

# GEOGRAPHY

## What is Geography?

Geography is the study of the **Earth's surface**.

Continents like North America and South America are major **land formations**.

Other **land formations** include:

- **Peninsula** - land surrounded on three sides by water



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- **Delta** - a fertile crescent of land built up at the mouth of a river



- **Plateau** - a high, flat mass of land



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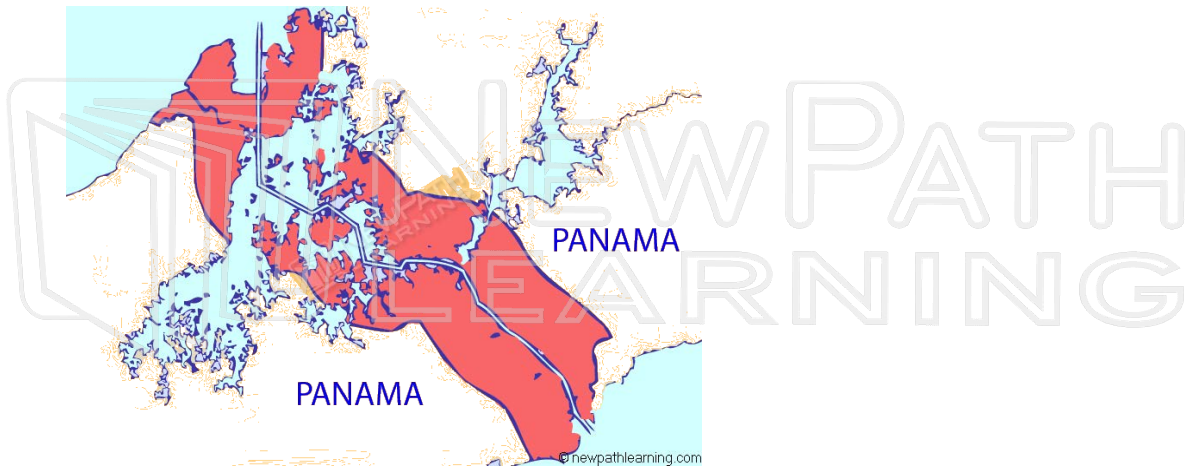
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- **Strait** - a narrow body of water that connects two larger bodies of water



- **Canal** - a waterway dug by humans

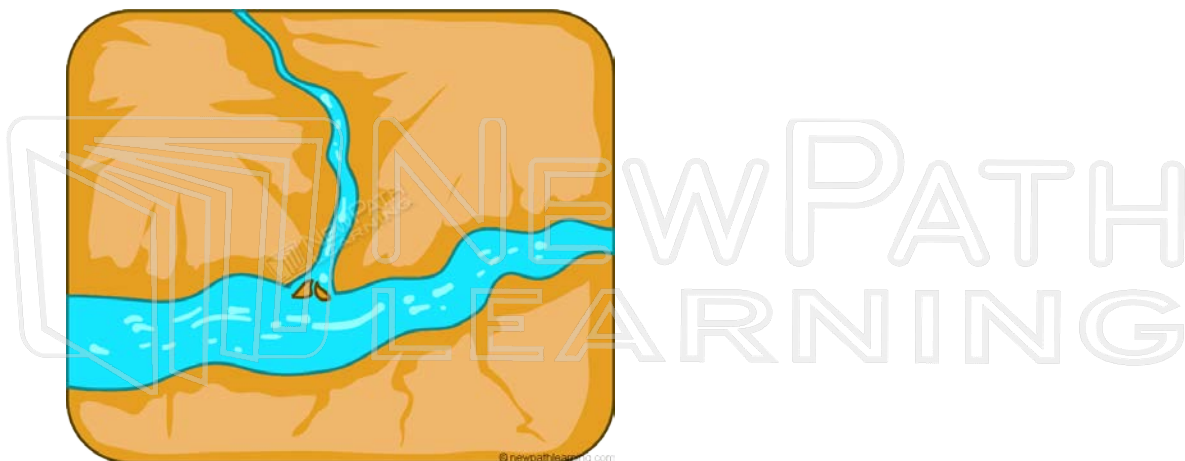


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- **Tributary** - a stream or river that flows into a larger river



## Test Yourself on United States Geography!

Which mountain chain runs along the eastern spine of the United States?

- a) Rocky Mountains
- b) Andes Mountains
- c) Catskill Mountains
- d) Appalachian Mountains

This is an imaginary line high in the Rocky Mountains. Water running down from this line runs west toward the Pacific Ocean or east toward the Atlantic Ocean.

- a) Equator
- b) Tropic of Cancer
- c) Prime Meridian
- d) Continental Divide

This body

- a) Pacific
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- c) Indian
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