

Unit 2

Geography and Culture

- ~How do the five themes of geography affect people and their environment?
- ~ How are cultures shaped by political, economic and social systems/organizations?

Themes of Geography & Elements of Culture

Geography		Culture	
Location 1. relative 2. absolute 3. climate 4. human charac.	Place 1. landforms 2. water forms 3. climate 4. human charac.	Interaction 1. adapt 2. change 3. cultural diffusion 4. interdependence	Movement 1. migration 2. trade 3. cultural diffusion 4. interdependence
		Social Systems 1. families 2. class systems 3. rigid vs. flexible	Belief Systems 1. polytheism 2. monotheism
		Technology 1. simple vs complex	Political Systems 1. structure & organization of governments 2. democracy 3. monarchy 4. dictatorship 5. theocracy
		Economic Systems 1. needs and wants 2. capitalism 3. communism 4. developed vs developing	Modes of Expression 1. communication 2. arts

Review for the test: This will count as homework grades during the unit and will work as a study guide for the unit test.

A. Geography & Culture

B. Unit Goal:

The learner will demonstrate an understanding of the five themes of geography and of the elements of culture.

C. Objectives:

1. Identify and explain the five themes of geography.
2. name and locate important land masses, bodies of water and topographic features on a world map.
3. Locate specific points on a map using latitude and longitude.
4. Recognize the cultural regions of the world as areas of cultural commonality and identify the Middle East, Latin America, Sub-Saharan Africa, South Asia, East Asia, Southeast Asia. Western Europe, Eastern Europe & Russia.
5. Compare the characteristics of traditional cultures and modern cultures.
6. Identify and describe various political, economic and social system/organizations.
7. Define nuclear and extended families and explain their importance in culture.
8. Identify "White Man's Burden" as an example of ethnocentrism.

D. Vocabulary

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| 1. Geography | 11. Ethnocentrism |
| 2. Latitude | 12. Social System |
| 3. Longitude | 13. Economic System |
| 4. Interdependence | 14. Capitalism |
| 5. Culture | 15. Communism |
| 6. Archeologist | 16. Political System |
| 7. Anthropologist | |
| 8. Subsistence Agriculture | |
| 9. Infant Mortality | |
| 10. Gross National Product (GDP) | |

F. Review for the test. Unless it says to list, answers must be written in complete sentences.

1. List the 5 Themes of Geography and give an example of each (5pts)

1. ex.

2. ex.

3. ex.

4. ex.

5. ex.

2. Explain the difference between relative **and** absolute location. (2pts)

3. Explain the difference between latitude **and** longitude. (2 pts)

4. Explain **three** ways places are defined. (3 pts)

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2.

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5. What is the most important factor that influences climate? **Explain.** (3 pts)

6. List the three climatic regions **and** explain the types of climates found in each. (6 pts)

1. Explain Climates:

2. Explain Climates:

3. Explain Climates:

7. List **and** define the four types of movement. (8 pts)

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8. List the eight cultural regions **and** give 3 countries that belong to each. (8 pts)

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Culture

9. Identify the six elements of culture **and** give an example for each. (6 pts)

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Example:

2.

Example:

3.

Example:

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Example:

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Example:

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Example:

10. Explain the difference between an archeologist **and** an anthropologist? (2pts)

11. Identify **and** describe five characteristics of a traditional or developing nation. (6 pts)

Identify:

Describe:

1.

2.

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12. Identify **and** describe five characteristics of a modern or developed nation. (6 pts)

Identify:

Describe:

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5.

13. Explain how the poem White Man's Burden is an example of ethnocentrism. (2 pts)
14. Explain the difference between a nuclear family **and** an extended family. (2 pts)
15. Explain the difference between matrilineal **and** patrilineal. (2 pts)
16. Explain the difference between a rigid **and** a flexible class system. (2 pts)
17. Identify (Define) economic system **and** describe the 3 basic types today. (5 pts)

Identify:

Describe Types Today:

1.

2.

3.

18. Identify (Define) political system **and** describe 4 types of political systems. (6 pts)

Identify:

Describe:

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