

# Warm-Up 1/7/16

- Create journal pages for the following words:
  - Andes Mountains (page 120)
  - Atacama Desert (page 122)
  - Bolivia (page 123)
  - Brazil (page 124)
  - Colombia (page 125)
  - Mexico (page 128)
  - Latin America (page 133) \*Tell me what 4 areas are included
- Tell where each are located, and why they are important (physical features) or what their natural resources are (countries)
- These are out of order, but skip the correct amount of pages to add in the other words later!!

I make the  
shape of a **Y** in  
**Northern South**  
**America.** The  
oil industry  
supports my  
economy.



# Venezuela

Label the area red.  
See atlas pg. 78 for help.



I am an **island**  
**only 90 miles**  
**south of the**  
**USA.** My  
country has  
more of a  
**command**  
**economy** than  
any other one  
we study.



# Cuba

Label the area red.  
See atlas pg. 16 for help.



I am  $\frac{1}{2}$  of an  
island. My  
closest  
neighbors are  
Cuba (west) &  
the Dominican  
Republic (east).



I am **between**  
**the beach and**  
**Andes**  
**mountains**  
inside the  
**“armpit”** of  
South America.



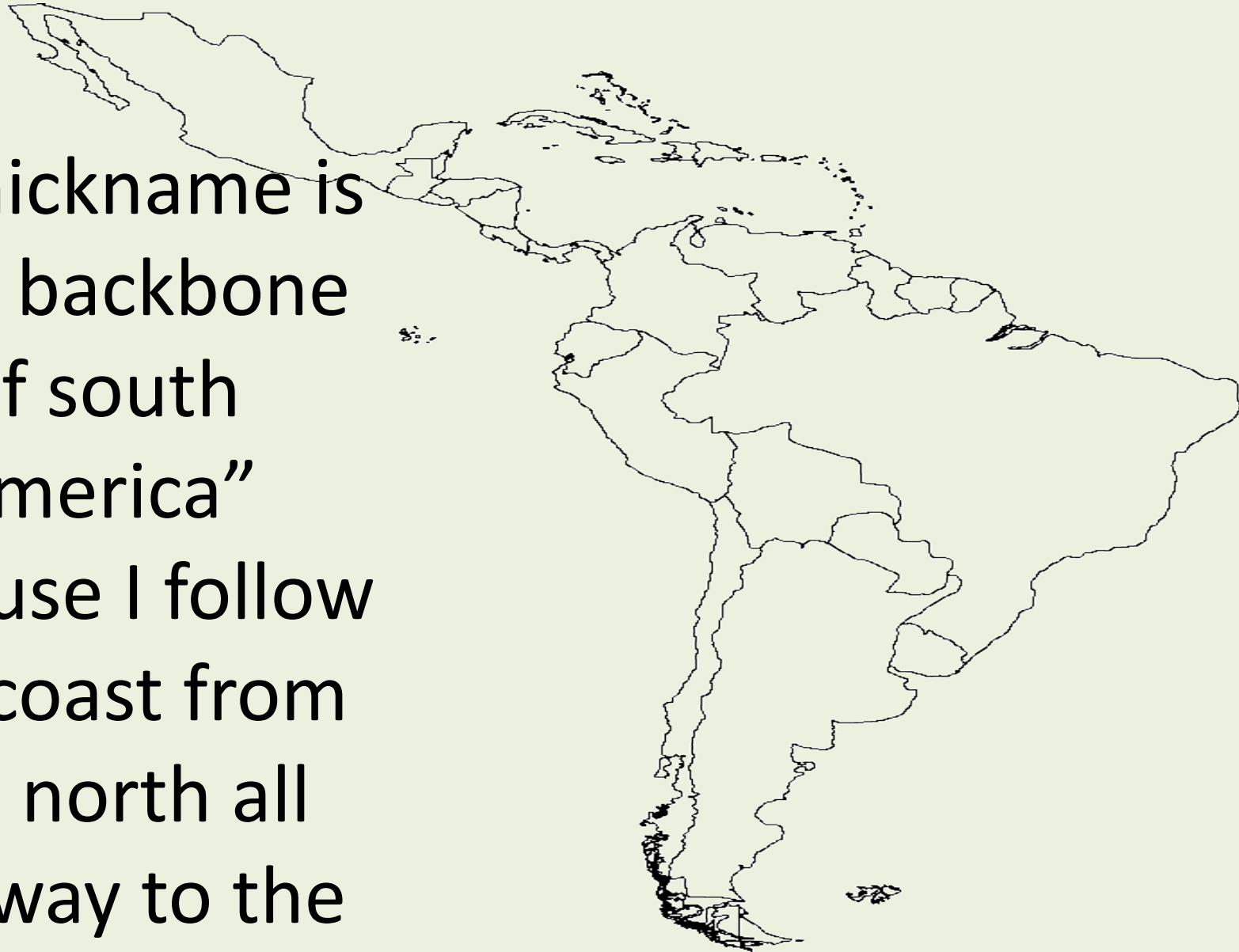
# Atacama Desert

- Located between the Pacific Ocean and the Andes Mountains in northern Chile.
- **It is the driest place on earth!** (Has never rained in some places!) **Largest supply of nitrates on earth.** (the sand mummifies/ concrete-like.) = 2<sup>nd</sup> largest salt flats area in world.
- <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uyKKIO50hMA> \*\*\*
- <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WLN5uz42oos>



My nickname is  
“the backbone  
of south  
America”

because I follow  
the coast from  
the north all  
the way to the  
southern tip.



