



GEOGRAPHY AND NATIVE AMERICANS

Test Review

Use as you would use flash cards

According to the land bridge theory, the first people who came into North America came from:

Asia

In South Carolina, the greatest killer of Native Americans was:

New diseases brought by Europeans

Today, the only Native American group that has a reservation in South Carolina are the:

Catawba

To reach North America, the Native Americans probably crossed the:

Bering Strait

Why did the early people migrate to North America across the land bridge?

They were following animal herds for
food

Native Americans were able to survive in North America by

Hunting, gathering, and agriculture

What would an archeologist NOT find among prehistoric artifacts?

Written records

Which Native American tribe was the only tribe in South Carolina to speak the Iroquoian language?

Cherokee

Sometime after 5000 BC, Native Americans stopped living a nomadic lifestyle and began living in small villages for longer periods of time. What made this possible?

Knowledge of Agriculture

What crops did Native Americans grow?

Corn, beans, squash

How are many Native American groups in SC organized today?

Tribes

Which Native American language group lived in the Blue Ridge Mountains in the northwest corner of the state?

Iroquoian

Which Native American language group lived along the coast and along the rivers that led to the coast?

Muskhogeian

Which Native American language group lived along the Savannah River?

Algonquian

Which Native American language group lived along the Santee River System in the north central part of the state?

Siouan

If your favorite activities are hiking and camping in the mountains , which South Carolina region would be the best place to take a vacation?

Blue Ridge region

Which geographical feature forms the border between the states of South Carolina and Georgia?

Savannah River

If your favorite activities are surfing and deep sea fishing, which geographic region of South Carolina would be the best place to take a vacation?

Coastal Zone

Fall Line

The division of labor (who did what) was very specific in the early Native American culture. Describe the division of labor.

Men fished and hunted while women gathered and farmed.

Why did many Native America tribes build their villages along rivers?

Water was vital for survival and the rivers were also used for transportation

What natural resources did the Eastern Woodland Native Americans use for hunting and farming?

Rocks, wood, and animal skins were used for hunting and farming

Scientists who search for and study artifacts in the ground.

Archaeologists

A sharpened stone attached to a spear could be used as an

Arrowhead

Provided protection for Native American villages

Palisades

Native Americans were grouped by:

Languages and location

The most valuable resource that the Indians had to trade to the Europeans was:

Deer skins

What type of agriculture involved fire?

Slash and burn agriculture

Which Native American group called themselves the River People?

Catawba

Which Native American group called themselves
the Real People?

Cherokee

Which Native American group lived along the coast?

Yemassee

Which Native American group lived in the Piedmont?

Catawba

Which Native American group lived in the Blue Ridge?

Cherokee

Which Native American group did not allow women to participate on their council?

Catawba

Be prepared to label the landform regions of South Carolina on your test!

