USA and Canada

Language Practice

Tell your students to choose a place on the map.

Decide what language you want to practice with your students. Here are some suggestions:

- There is / There are
  In this place there is / there are ...

- Can
  In this place you can see ...

- Present simple
  In this place people ...
  Examples: ... walk across the bridge.
  ... ride horses.
  ... speak French

- Past simple
  Tell your students to imagine one day in that place. What did they do?

- Future “will”
  Tell your students to imagine one week in that place. What will they do and see?
  Tell them to make a list.

- Present Perfect
  Tell your students to think about the list of things they planned to do. Tell them they are in the middle of their stay. What have they done? What haven’t they done yet?

- Present Continuous
  Tell your students they have a crystal ball. They can see that place. What can they see?
  Examples: A man is riding a horse. He is wearing a cowboy hat.
  The sun is shining. Horses are running.

In this activity, students can imagine from the picture and the text. You can also let them research the place for homework and then practice the language in class.

Extra Activity:

Have your students say their sentences to the class, without saying the place. Have the class guess what place it is.