Moriori Editorial Pre Write

Paragraph One: Moriori Society (Hint: Use Moriori Facts paper)

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| a. Who were the Moriori?  b. What island did they live on?  c. Where is Chatham Island located?  d. Were Moriori hunters and gatherers or farmers?  e. What type of society did they have?  f. According to the article, The Moriori, “ The Moriori were the only Polynesian culture with only one social class”.  g. Commentary on quote from article  h, Why was there only one social class?  i. What natural resources does Chatham Island have?  j. Does Chatham Island have farming?  k. How does the geography of Chatham Island determine that there can be no farming?  l. According to the article, Moriori Genocide, “the geography of Chatham island determined that the Moriori would be hunters and gatherers”  Commentary on quote from article  m. Uniqueness of culture  1. Non-violent community (list facts about the lack of warfare below)  -  -  2. Moriori had a “Survival economy” List economic activities and where these activities took place  Activity Location (bay,hill,lake,etc..)  1.  2.  3.  4.  3. Midden  What were midden? What were they used for? How do midden relate to Moriori culture’s Ecological Footprint?  Ending sentence: |

Maori vs. Moriori

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| a. Are Maori and Moriori both Polynesian groups?  b. Where did the Maori sail from?  c. What year did they arrive on your island?  d. List the two choices the Maori gave to the Moriori?  e. What type of society were Maori? What was their main crop?  f. Why did they have more social classes then the Moriori?  g. List the 4 social classes in Maori society:  h. Why did the Maori have war and the Moriori not have war?  i. What happened when the Maori arrived?  j. Did the Moriori fight or offer peace?  k. What is Nunuku?…explain it  l. What happened to the Moriori?  m. What did the Maori do to the Moriori they killed?  Ending sentence: |

Conclusion

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| a. What cultural group lived on Chatham Island?  b. How did the geography on Chatham Island determine that its people would be hunters and gatherers?  c. How did the geography on Chatham Island help eliminate the need for war?  d. How did the geography on Chatham Island help eliminate the need for separate social classes?  e. Why is it important to learn about Moriori culture if you live in Polynesia? |