***Cuba***

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1. Describe Venesa Alonso’s exit from Cuba.
2. Describe the geography of Cuba.
3. How did Cuba get its independence from Spain?
4. What is a dictator?
5. What is a communist government?
6. How did communism change Cuba?
7. What is an exile?
8. Describe the sacrifices people would have to make when leaving Cuba.
9. How did Castro help illiterate Cubans?
10. How is Cuba influenced by the United States?

***Puerto Rico***

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1. Describe why Esmeralda Santiago felt confused about her cultural identity after coming to the United States.
2. How are Puerto Ricans citizens of the United States?
3. What is a commonwealth?
4. What is different about the rights and responsibilities Puerto Ricans have as citizens?
5. What type of relationship do most Puerto Ricans in the United States have with their homeland?
6. Describe some of the occupations in Puerto Rico.
7. What is a constitution?
8. How are Puerto Ricans better off than other Caribbean neighbors?
9. What would be disadvantages of Puerto Rico becoming the 51st state of the United States?
10. Explain why some Puerto Ricans think independence would be a better option than statehood.