

EL/Civics WebQuest

Use the following Web sites to complete this WebQuest about the United States and the state of Virginia:

www.50states.com/virginia.htm

www.eduplace.com/ss/maps/usa.html

<http://quickfacts.census.gov/qfd/states/51/51161.html>

Facts About Virginia

1. Virginia became a state in (date): _____

2. Name three states that entered the Union before Virginia:

1. _____

2. _____

3. The Virginia state bird is the _____.

4. The Virginia state tree is the _____.

5. Use your map. The five states on Virginia's borders are:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

6. Your Spanish-speaking friend wants information in Spanish about the Virginia court system. He/she needs to go to (URL): _____

(hint: click on "Judicial System")

7. DMV means **D** _____ of **M** _____

V _____. The Virginia DMV handbook in Spanish is at (URL):

8. Virginia's governor is _____
9. The current temperature at the highest point in Virginia is _____ degrees Fahrenheit.
10. There are currently _____ people living in Virginia.

Facts about the United States

1. On your map of the United States, draw a line around the following regions:

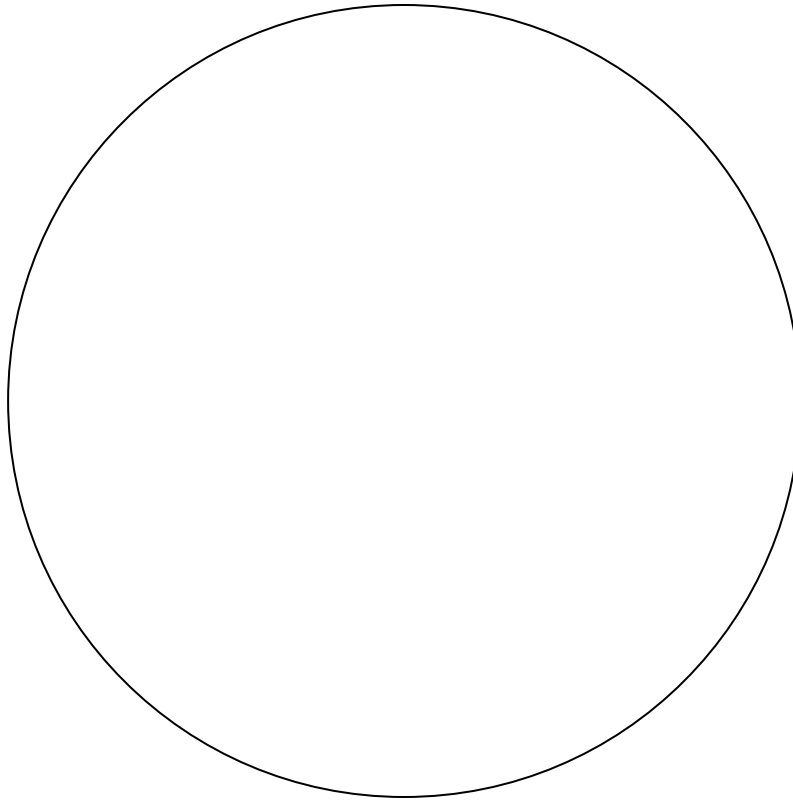
The South
The Midwest

The Northeast
The West

2. The states with the best climate are: _____

3. The state of _____ is south of Virginia.
4. The state of _____ is west of Virginia.
5. The states of _____ and _____ are north of Florida.
6. The state of _____ is east of California.
7. The state of _____ is between Virginia and Ohio.
8. The state of _____ is across Lake Michigan from Wisconsin.
9. The state of Maine is next to _____.
10. On the United States map, the state of _____ is below Colorado.
11. On the map of the United States, the states of _____ and _____ are above Massachusetts.
12. On the map of the United States, the state of _____ is to the right of Kentucky.
13. On the United States map, the state of _____ is to the left of Louisiana.
14. The states of _____ and _____ are between two mountain ranges in the West.

15. Go to <http://quickfacts.census.gov/qfd/states/51/51161.html> to find information about Roanoke City:



Age of Roanoke City Residents

- a. Percent of persons under 5 years old: _____
- b. Percent of persons under 18 years old: _____
- c. Percent of persons 65 years old or over: _____
- d. Percent of persons between ages 18 and 65 years old: _____
- e. Complete the following table:

	Roanoke City	Virginia
Median value of home		
Households, 2000		
Persons per household		
Median household income		
Per capita income		

