

MAP SKILLS & 5 THEMES OF GEOGRAPHY STUDY GUIDE

Describe the following:

Absolute Location: _____ is given in degrees of latitude and longitude _____

Relative Location: _____ depends upon point of reference _____

Migration: ____ movement from one place to another _____

Immigration: _____ moving to another country to live permanently _____

Emigration: ____ the act of leaving a country to live in another country _____

Push Factor: ____ negative influence on a region to push a civilization to move _____

Pull Factor: ____ there is something positive which makes another area or region more appealing for survival ____

Physical characteristics of a place: ____ landforms (mountains, plains, etc.) bodies of water (oceans, lakes, bay, etc.) ecosystems (soil, plants, animals, and climate) _____

Cultural/Human characteristic of a place: ____ bridges, roads, buildings, culture, language _____

People depending on the environment: _____

People adapting to or modifying the environment:

Matching:

1. ____ H_Absolute location
2. ____ C_Relative location
3. ____ J_Place—physical characteristics
4. ____ G_Place—human characteristics
5. ____ I_Movement of people
6. ____ D_Movement of goods
7. ____ A_Movement of ideas
8. ____ B_Human Environment Interaction (Positive)
9. ____ E_Human Environment Interaction (Negative)
10. ____ F_Region

- A. One way to communicate information is to write letters to our friends and family.
- B. People use the land to plant crops.
- C. Georgia is east of Alabama.
- D. Freight trains carry cargo from one place to another.
- E. Building new homes destroys animal habitats.
- F. North Carolina and Florida are both part of the Southeastern United States.
- G. In Italy, most people speak Italian.
- H. The country of Guam is at 13°N, 145°E.
- I. In big cities, people take the train and buses to get from one place to another.
- J. A unique feature of China is the Himalayan Mountains.