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International Olympic Committee Bid Presentation

**S6G10 The student will explain the impact of location, climate, natural resources, and population distribution on Europe.**

* Compare how the location, climate, and natural resources of the United Kingdom and Russia affect where people live and how they trade.
* Compare how the location, climate, and natural resources of Germany and Italy affect where people live and how they trade.

**Problem**

* The International Olympic Committee (IOC) is in crisis. The 2020 Summer Olympic location has just pulled out due to a natural disaster. They need to find a new location ASAP!
* Your country is tasked with convincing the IOC to choose you as the site for the 2020 Summer Olympic Games.
* You are one your country’s top level members for your committee. Your group must determine why your country should be selected for this event and prepare a presentation to convince the IOC.

**Task**

You will represent one country and prepare a presentation for the IOC. Your presentation must include:

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| **Location**   * Where is it located? * Is it landlocked? * Accessibility for travel? * Proximity to water? * Physical Features? Impact?   **Population Distribution**   * Where people live and why * Major cities? * Airports? * Public Transportation? * Workforce (are they skilled? how many?) * Sewage capacity (poop pipes) | **Climate**   * Describe seasons/climate * Droughts * Air quality * Humidity * Global Weather Patterns * Ocean Currents   **Trade  \*In order to gain revenue for your country, you are required to sell official Olympics merchandise.**   * How will you export your Olympic merchandise? * Who are your major trading partners? * Consider how you will trade (ports, roads, rivers, airports etc.) |

**Natural Resources (crops, resources)**

* List major natural resources:
* Think about how they might help your country’s bid to host the Olympic Games. Categorize you country’s natural resources by using this organizer:

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| Energy | Industry/Building | Food | Raw Materials | Transportation |
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**Make sure you can answer the following question:**

How does your topic (*Location, Climate, Population Distribution, Natural Resources and Trade)* support your country’s bid to host the games (why should they choose you based on your topic)?