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States and Capitals of the Southeast Region: Swamps, Deltas and Gorges

Directions: Take a careful look at the Southeast table. It comes back with every question.

The Southeast Region

The Southeast region in the five-region model: each state's capital city, its biggest city in the 2020 Census, and one famous natural place

State	Capital city	Biggest city (2020 Census)	Famous natural place
Alabama	Montgomery	Huntsville	Mobile Bay
Arkansas	Little Rock	Little Rock	Hot Springs National Park
Delaware	Dover	Wilmington	Delaware Bay
Florida	Tallahassee	Jacksonville	Everglades
Georgia	Atlanta	Atlanta	Okefenokee Swamp
Kentucky	Frankfort	Louisville	Mammoth Cave
Louisiana	Baton Rouge	New Orleans	Mississippi River Delta
Maryland	Annapolis	Baltimore	Chesapeake Bay
Mississippi	Jackson	Jackson	Mississippi River
North Carolina	Raleigh	Charlotte	Outer Banks
South Carolina	Columbia	Charleston	Hilton Head Island
Tennessee	Nashville	Nashville	Great Smoky Mountains
Virginia	Richmond	Virginia Beach	Natural Bridge
West Virginia	Charleston	Charleston	New River Gorge

1. This table uses the five-region model. Which of these states does it put in the Southeast?

A. Ohio B. Pennsylvania C. Maryland D. Texas

2. Two states in the table have a city named Charleston. In which state is Charleston the capital?

A. North Carolina B. West Virginia C. Virginia D. South Carolina

3. In 2020, Jacksonville was Florida's biggest city. Which city is Florida's capital?

A. Tallahassee B. Miami C. Jacksonville D. Orlando

4. Use the word bank to finish the two sentences about Kentucky.

Word bank
Tallahassee • Louisville • Lexington • Frankfort

In 2020, _____ was Kentucky's biggest city. But Kentucky's lawmakers meet in _____, the capital.

5. Match these five Southeast states with their capitals.

Write the letter of the matching answer on each line.

1. _____ Alabama
2. _____ Louisiana
3. _____ North Carolina
4. _____ South Carolina
5. _____ Virginia

A. Raleigh
B. Charleston
C. Virginia Beach
D. Columbia
E. Charlotte
F. Baton Rouge
G. New Orleans
H. Montgomery
I. Richmond

6. One of these states had the same capital and biggest city in 2020. Which one?

A. Delaware B. Alabama C. Maryland D. Georgia

7. Which state in the table has a wide, shallow wetland? Its water creeps slowly through tall sawgrass.

A. Kentucky B. Florida C. Tennessee D. West Virginia

8. The Mississippi River drops mud and sand where it meets the sea. Over time, this builds new land. Which state in the table has this landform?

A. Louisiana B. Tennessee C. Arkansas D. Kentucky

9. A gorge is a deep, tight cut through rock. Its walls are steep. Which state's row in the table names a gorge as its famous natural place?

A. North Carolina B. Kentucky C. West Virginia D. Virginia