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Crucial S.S. Facts to Memorize: Chapter 1
BE SURE TO MEMORIZE THE SPELLING!
BE SURE TO KNOW WHICH WORDS ARE PROPER NOUNS!
CAPITALIZE PROPER NOUNS!

1) The five regions of the United States:

- the West
- the Southwest
- the Midwest
- the Southeast
- the Northeast
- A region is an area in which many features are similar.

2) How many states are there in the U.S.?

- 50 states
- 48 contiguous states (next to each other)
- Alaska and Hawaii are separated from the other states.

3) Be able to label the seven continents in order from largest to smallest:

- Asia
- Africa
- North America
- South America
- Antarctica
- Europe
- Australia

4) Be able to label the countries in North America:

- Canada
- United States
- Mexico

5) President of the United States: Barak Obama

6) Vice-President of the United States: Joe Biden

7) Governor of New York State: Andrew Cuomo

8) Capitol of the United States: Washington, D.C.

9) Capitol of New York State: Albany

10) The National Anthem: “The Star-Spangled Banner”

11) Important documents of the United States:

- The Declaration of Independence
- The Constitution of the United States of America