

Reteaching Activity

Finding Main Ideas

Find the Native American society or societies that best match the descriptions that follow. Write the letter of your answer in the first column. Then find the geographical region that best matches the society and its description. Write the letter of your answer in the second column.

Native American Societies

- A. the Aleut and Inuit
- B. the Aztecs
- C. the Choctaw and Chickasaw
- D. the Iroquois
- E. the Kwakiutul and Haida
- F. the Mandans and Pawnee
- G. the Navajo and Apache
- H. the Pomo
- I. the Pueblo

Regions

- J. Mexico
- K. Southeast
- L. Northeast
- M. Great Plains
- N. Southwest (use twice)
- O. West
- P. Northwest
- Q. far North

N.A.

Societies Regions

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| _____ | _____ | 1. These tribes developed kayaks to paddle the icy seas. They hunted whales, seals, and walrus, which they used for food and clothing. |
| _____ | _____ | 2. These tribes fished for salmon, built wood houses, and carved totem poles. They held a special ceremony called a potlatch, where a person gives away all of his or her goods. |
| _____ | _____ | 3. This tribe wove watertight baskets that were used to store food. They often moved with the seasons in order to collect foods, such as nuts, seeds, and berries, and to hunt and fish. |
| _____ | _____ | 4. This warlike people ruled a great and complex society. Often they forced the people they conquered to provide them with food and resources. Their most important ritual involved sacrificing human prisoners to their sun god. |
| _____ | _____ | 5. This society made houses out of dry mud bricks called adobe. They irrigated their dry land to make it suitable for farming corn, beans, and squash. |
| _____ | _____ | 6. These nomadic tribes lived mainly on game, cactus, roots, and piñon nuts. They often traded with the Pueblo people. |
| _____ | _____ | 7. These nomadic tribes lived in large, circular huts partly buried underground. They hunted bison by stampeding them over cliffs. |
| _____ | _____ | 8. These tribes farmed corn, beans, squash, and pumpkins, and hunted deer. They gathered in central places for public meetings and religious festivals such as the Green Corn Festival. |
| _____ | _____ | 9. People from this tribe lived in longhouses and used slash-and-burn agriculture. Five nations of this tribe joined to form an alliance, or league. |