

Peru, Land of the Incas

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Resource Materials

Peru, Land of the Incas fact sheet...

One master copy of the participant's leaflet (WL 517) is available for reproduction in each county office of the West Virginia Extension Service. Check with your Extension agent responsible for family and consumer sciences programs about the number of leaflets needed for your meeting.

A PowerPoint presentation will be available through the Dorsey Resource Center at WVU Jackson's Mill beginning in the fall of 2006. Check with your Extension agent about ordering this material. If Romina Biancato, CEOS international scholarship student from Peru, is attending your program, she will bring her own PowerPoint presentation.

Suggestions for Group Presentation and Discussion

As lesson leader you may wish to use several of the following methods:

1. Briefly summarize the main points of the CEOS fact sheet on Peru, Land of the Incas. If time is limited, you may choose those topics you believe are of greatest interest to your group. (To be an effective lesson leader, you will want to avoid reading the lesson to your audience;



Llamas – common in Peru – can climb steep hillsides.

use the lesson booklet as a reference.) Rather than presenting the entire lesson yourself, ask one or more other members of your group to help.

2. Show the PowerPoint, if available. You also might locate pictures of Peruvian people, places, crafts, etc., to show and discuss.
3. Distribute the participant's leaflet (WL 517) and allow time for your audience to complete the quiz and check the answers. Discuss each of the quiz questions. The lesson booklet contains background information.
4. If someone in your community has visited Peru, he or she would be an excellent resource in planning and/or assisting with your lesson presentation.
5. Display some Peruvian artifacts and other items if available. You may be able to locate articles in your community.
6. Check your library for additional books about Peru for display and for background reading. Keep abreast of news events.
7. If the meeting will include refreshments, you may wish to assist the host or hostess in coordinating foods from Peru.



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Suggested Reading

PERU – tourist guide
Edited by Everest

Lonely Planet Peru
by Charlotte Beech,
Rob Rachowiecki

*Moche Portraits from
Ancient Peru*
by Christopher B. Donnan

*Footprint Peru Handbook:
The Travel Guide*
by Alan Murphy

The Rough Guide to Peru
by Dilwyn Jenkins

Frommer's Peru, by Neil E. Schlecht

Peru, by Allison Lassieur

Peru in Pictures, by Heron Marquez

The Discovery and Conquest of Peru,
by Pedro De Cieza De Leon

Textiles of Ancient Peru and Their Techniques,
by Raoul Dharcourt

Peru: Society and Nationhood in the Andes,
by Peter F Klaren



*Peru has many beautiful
natural attractions.*

Additional Resources

Peru
www.geographia.com/peru/
General information about Peru and its places.

PERU GATEWAY TRAVEL
www.peru-explorer.com/
The best and most informative site on Peru for
travel and tourism to Lima, Machu Picchu, Cuzco,
and all of Peru.

Peru Land of the Incas
www.peru.info/perueng.asp
Find information of the best tourist places, news,
activities in any language you want.

Encyclopedia
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Peru>
Concise descriptions about Peru and its main
characteristics.

The World Fact book (CIA)
www.cia.gov/cia/publications/factbook/geos/pe.html
Information about the world.

Browse for other information on the Web; ask
for results in English.

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