Worldview: How do we see the world?

Question

(See world view link on my website)

Answer the following question based on the information you have learned over the past few classes.

1. What is “worldview”?

2. Summarize the worldview of the Mi’kmaq. (How did they see themselves, interact with each other, the land, animals and other cultures?)

3. Summarize the worldview of the Europeans. (How did they see themselves, interact with each other, the land, animals and other cultures?)

4. There are basically 6 reasons for the European exploration of the “New World”. List 4 of them.

5. How do these reasons fit in with the European worldview? Explain at least two of the reasons you listed above.

6. How did Europeans see land ownership?

7. How did the Mi’kmaq view land ownership?

8. Why did the Mi’kmaq share the land and their resources with the Europeans? Does this fit their worldview? Explain.