

RESOURCE SHEET – LISTENING MATERIAL – ENGLISH

Title: Colorado**Short description:**

Maria talks with Carla about moving to Colorado from California. She compares Colorado to Norway, talks about how sports fandom plays out in the USA and in Norway.

Vocabulary support:

Regardless – independent of

Engage – here: take part in, join

Questions for Comprehension:

1. What are the differences and similarities between Colorado and Norway?
2. How do people in the USA show their support for a sports team?
3. What are your experiences of how people in Norway show support for their sports team?

Tasks for reflection/discussion:

1. Choose a city or town in Colorado and research information about sports and outdoor opportunities in the town. Share your findings with the classroom.
2. Maria talks about the Olympic center in Colorado Springs, work in pairs or groups of 3 to find information about the Olympic center (e.g. on its webpage) and write down 3 claims (sentences) about the center. Two sentences must be true and one false. Mark what claims are true and false and hand your claims to the teacher. The teacher collects all claims and runs a quiz in the classroom based on the claims that are handed in by students.
3. Research the tallest and lowest point in Colorado and the average temperature for this month of a few major cities in Colorado (e.g. Denver, Colorado Springs, Aurora, Boulder, Aspen, Fort Collins, Pueblo or Grand Junction). Compare these results with results in Norway.

Kompetansemål:

- utforske og beskrive levemåter, tenkesett, kommunikasjonsmønstre og mangfold i den engelskspråklige verden
- utforske og videreformidle innhold i engelskspråklige kulturelle uttrykksformer fra ulike medier knyttet til egne interesser
- lese, diskutere og videreformidle innhold fra ulike typer tekster, inkludert selvvalgte tekster
- stille spørsmål og følge opp innspill i samtaler om ulike emner tilpasset ulike formål, mottakere og situasjoner
- uttrykke seg med flyt og sammenheng med et variert ordforråd og idiomatiske uttrykk tilpasset formål, mottaker og situasjon
- lytte til og forstå ord og uttrykk i varianter av engelsk
- bruke sentrale mønstre for uttale i kommunikasjon