

Sample Student Questions about the Dominican Republic

Who is a famous painter from the Dominican Republic? What is the name of one of his paintings?
What is a typical food from this region?
What industry is growing the fastest in the Dominican Republic?
In 1998, this natural disaster affected the economy:
Who introduced "beisbol" to the Dominican Republic?
What professional baseball player from the D.R. now plays for the Chicago Cubs?
What dictator promoted meringue music?
In what country did meringue music originate?
What type of government does the D.R. have?
Who is the President of the D.R.?
What percentage of the population is Roman Catholic?
What religion was brought to the D.R. by Haiti?
What generally serves as the most significant holiday/celebration in the D.R.?
Who is celebrated on Duarte Day?
What is the main food of the Dominican diet?
What is it called when rice is combined with meat or seafood?
What is the national dance of the Dominican Republic?
Name at least one music star of the Dominican Republic.
Who killed Carmelo Rosario? Where?
What did the Tainos do to escape the Spanish?
What is an important crop in the Dominican Republic? Mineral?
What year were black slaves brought to the Island Hispanola?
What is the most popular costume worn in the Dominican Carnival?
What is this costume made up of?
When did this Carnival come about?
What was the date that the Carnival became more popular due to the Dominican Republic gaining its independence?
What type of government does Dominican Republic have?
What date is their independence?
On what date was their constitution written?
What is their legal system based on?
Name 2 of the 4 teams that made up the original baseball league?
When did the Dominican Republic start to play baseball?
Name 3 of some of the best players in the Dominican Republic?
How did baseball influence the Dominican Republic personally?

Sample Student Questions about Cuba

- What is the name of the cigar manufactured in Cuba that is one of the hottest but rarest cigars?
Currently in Cuba, _____ and _____ take up most of the land.
What are three different kinds of dances that originated in Cuba?
What year did one of the most important struggles take place in Cuba?
Name one change that Castro made when he assumed power.
What are Cubans allowed under the agreement between the U.S. and Cuba, signed in Sept. 9, 1994?
What was the uprising called that Batista led on Sept. 4, 1933?
How many times did the CIA try to assassinate Fidel Castro between 1960 and 1965?
What type of Cuban music incorporates Brazilian music, hip hop, R+B, and salsa and is also the newest and most controversial music of Cuba?
"Como fue" by Beny More is a slow romantic ballad. What is this music classified as?
Name one famous Cuban artist.
What are Sosabravo's paintings most known for?
What is the percentage of students with access to physical education now compared to 1959?
How many medals did Cuba win total in the 1996 Olympics?

Sample Student Questions about Puerto Rico

- When did Columbus reach and claim Puerto Rico for Spain?
During the Spanish-American War, Puerto Rico was ceded to the U.S. by what?
In July 1967, what did the voters choose to make Puerto Rico?
What caused terrible damage in the mid-1900's?
What is the national anthem of Puerto Rico?
What is one popular style of music in Puerto Rico?
Who is a popular salsa artist?
Name two food items that are served the most in Puerto Rico.
What is the name of the cooking style in Puerto Rico?
Name two other influences of Puerto Rican cuisine.
What are the two different drinks that are the most commonly drunk in Puerto Rico?
Who is the Governor of Puerto Rico?
What is Puerto Rico in association to the U.S.?
What is the age of suffrage?