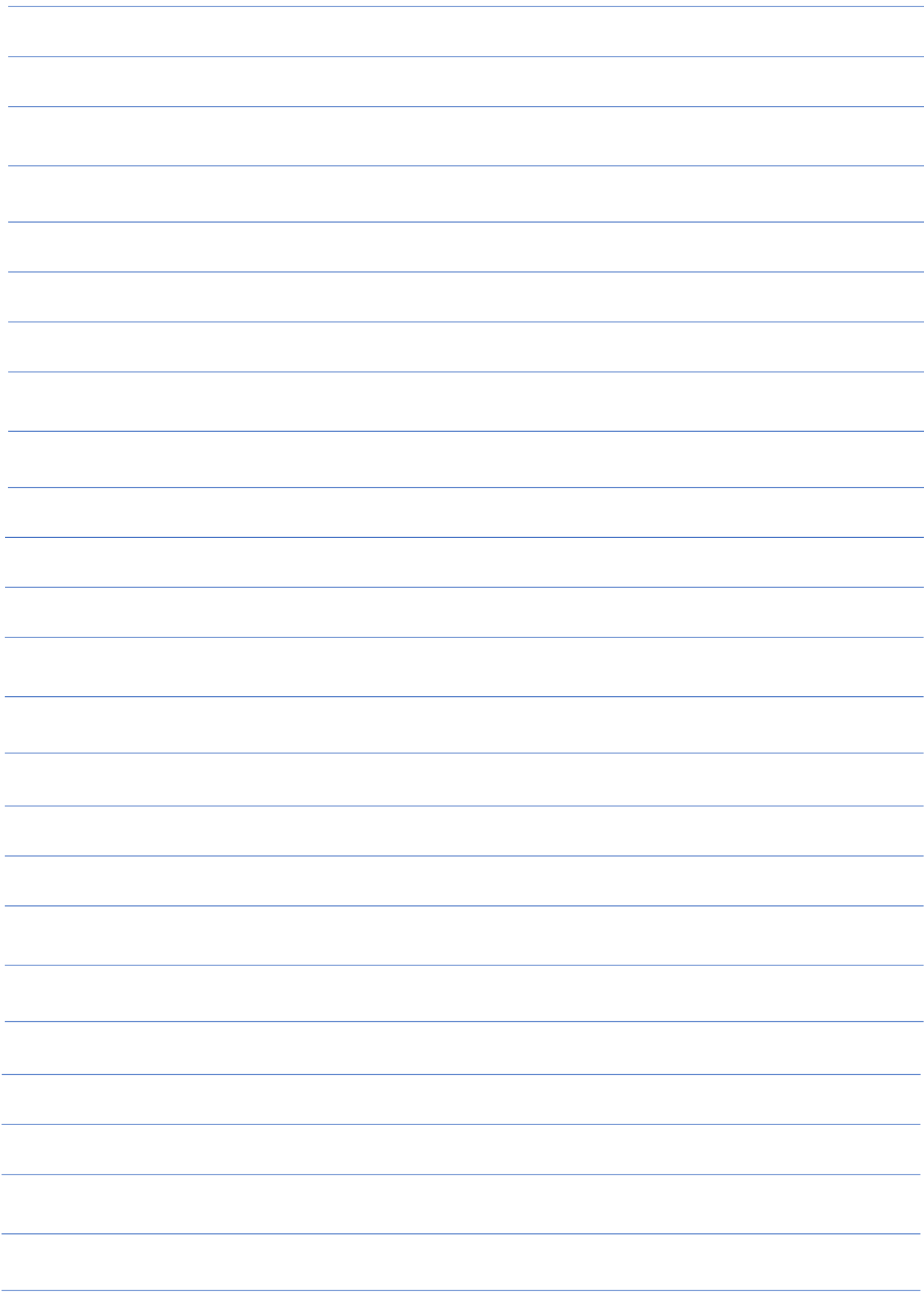
The Geography of North America

Today gives you a chance to access the Oak National Academy lessons.

Follow this link to watch the first video;

<https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/what-are-north-americas-countries-and-physical-features-ctgked>

Use the sheet on the next page to record work you may have been asked to do.



