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# International Olympic Committee Bid Presentation



S6G10 The student will explain the impact of location, climate, natural resources, and population distribution on Europe.

- ☐ Compare how the location, climate, and natural resources of the United Kingdom and Russia affect where people live and how they trade.
- ☐ Compare how the location, climate, and natural resources of Germany and Italy affect where people live and how they trade.

## Problem

- ❖ The International Olympic Committee (IOC) is in crisis. The 2016 Summer Olympic location has just pulled out due to a natural disaster. They need to find a new location immediately!
- ❖ Your country is tasked with convincing the IOC to choose you as the site for the 2016 Summer Olympic Games.
- ❖ You are one of your country's top level members for your committee. Your group must determine why your country should be selected for this event and prepare a presentation to convince the IOC.

## Task

You will represent one country and prepare a presentation for the IOC. Your presentation must include:

### Location

- ☐ Where is it located?
- ☐ Is it landlocked?
- ☐ Accessibility for travel?
- ☐ Proximity to water?
- ☐ Physical Features? Impact?

### Population Distribution

- ☐ Where people live and why
- ☐ Major cities?
- ☐ Airports?
- ☐ Public Transportation?
- ☐ Workforce (are they skilled? how many?)
- ☐ Sewage capacity (poop pipes)

### Climate

- ☐ Describe seasons/climate
- ☐ Droughts
- ☐ Air quality
- ☐ Humidity
- ☐ Global Weather Patterns
- ☐ Ocean Currents

### Trade

**\*In order to gain revenue for your country, you are required to sell official Olympics merchandise.**

- ☐ How will you export your Olympic merchandise?
- ☐ Who are your major trading partners?
- ☐ Consider how you will trade (ports, roads, rivers, airports etc.)

**Natural Resources (crops, resources)**

- ☐ List major natural resources:
- ☐ Think about how they might help your country's bid to host the Olympic Games. Categorize you country's natural resources by using this organizer:

Energy	Industry/Building	Food	Raw Materials	Transportation

**Make sure you can answer the following question:**

How does your topic (*Location, Climate, Population Distribution, Natural Resources and Trade*) support your country's bid to host the games (why should they choose you based on your topic)?