



# POSTCARD FROM THE ARABIAN PENINSULA

In this assignment you will pretend that you are a caravan trader that is currently traveling through the Arabian Peninsula in the year 500 CE. You are required to write a postcard to your friends at home that describes your travel experiences.

Information for this assignment will be in the Geography of the Arabian Peninsula reading.

Step 1: Fold a piece of paper in half. Draw a picture on the top half that shows three physical geographical features of the Saudi Arabian Peninsula. Use text maps and descriptions to give you ideas.

Step 2: On the bottom half you should have a description of what you have experienced on your travels. Be creative! Imagine and describe difficulties you would be faced with in this region. *Use examples of your journey as evidence supporting your narrative.* Your postcard must include all of the following:

1. Three physical geographical features of the region.
2. Three bodies of water that surround the Arabian Peninsula.
3. The desert climate.
4. A description of nomads and towns near oasis.
5. A description of a souk/market and three goods that are traded.

# AN ARABIAN PENINSULA GEOGRAPHY POSTCARD

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Period \_\_\_\_\_

In this assignment you are going to write a postcard to a family member or friend summarizing what you have learned about the geography of the Arabian Peninsula. The top box should have a picture with at least three geographical features of the region drawn in it. On the bottom, you are going to write a postcard that includes *five* facts about the region that people learned about in class. Your teacher *may* specify key topics to be covered in your postcard. If so, record the requirements here: \_\_\_\_\_

## GREETINGS FROM \_\_\_\_\_ !

Name of place

Dear \_\_\_\_\_,

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Best Wishes,

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To: \_\_\_\_\_

Address:

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From \_\_\_\_\_

Your location \_\_\_\_\_

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