

El Camino de Santiago de Compostela

WebQuest Description: Welcome to the webquest to help you discover El Camino de Santiago de Compostela

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Introduction

Hello! On this web quest you will explore the Way of Saint James through France, over the Pyrenees Mountains and across Spain along the 790 kilometer trail known as the Way of Saint James. Along this journey, you will discover geography, history and some of the culture of Spain.

Tasks

Use the links and resources on this webquest to answer the following questions in your own words. Please do not "cut and paste".

1. What IS the Camino? What is always the destination? A. What special symbol marks The Way? The SYMBOL!
2. There are many Camino routes. Name 2. A. B. 3. We will focus on El Camino Frances - aka The French Route. Name the starting point in France (the one just over the border in the Pyrenees. It starts with Saint.....).
4. From this starting point, how many kilometers is it to Santiago? About how many miles is that?
5. The Camino takes about 30 days. What is each "day walk" called? A. What does the typical walker bring with them? What to pack?
6. What are the walkers called?
7. Where do these walkers typically sleep? Where can you sleep?
8. What is the little piece of paper walkers have to obtain and carry in order to walk?
9. Other than being crazy (jajaja) WHY would someone chose to participate in this walk? Why?
10. Upon arrival in Santiago, what does each walker receive? Arrival!
11. What is the Parador de Reyes in Santiago? Visit the Parador de Santiago
12. What is the BOTAFUMIERO, and when is it used? Click to see Botafumiero in action
13. In a few sentences in English, tell why you would or would not want to ever consider doing this.

Process

You will have today in the computer lab to start this webquest. If you need additional time you will need to complete this at home this evening.

Evaluation

This webquest will count as a QUIZ. These answers are all easily obtainable and should be quite informative for you!

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Conclusion

I hope you have enjoyed this experience. Tomorrow we will begin watching a film that highlights a character's specific quest on The Camino. Buen Camino!

Teacher Page

This webquest is about El Camino de Santiago de Compostela. This is a route I have completed 2 times, in 2013 and 2016. I am currently planning a 2018 Camino with el Senor Ferris.Á

Standards

Students shall be exposed to culture of Spain.

Credits

Thanks to you all!

Other

Get your boots and GO!