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|  | Label the Map:  Amazon River,  Amazon Rainforest, Caribbean Sea,  Gulf of Mexico,  Atlantic Ocean,  Pacific Ocean,  Panama Canal,  Andes Mountains,  Sierra Madre Mountains, Atacama Desert.    Central America:  Mexico, Guatemala,  Belize, El Salvador, Honduras, Nicaragua,  Costa Rica, Panama  Caribbean:  Cuba, Haiti,  Dominican Republic, Puerto Rico  South America:  Venezuela, Guyana, Suriname, French Guiana, Brazil, Paraguay, Uruguay, Argentina, Chile, Bolivia, Peru,  Ecuador, Colombia |

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| Caribbean | The name of the Caribbean region comes from the Carib tribe of Native People. |
| Latin America | In the 1800’s, a group of leaders in South America wanted a name to describe their region. They decided on **Latin America**, because most people in the region speak Spanish and Portuguese, two Romance languages based on Latin. Generally, the term Latin America refers to all countries in North and South America except the US and Canada. In Spanish, a man from Latin America is a Latino; a woman is a Latina. |

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| All countries in South America share a border with Brazil.  True or False: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | Panama, Colombia, and the US have coasts on the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | The US is closer to Haiti than it is to Cuba. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |

Now you write six True or False statements about the geography of Latin America.

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