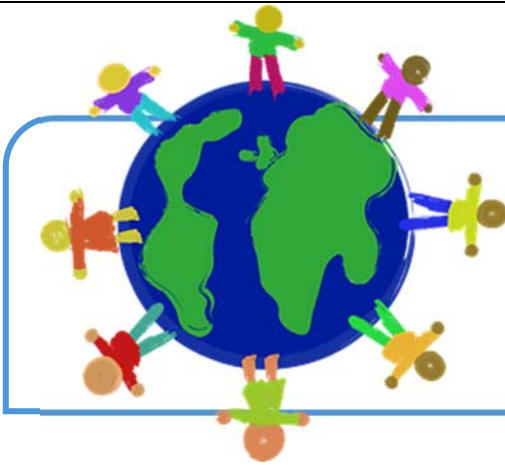


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## Global Footprint

**Directions:** Read the essay prompt carefully. Write a well-structured response that includes an introduction, body paragraphs with evidence, and a conclusion.

South America plays an important role in the world through its cultural contributions, natural resources, and environmental importance. Write an extended response explaining **how South America influences the global community or why its environments are significant to the planet**. Use specific examples such as the Amazon Rainforest, major exports, cultural traditions, biodiversity, or regional challenges.

→ Your essay should include: a clear main idea, at least two examples supported with explanations, and a concluding statement that summarizes your key points.

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