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Seventh Grade
Study Guide for *Latin America: Test*

Objectives:

Students will be able to:

- describe the economy and explain the many issues facing Latin American countries today (unstable governments, developing economies, debt, etc.).
- describe the importance of the rain forest and debate the issue of preservation versus deforestation of the Amazon Basin.
- describe the physical, political, economic, and social aspects of Brazil (rain forest), Panama (means of transportation), and Mexico (economic, political, and social ties) and explain their connection to the United States.

***Students are reminded to review the objectives and key terms/concepts, people, and events from *Latin America: Quiz 1 Study Guide* and *Latin America: Quiz 2 Study Guide*.**

Assignments and Notes Section:

- *Study Guide for Latin America: Quiz 2*
- *Latin America: Quiz 2*
- Activity sheet: *Living in Latin America*
- Interactive notes: *Latin America Today* with population pyramids handout
- Activity sheet: *Brazil*
- Article and activity sheet: *Land Use Conflict in the Amazon Rainforest*
- Article: *Rainforest Facts*
- Activity: *Rain Forest Cartoon*
- *Study Guide for Latin America: Test*

Key terms/concepts, people, and events:

Campeños	Latifunda	Minifundia	Cash crop	Rapid Urbanization
Diversification	NAFTA	Population Pyramid	Rapid Growth	Steady Growth
Negative Growth	Panama Canal	Locks	Isthmus	Amazon Basin
Slash and Burn	Deforestation	Preservation	Global Warming	Canopy
Understory	Forest Floor	Flora	fauna	Carbon-O ₂ Cycle
Biodiversity	Interdependence			