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Quick geography Facts

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Highest Point: Mt. Mitchell- 6,684 feet above sea level

Number of Counties in North Carolina 100

Major Cities: Raleigh (Capital), Charlotte, Durham, Greensboro, Winston-Salem

Bordering States: Georgia, South Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia

Major Crops: Tobacco, Sweet Potatoes, Dry Beans, Soybeans, Cotton

Dinosaur Fossils Found in North Carolina: Hypsibema, Lophorhothon, Zatomus

Educator Resources:

Grade 8: Exploring NC's Government and Environment with The Lorax. North Carolina Civic Education Consortium. <http://civics.sites.unc.edu/files/2012/05/NCGovtEnvironmentLorax.pdf> ^[19]

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