

Political and Physical Regions of Canada

Activity 1

Introduction to Canada studying a map.

Discussion where are we, how big are we in comparison to _____

What is a province? Why do we have provinces?

<https://sites.google.com/ocdsb.ca/canada-ngmps/home>

Activity 2

Match the Provinces to their location in the country. Can include a discussion about size, landscape, climate.

Activity 3

Discussion - What is a capital city? Why do we have them. Do a very brief discussion around levels of government.

Match the capital cities to their province. There is a paper or on-line matching activity attached to this activity for assessment.

Activity 4

Geographic Regions. Sheppard Software activity will walk students through the different geophysical regions. You can use Google Read and Write to listen to the information.

Activity 5

Over Canada: An Aerial Adventure - Whole class activity. Watch the video as a group stopping to discuss each each region. The video is almost an hour. This will take several classes to complete.

Activity 6

More videos - these are shorts. They could be done as a whole class or small groups. Groups can present to each other. The worksheet can be done individually, or a group.

Activity 7, 8, 9

Culminating tasks. Learn about these natural resources that are harvested in Canada. Use your personal knowledge and recent learning to think about the positives and negatives of human interaction ature and removal of resources.

Other Resource I used

Nelson All About Canada Series

Canadian Landscapes by George Quinn (note: this is a very old, but very good document)

Available for purchase from Teachers Pay Teachers

<https://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Product/Canadian-Regions-Information-Bundle-2076908?aref=6qzgdo6w>

<https://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Product/Jeopardy-Canada-277970?aref=6qzgdo6w>

<https://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Product/Canadian-Regions-Amazing-Race-Style-2061217?aref=6qzgdo6w>

Reading Material