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Latin America Poster Project

 Because Latin America is so large and diverse it is difficult for us to study each country individually, or each region of the country in depth. For this reason each of you will be assigned a country in Latin America to research, and you will be using Microsoft Publisher to create a poster with important information about this country. We will then be hanging these posters around the room for your classmates to use to take notes and learn from.

 **DON’T FORGET TO TURN THIS WORKSHEET IN WHEN YOU ARE DONE WITH YOUR PROJECT SO I KNOW WHERE TO FIND YOUR POSTER!!! YOU WILL GET A ZERO IF THIS IS NOT TURNED IN!**

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| **Category** | **Description** | **Pts Possible** | **Pts Earned** |
| Pictures | Include pictures of your country (3+). Consider landscapes and famous locations/monuments. |  | 5 |
| Physical Geography & Climate | What does the physical landscape of your country look like? Are there mountains like the Andes? Rivers like the Amazon? Maybe there are plains or plateaus? What does that mean? What is the climate like in each area? |  | 10 |
| Economy | What are the major economic activities in this country and why? Do they fish because they are located on the coast? Raise llamas for wool in the mountains?  |  | 10 |
| Quality of Life | What is the quality of life like in this country? Do most people have access to: education, running water, electricity, etc.? Are there lots of poor people living in slums/ghettos?  |  | 10 |
| History | What was life like in this country under colonial rule? How did colonial rule end? Have there been revolutions since? Dictators? Describe at least one important leader and why he/she is important. |  | 10 |
| Culture | Most Latin American countries have a mix of different cultures. What cultures are mixed in this country? What languages are spoken? Religions practiced? Important holidays? Customs? |  | 10 |
| Challenges & Opportunities | **Base this on your research from the rest of the project so far!! You don’t need to look it up.**What challenges is this country currently facing? What opportunities does it have? |  | 10 |
| Works Cited | List your resources |  | 5 |

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