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Social Studies

Topic: Hundreds of Islands

The Bahamas is an archipelago, a group of islands close to each other.

The Bahamas is made up of 700 islands, cays, islets and rocks.

Other geographical features found in The Bahamas are:

bluffs, **f**lats, **s**alinas, **s**ounds and **c**reek.

The islands of The Bahamas are divided into three groups.

These are: North western, central, and southeastern.

1. North western Bahamas – **BB AA N G E**

Berry Islands **B**imini **A**baco **A**ndros **N**ew Providence

Grand Bahama **E**leuthera

2. Central Bahamas- CLERS

Cat Island **L**ong Island **E**xuma **R**um Cay **S**an Salvador

3. Southeastern - CRIMA

Crooked Island **R**agged Island **I**nagua **M**ayaguana **A**cklins

FACTS ABOUT THE BAHAMAS:

1. The **THREE** islands with the largest population are:

New Providence, Grand Bahama and Abaco.

2. Cat Island has the highest elevation called **Mount Alvernia** OR **Como Hill**.

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3. Name the islands that are popular for the following:

a. Eleuthera is known for **pineapples.**

b. Exuma is known for **onions.**

c. Acklins is known for **cascarilla bark.**

d. Abaco is known for **neem and poultry.**

e. Andros and Long Island are known for **blue holes.**

f. Grand Bahama is known for **medicine, refined oils.**

g. Inagua and Long Island are known for **salt.**



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