

Brazil

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Where is your country?

- Brazil is the fifth largest country in the world! Brazil contains no dessert, high mountain, or arctic environments. But Brazil does contain most of the Amazon river, which is the worlds largest river system. This country occupies half of the continents landmass and shares more than 9750 miles of inland borders.

What are some interesting facts about its history?

- Historians and scientists discovered communities of people living in Brazil as long as 8,000 years ago.
- The individual indigenous tribes and settlements numbered around 2,000 when Portuguese first discovered Brazil.
- Slavery was a major part of a trend in Brazil.
- Coffee and sugar became major products, also when gold was found in the 1600s the country was then recognized for its mineral and trading potential

What are some interesting facts about its culture?

- Brazil is one of the most varied and diverse. Approximately 80% of the population ascribes to Roman Catholic faith. Brazilians focus much importance on the family structure in values. Also they are usually affectionate and tactical people.
- Western and derived from Portuguese culture





What do you like best about this country?

- The first thing I like and like the most is that soccer is the most popular sport in Brazil. That is my favorite fact because I play soccer so I think it is pretty awesome that soccer is the most popular.
- Another thing that I like and think is cool is Brazil's name come from the Pau-Brasil, which is a Portuguese tree from Brazil.
- Also something else that I thought was interesting is Brazil was the last country to put an end to slavery.
- And relatively recently discovered that evidence say human settlement in Brazil began over 30,000 years ago
- Last but not least is Brazil already being the 5th largest country in the world by land is also the sixth largest by population.

How does Fishers Junior High benefit from having families from this country as a part of our school and community?

- Fishers Junior High can benefit by having families from this country to learn more about them and of other countries families come from. Also when families move from other countries to here in Indiana they can benefit from us at FJH to help them learn. I think us at Fishers Junior High and families from other countries, we can all learn about each other and benefit from one another. Benefit means to help others or to receive help from others. I think that we can each benefit from each other by learning about one another.

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