

Inquiry Question

Can you use your knowledge of physical regions to create a brochure that informs others about the city and region in which you live?

Name: _____

Date: _____



General Instructions

After having learned about the 7 Physical Regions of Canada, create a brochure for the city where you live which informs tourists about the physical region in which your island is situated.

Follow the instructions below and reference the examples provided. Your finished product should be polished.

Materials you'll need:

- This document
- A pencil
- A ruler
- Pencil crayons
- Thin, black Sharpie/Trend pen
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Project submission:

Your brochure

Front Page

The front page of the brochure is meant to capture the attention of tourists. Make it interesting, detailed and pleasant to look at!

- ✓ Title at the top.
 - The title will be the city where you live
- ✓ Drawing representing your city in the middle
- ✓ Your name at the bottom

Inside the Brochure

The inside of the brochure is meant to provide the tourist with information about the physical region of your city. Make sure that you write neatly and that you use interesting, clear language. Each section in your brochure will have a title: **Landforms, Climate, and Natural Resources & Industries.**

✓ **Landforms**

- What kind of landforms are found in your city? In other words, what kind of geographical features? Use interesting adjectives to describe them.

For example:

On Ice Cream Island, you will find beautiful mountains, pristine lakes and vast forests.

- Name 3 **specific** geographical features found in your city. Include a picture of each, followed with a brief description.
 - What does it look like?
 - Where in the city is it located?
 - What activities can you use it for?

For example:

Waffle Cone Lake is the most popular lake to visit on Ice Cream Island. It is a glacial lake, which causes it to be a beautiful turquoise blue and freezing cold year-round. It is great for kayaking, fishing and swimming.



✓ Climate

- What is the climate in your city like?
 - How many seasons are there?
 - What activities can be done during each season? Why would tourists want to visit?
 - What are the temperatures like?
 - When is the best time for tourists to visit?
 - What is the weather like?
 - What type of severe weather risks are there? (ex. tornados, floods, hurricanes, acid rain, etc.)

For example:

On Ice Cream Island, there 4 seasons: spring, summer, fall and winter. Summers hit highs of around 35°C and are hot and humid, making it the most popular season for tourists to visit. Summers offer the opportunity to hang by the lake, enjoy many festivals and restaurants as well as scenic hikes around the island. Winters aren't too cold, with lows of about 5°C. However, winters can be extremely wet and windy, making winter a less desirable time for tourists to visit. When visiting the island, it is important that you are cautious of mud slides and flooding which frequently occur year-round. During the winter,

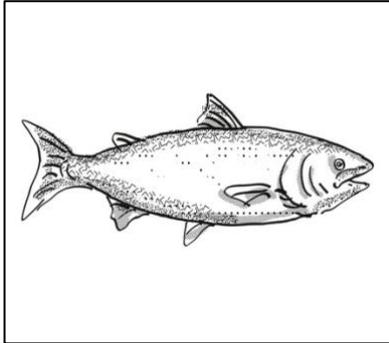
✓ Natural Resources & Industries

- What are natural resources are found in the city where you live? Make sure you research well and include a sketch with each. Some examples are:
 - Water
 - Oil
 - Forests
 - Precious metals (gold, silver, copper)
 - Coal
 - Fish
 - Uranium
 - Diamonds
 - Natural gas
 - Agriculture (farmland)

For example:

On Ice Cream Island, you can find the following natural resources:

Fish



Diamonds



Forests



- How do the natural resources on the island create jobs?
- What jobs are they?
- How many jobs do they create?
- Where are the natural resources harvested on the island?

For example:

The natural resources found on Ice Cream island create a variety of jobs.

Fish

The fish on the island create 150 commercial fishing jobs. On Ice Cream Island, fishing is done in the surrounding ocean, as well as Waffle Cone Lake.

Diamonds

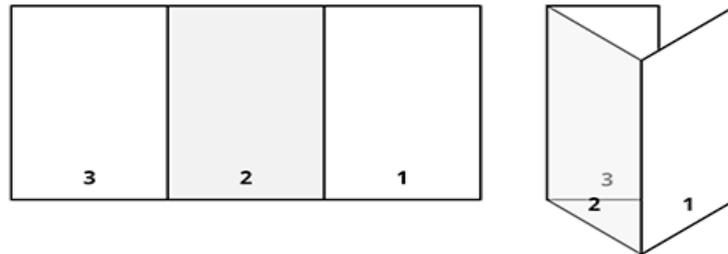
Diamonds on the island create 75 jobs for diamond miners. On top of this, diamonds help employ 25 local jewellers who create jewelry from the diamonds mined on Ice Cream Island. On Ice Cream Island, diamonds are mostly mined on Sprinkles Mountain.

Forests

Ice Cream Island is covered in 70% forest, making forests one of the main natural resources on the island. This natural recourse employs 120 lumberjacks, and well as another 56 mill workers. The main forest used for harvesting trees is Banana Split Forest, located at the north end of the island.

Making Your Brochure

On the next page, you will find a blank page for your brochure. You are going to make a Tri-Fold brochure. See below for how you will be folding your paper into a brochure:



If you are having trouble folding your paper, you can ask an adult for help, or search a YouTube video.

Plan out your brochure **fully in pencil** before outlining everything in fine, black sharpie/trend pen and adding colour. I would strongly suggest using a ruler to help you write straight!

Your brochure needs to have all of the information outlined above and needs to be detailed, neat and tidy.