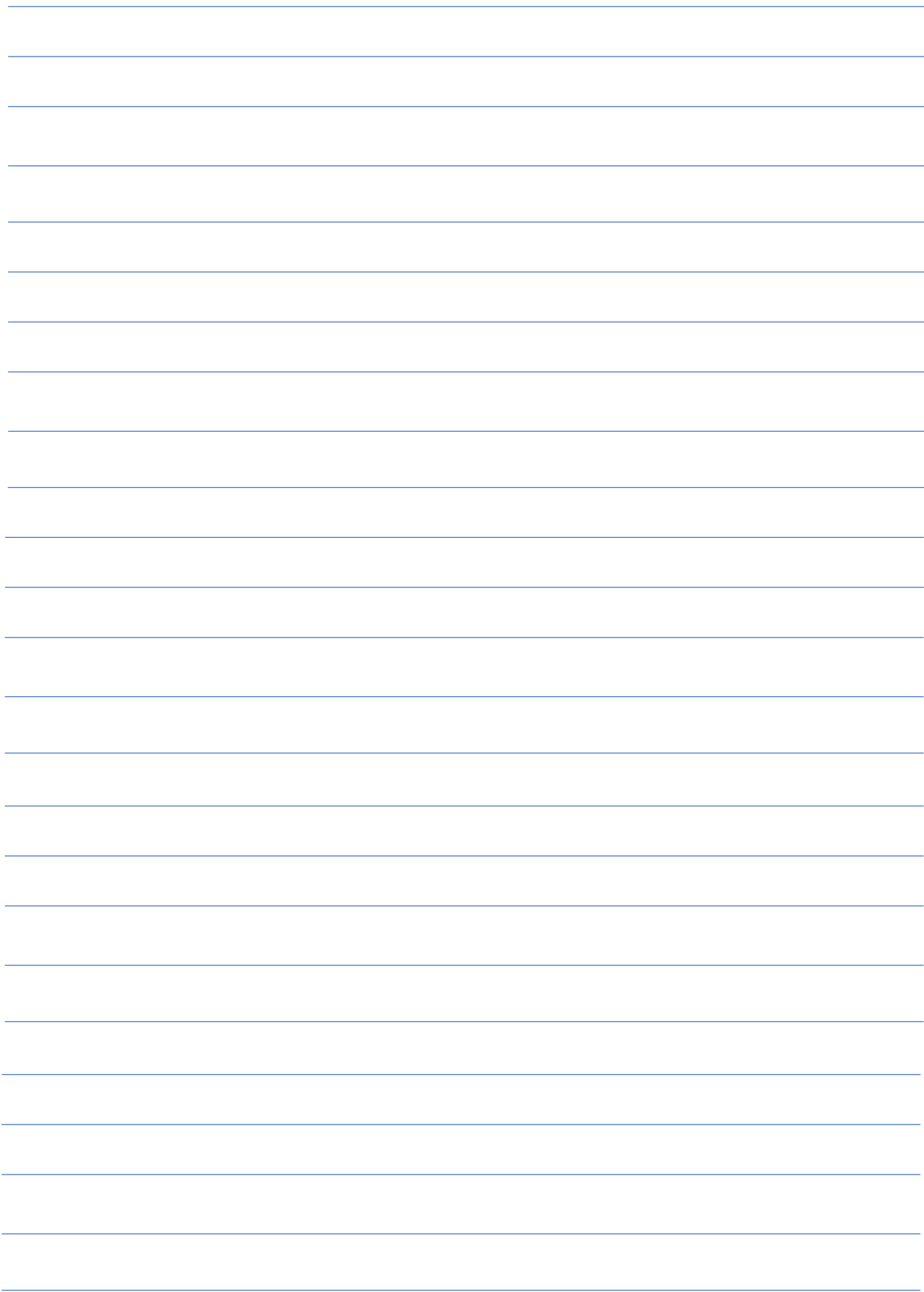
Day 7

The Geography of North America

A second Oak Academy lesson

<https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/what-are-some-of-north-americas-most-important-human-characteristics-c8vk8r>

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Day 8

The Physical Geography of North America

Lo To use mapping skills

It's time to find out more about the physical geography of North America.

Look at the map on the next page.

Can you label the rivers, lakes and mountain ranges which are present in the USA?

As you do this try to make a note of the lengths of the rivers and the sizes of the lakes for tomorrow's activity.

UNITED STATES



Day 9

The Physical Geography of North America

Use the information you gathered yesterday to produce a table of the longest rivers, largest lakes and biggest forests in North America.

Use the table on the next page to help record your findings.

Look for some extra fun facts to add to this work.

Top 5 Rivers, Lakes and Mountains of the United States.

| River | Length |
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| Lake | Area |
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| Mountains | Area |
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Day 10

The Climate of North America

At this point

you have found a great deal of information about North America.

Watch this video to find out more about the climate in North America.

<https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/what-is-the-climate-like-in-parts-of-north-america-6nh3ee>

Write up anything you have found out on the next sheet.

