



Where in the World is KUBO?

(PRIMARY FOCUS: SOCIAL STUDIES)

For students from approximately 8 to 10 years old.

SUMMARY

As a class, students create a large world map that includes country names. Using this map, each student researches three well-known facts about a given country and lists those on a note card along with his or her name. It would be helpful for the students to have devices to aid in their research. After you have a class set of facts, have one student come forward and the remaining students partner up. The student then reads his or her facts out loud to the class. The pairs then try to figure out the country and, after they do so, have KUBO travel to it. They create code for KUBO to get from the starting point (outer edge of the map) to the country. Students create a scale for the map to convert KUBO distances to actual distances between locations.

BEFOREHAND

Students should understand how to use KUBO and the Coding and Coding+ TagTiles®.

RESOURCES

- 1 KUBO robot per pair, fully charged
- 1 set of Coding TagTiles
- 1 set of Coding+ TagTiles
- Note cards
- Large world map – student created or provided
- Devices with Internet access