# Andes Mountains

Color in brown. See atlas pg. 79 for help.



# Andes Mountains

- The longest mountain range in South America. "Backbone". 2<sup>nd</sup> driest place on earth. Shields S. Am. From weather. Amazon River begins from glaciers here.
- Located in the western part of the continent, the mountains extend through the countries of Colombia, Venezuela, Ecuador, Peru, Bolivia, Chile, and Argentina.
- <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XePpHMa1t2Q>



I stretch from  
the Andes  
Mountains of  
Peru all the way  
to the Atlantic  
Ocean.



# Amazon River

Color in bold blue lines.  
See atlas pg. 79 for help.



## Amazon River

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pNJSWIMsQ58>

- Starting in the Andes Mountains in Peru, the Amazon River flows east across South America through Brazil to the Atlantic Ocean.
- The world's largest tropical rain forest is located in the Amazon River Basin.
- is home to the most isolated indigenous tribes in the world. There are at least 77 un-contacted groups in the region.



I am almost a  
peninsula and  
the skinniest  
country in  
Central  
America. I  
connect Central  
to South  
America.



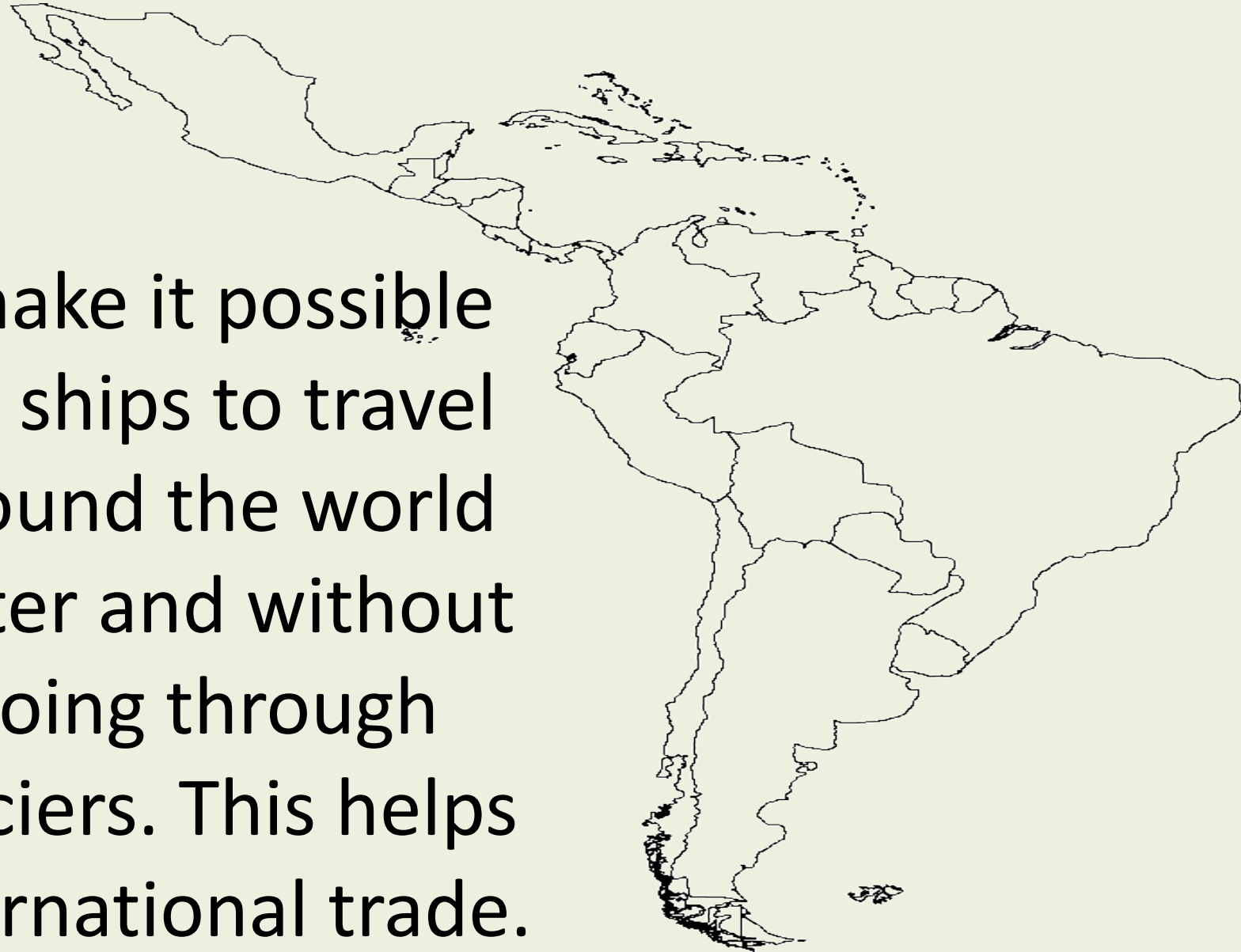
# Panama

Color in red.

See atlas pg. 16 for help.



I make it possible  
for ships to travel  
around the world  
faster and without  
going through  
glaciers. This helps  
international trade.



# Panama Canal

Color a bold purple line.  
See atlas pg. 16 for help.



# Panama Canal

- Located on the Isthmus of Panama, the Panama Canal links the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans.
- French started it, USA finished it. Shorter & safer trade route to travel/ **circumnavigate** (remind yourself of that vocab. word meaning).
- <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Pv0upmpPw3c> brief docum.
- <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OQQ3EuGL3QI> time laspe
- <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lzJZ6U5kkbo> Full Documentary

