

The United States of America (USA) - Fact File and Worksheet

 *Subject: Geography*



Learn About The United States of America (USA)

Get ready to discover incredible facts about the United States of America! The USA is a huge country full of amazing places, cool inventions, and fascinating history. Let's explore what makes America so special!

What's Inside This Fact File?

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★ Quick Facts

1 🏛️ Big Country! The USA has 50 states and is the third-largest country in the world, right after Russia and Canada!

2 🦅 National Bird! The American bald eagle is on many official symbols, even though it was once almost extinct!

3 🌊 Three Oceans! America touches three different oceans: the Pacific, Atlantic, and Arctic oceans!

4 🏔️ Tallest Mountain! Hawaii's Mauna Kea mountain is actually taller than Mount Everest if you measure from the bottom of the ocean!

5 🌲 Giant Trees! California's Redwood trees are so tall that some are as high as a 35-story building!

6 🚀 Moon Landing! Americans were the first people to walk on the moon on July 20, 1969!

7 🍕 Food Inventions! Americans invented blue jeans, chocolate chip cookies, and even the airplane!

8 🎮 Video Games! The first home video game console was created in America in 1972!

9 🗽 Famous Statue! The Statue of Liberty welcomes visitors to New York and stands on its own island!

10 🎆 Fireworks Holiday! Americans celebrate Independence Day on July 4th with fireworks, a tradition that started in 1777!



Learning Activities

A. Fill in the Blanks

Complete these sentences with the correct words:

1. The USA has _____ states total.
2. Americans were the first people to land on the _____ .
3. The American bald _____ is the national bird.
4. America touches _____ different oceans.
5. Chocolate chip _____ were invented by accident in Massachusetts.



Word Bank: eagle, fifty, moon, three, cookies, July, California, building, Russia, Atlantic

B. True or False

Circle **T** for True or **F** for False:

T / F

The USA is the largest country in the world.

T / F

The American flag has 50 stars representing the 50 states.

T / F

Independence Day is celebrated on July 4th.

T / F

The first McDonald's restaurant opened in Texas.

T / F

Americans have put 12 people on the moon.

C. Multiple Choice

Circle the correct answer:

1. What is the capital city of the USA?

- a) New York City
- b) Washington, D.C.
- c) Los Angeles
- d) Chicago

2. Which trees in California can be as tall as a 35-story building?

- a) Oak trees
- b) Pine trees
- c) Redwood trees
- d) Maple trees

3. How many oceans does the USA touch?

- a) One
- b) Two
- c) Three
- d) Four

4. When did Americans first land on the moon?

- a) 1965
- b) 1969
- c) 1972
- d) 1975

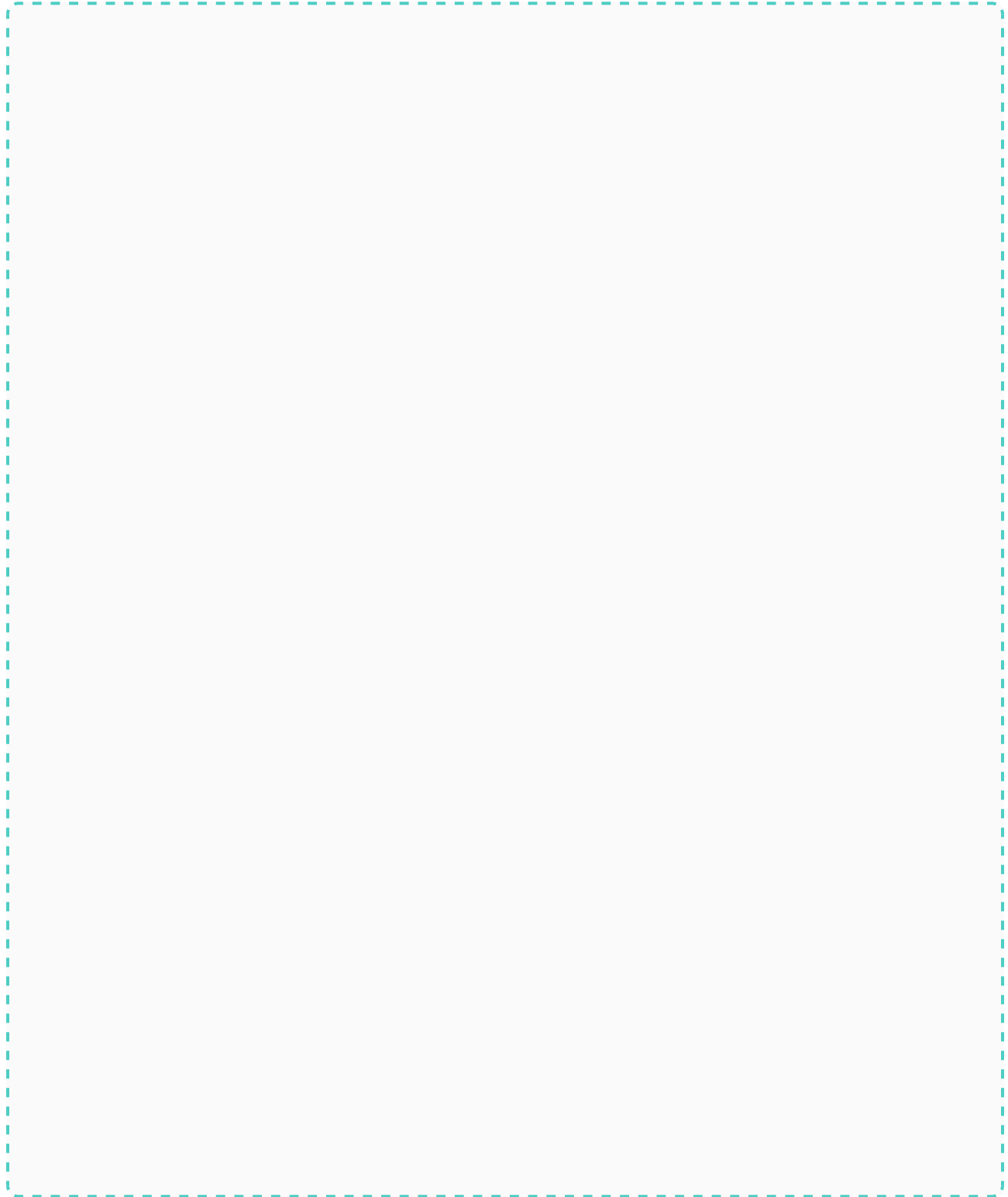
5. What percentage of the world's fresh surface water is contained in the Great Lakes?


- a) 15%
- b) 18%
- c) 21%
- d) 25%



Draw and Label

Draw the American bald eagle below and label its important parts using the words provided.



 **Parts to label:** Beak, Wings, Talons (claws), Tail feathers, Eyes, Head



Answer Key

Section A - Fill in the Blanks:

1. fifty
2. moon
3. eagle
4. three
5. cookies

Section B - True or False:

1. False
2. True
3. True
4. False
5. True

Section C - Multiple Choice:

1. b) Washington, D.C.
2. c) Redwood trees
3. c) Three
4. b) 1969
5. c) 21%

Draw and Label Guide:

Students should label: Beak, Wings, Talons (claws), Tail feathers, Eyes, Head

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