Postcards from America Extra Credit Landscape Exercise LANDSCAPE FEATURE TOPICS

Choose a mix of <u>5 landscapes</u> from the categories listed below but only one from each group. The 5 landscape features you choose should be varied and represent different areas of the U.S. and Canada.

Select ONE from each group.

I. NATURAL LANDSCAPE

- **1.** Badlands topography (select one area)
- 2. Barrier islands of the Gulf Coast (select one segment)
- 3. Desert landscape of southern New Mexico
- 4. Florida Keys tropical landscape
- 5. Okefenokee Swamp
- 6. Sand Hills region of Nebraska

II. RURAL LANDSCAPE

- 1. Amish area (choose an area from Ohio or New York or Pennsylvania)
- 2. Farming in southern Arizona
- 3. Fruit tree landscape of the Great Lakes (pick one area)
- 4. King Ranch, Texas
- 5. Yakima Valley agricultural area

III. PARK DESIGNATION

1. Select any one national park unit in the US or Canada

IV. ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT

- 1. Clear cutting in the Pacific Northwest
- 2. Coal mining in Pennsylvania
- 3. Hydroelectricity production in Quebec Prov.
- 4. Feed lots of the Mid West
- **5.** Mountain ski resort landscapes (pick one)

V. COLONIAL/PIONEER TIMES

- 1. Savannah, GA in the 1700s
- 2. Fort Laramie NHS, WY
- **3.** Fort Ticonderoga historic site, New York
- 4. "Old West" site in Kansas or Colorado
- 5. St. Augustine (Florida) Old Town



KEY to LOCATION of the LANDSCAPES included in the PORTFOLIO. (Remember to select examples from a variety of areas in the United States and Canada.)

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