

Tuesday 2nd March 2021

O LO: Can I study the human and physical geographical features of a small area of the USA (Western Colorado)?

O LO: Can I start to compare the human and physical geography of Western Colorado with the Jurassic Coast?

To access information about the tasks today as well as facts about the areas we are looking at, click the link titled 'Theme - input PowerPoint'.

Task one:

Look at the map of the continent of North America below. Can you pinpoint which country is the United States of America (USA). See if you can give this task a go independently, without using any resources to check first. Then, check your answer against the slide on the PowerPoint and see how close you are!



Task two:

Read through the rest of the PowerPoint. Click on the website link on the PowerPoint about the Dinosaur National Monument and make some bullet pointed notes of some wow facts you find out!

Task three:

Look at the pictures below of several areas of Western Colorado. Make notes in the table below of the human and physical geography that you can see. Try to spot as many features as you can!

Human geography	Physical geography







Task four:

Look back at your notes on the Jurassic Coast and the human and physical geography of that area. What are the similarities and differences between the Jurassic Coast and Western Colorado? Write a paragraph below summing up your ideas:

Task five:

Even if both areas look quite different or they represent different environments (e.g. The Jurassic Coast is a coastal area right by the sea and Western Colorado is landlocked), why do you think both areas could be home to lots of fossils? What features do both areas have that could make them homes to lots of fossils? Brainstorm your ideas on a mind map.