History Grade 9

Topic: The Cuban Revolution

Facts about Cuba

Cuba is the largest island in the Greater Antilles. Cuba was a colony of Spain and the official language is Spanish. Cuba's nearest Caribbean neighbours are Jamaica and Haiti. Cuba is nearest to the most southern tip of the United States state Florida.



- 1. Name the Mother Country of Cuba.
- 2. State the capital of Cuba.
- 3. Name two countries which are Cuba's closest neighbours in the Caribbean.
- 4. Explain how Cuba became the largest sugar producer in the 19th Century.
- 5. What is the distance from Cuba to Florida in the USA?
- 5. Paste a map of Cuba in your notebook.
- 6. Define the terms: mestizo, peninsular, creole and communism.