





The Elements of a Civilization







Civilization

A civilization is a society with cities, a central government, workers who specialize in certain jobs leading to social classes that has religion, writing, and art and architecture.

G. – Geography

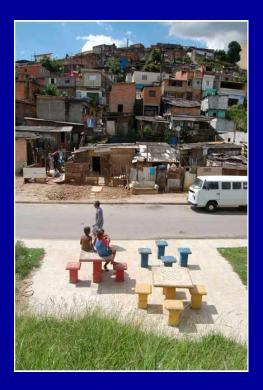
- Geography is how people connect with the <u>land</u> they live on.
- Different types of land creates different types of lifestyles.
- The place you live, including the weather, the city, your street name, is all a part of your geography.



Hawaiian Surfer Kid



Alaska Mountain Boy



G- Geography Examples









R - Religion

- Religion is a set of <u>beliefs</u> about the things we can't see or explain.
- 75% of all the people on earth follow the five major religions.



A. - Achievements

- Achievements are <u>important discoveries</u> for future generations to enjoy.
- Art, architecture, technology, inventions, and ideas are usually the achievements we enjoy and try to improve.
- All civilizations are measured by their achievements.



Iron Ore

Trephination



The Telescope





P - Political

- Politics is how people share the <u>power</u> to make decisions.
- People often fight over who gets to be in charge.
- Every group has politics (Friends, teams, schools, countries)

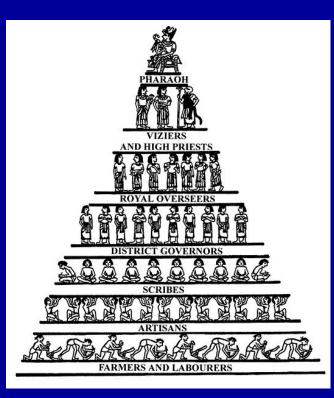


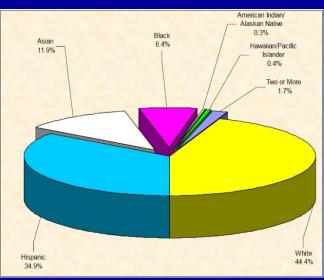
Economics is how we get the things we need and want.

- Economics is about buying, selling, and trading.
- A good economy serves all people.

E- Economy







S- Social Structures

- The word social mean people living together.
- Social structures form when people group up into categories.
- Rich vs. Poor, Race vs. Race, Men vs. Women are different examples of social structures.

- View the following slides and choose which of the G.R.A.P.E.S. matches with the ideas on the screen.
- Be Careful, sometimes the answer could me more than one of the GRAPES.



Arnold Schwarzenegger elected governor of California



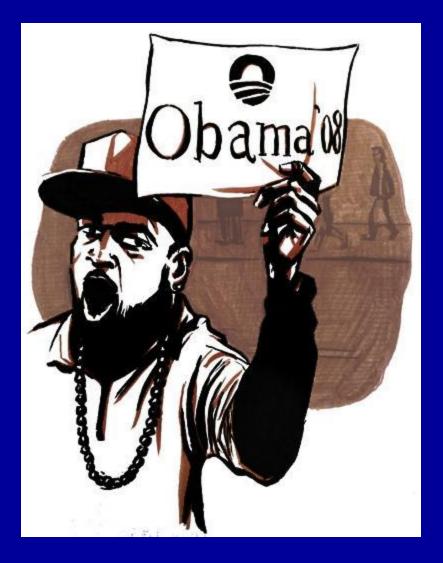
 Farmer has no water to plant his crops.



Muslims take time to do one of their 5 daily prayers.



 Man becomes homeless; he cannot afford to pay rent or buy a house.



 Barack Obama tries to become the first
African-American
President of the USA

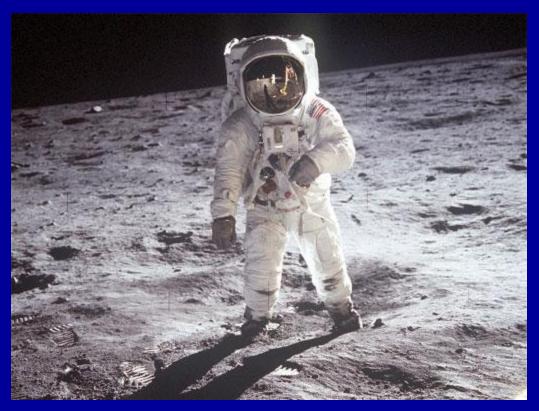
 The new iPhone has 5GB of free space, can show live TV, and holds 1000 songs







Hurricane Katrina destroys many homes.



• The USA lands the first man on the moon in 1969

Baby is baptized.



GRAPES #10



• People protest immigration laws.



Answers

- 1. Political
- 2. Geography / Economic
- 3. Religion
- 4. Economic / Social
- 5. Political / Social
- 6. Achievements / Economic
- 7. Geography / Economic
- 8. Achievements
- 9. Religion
- 10. Political / Social / Geographic / Economic