

## G. SOUTH AMERICA

Since you live in North America, wouldn't it be fun to spend your homestay in South America (**América del Sur**)? There are so many countries where Spanish is spoken. You really have a lot of choices. Look at the map of South America. Here are some additional geographical terms in Spanish.



### A. How do Spanish-speaking students write the following?

1. Pacific Ocean \_\_\_\_\_
2. Atlantic Ocean \_\_\_\_\_
3. Gulf of Mexico \_\_\_\_\_
4. Caribbean Sea \_\_\_\_\_

### B. Search the map to find the following information.

1. Circle the major mountainous region on your map.
2. Name the river that flows through **Venezuela**. \_\_\_\_\_
3. Which river begins in **Perú** and **Colombia** and runs to **Brasil**? \_\_\_\_\_



4. Which rivers empty into the **Océano Atlántico**? \_\_\_\_\_

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5. Which countries in South America do not border on water? \_\_\_\_\_

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6. With your finger, trace the mountains that run through South America. What is the name of these mountains? \_\_\_\_\_

List the seven countries where the mountains are located. \_\_\_\_\_

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7. Where do you think the weather is hottest in July? \_\_\_\_\_

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Where do you think it is hottest in December? \_\_\_\_\_

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8. Look at the map. Listen while your teacher names some of the geographic points of interest discussed above. When you hear a location, place your finger on that area of the map. Your teacher will give you the correct answer after naming each location. How many did you get right? Try doing the same with a partner.



Quito, Ecuador

