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Social Studies Review

- The Earth is **spherical** shape.
- The Earth **rotates (spins)** on its axis every 24 hours.
- The **longitude line** that cuts the Earth in halves is called the **Prime Meridian**.
- The **latitude line** that cuts the Earth in halves is called the **Equator**.
- **Hispaniola** is an island that is divided into two countries: **Haiti & the Dominican Republic** .
- The Islands of The Bahamas
What are they known for?
 - **Eleuthera** – pineapples
 - **Grand Bahamas** – industrial capital & pine trees
 - **Inagua** – salt industry & flamingoes
 - **Long Island** – goats & Dean's Blue Hole
 - **Andros** – blue holes, Chickcharnie, crabs
 - **New Providence** – the capital, poultry
 - **Exuma** – Onions
 - **Acklins** – cascarilla bark
- A group of islands near each other is called an **archipelago**.
- Things found in nature are known **as natural resources**. (sun, plants, sand, oil, minerals, beaches, soil, etc.)
- **Export** – sending goods out of the country
- **Import** – bringing goods into the country
- **Conservation** – protecting the environment from harm
- We can conserve by: **Reducing, reusing, and recycling**.
- **Aragonite** – limestone sand