Spaces and exchanges

The Notion of Spaces and Exchanges deals with the geographical and symbolic areas that all societies occupy and the interactions between men and different societies.

Our world is built on the exploration and conquest of new spaces.

The different cultural, economic, sociological and language interactions have shaped and characterised our modern-day world.

Examples can be:

- ★ Trade (the basis of all societies)
- ★ Working conditions (telecommuting, internet)
- ★ Globalization (the world has become a small village)
- ★ School and education (social diversity / knowledge) comparison of the different educational systems
- ★ The Internet / social networks...
- ★ The movement of people: Immigration (Ellis Island)
- ★ The American Dream
- ★ The movement across borders (Gap Year)







IDEES DE PROBLEMATIQUES:

What drives people to leave their country to go and live in another country?

Is the American Dream still alive? What attracts immigrants to live in the USA?

Why do so many students go abroad and take a gap year?

What are the different conflicts that have shaped the US society? What effect have they had on the USA as we know it today?

Has the Olympic ideal of fair play and tolerance been now replaced by money, drugs and politics?