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Chapter 5 Sections 1 & 2  
Resources, Climate, and Vegetation

Directions: Read pages 119 through 126, including maps and inset pictures (this will include the Natural Resources of the United States and Canada map on page 120 and the St. Lawrence Seaway map on page 129). Answer the questions below.

1. Using the Natural Resources of the US and Canada map, where in the United States is petroleum found? What energy resource is more widespread in Canada than the United States?
2. Describe the oceans and waterways of the United States and Canada.
3. Using the Mississippi River Map, what states have the Mississippi River for at least part of their border. What rivers empty into the Mississippi River?
4. Why are the lands and forests important to the United States and Canada?
5. Why does Canada export most of its energy to the United States (think geographically, beyond what you read).

6. Use the chart below to compare similarities in the climates of the United States and Canada.

	Land/Locations	Temperatures	Other Characteristics
Colder Climates			
Moderate Climates			

7. Use the chart below to take notes on US climate zones.

US Climate Zones
milder climates
dry climates
tropical climates

8. Using the maps on page 125, what types of vegetation does the United States have that Canada lacks?
9. Using the maps on page 125, what are the three most common climates in the United States and Canada?
10. What is "Tornado Alley"?