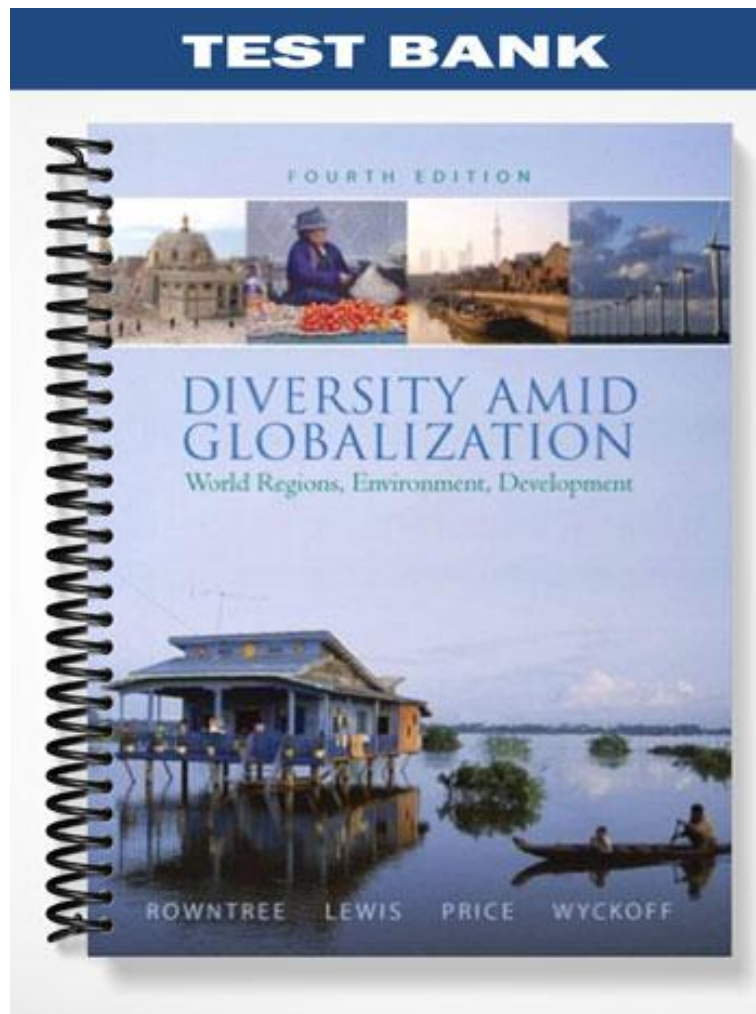


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Chapter 1 Globalization and Diversity

1.1 Multiple Choice and Bimodal Questions

1) What is geography?

- A) an academic discipline that describes Earth and explains the patterns on its surface
- B) a category in the game show Jeopardy
- C) an academic discipline that studies the physical processes on the earth
- D) an academic discipline that studies the human process on the earth
- E) the subject matter of National Geographic magazine

Answer: A

Diff: 1

Topic: 1a General

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

2) How do the authors of your text (Globalization & Diversity) define globalization?

- A) the growing interconnectedness of people and places through converging processes of economic, political, and cultural change
- B) the spread of McDonald's throughout the world
- C) the trend toward international trade agreements among the countries of the world
- D) the pattern of increasing telephone and internet connections around the world
- E) the growth of international and supranational organizations uniting the world's people

Answer: A

Diff: 1

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

3) The growing interconnectedness of people and places through converging processes of economic, political, and cultural change is _____.

- A) global geography
- B) globalization
- C) world geography
- D) diversity
- E) colonialism

Answer: B

Diff: 1

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 4) Which of the following processes is (are) part of the process of globalization?
- A) economic change
 - B) political change
 - C) cultural change
 - D) A, B, and C above
 - E) A and C above

Answer: D

Diff: 2

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 5) According to your text's authors, globalization is the most fundamental reorganization of our planet's social and economic structures since which of the following events?
- A) Ice Age
 - B) Demographic Transition
 - C) Industrial Revolution
 - D) World War II
 - E) the Renaissance

Answer: C

Diff: 3

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 6) What do most scholars agree is the most significant component of globalization?
- A) global warming
 - B) political transition around the planet
 - C) international terrorism
 - D) cultural hybridization
 - E) economic reorganization of the world

Answer: E

Diff: 3

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 7) Which of the following may be affected by globalization?
- A) natural resources
 - B) cultural patterns
 - C) political arrangements
 - D) social development
 - E) all of the above

Answer: E

Diff: 3

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 8) Which of the following is NOT a characteristic of our increasingly globalized world?
- A) communications systems that link all regions of the earth instantaneously
 - B) transportation systems capable of moving goods quickly by air, sea, and land
 - C) powerful transnational conglomerate corporations
 - D) proliferation of local folk cultures
 - E) new and more flexible forms of monetary flow

Answer: D

Diff: 3

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 9) Which of the following problems may accompany the spread of global consumer culture?
- A) erosion of local diversity
 - B) development of serious social tensions between traditional cultures and new globalizing influences
 - C) change in traditional diets
 - D) A, B, and C above
 - E) none of the above

Answer: D

Diff: 3

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 10) Which of the following is NOT an example of global consumer culture?
- A) NBA T-shirts, sneakers, and caps
 - B) McDonald's
 - C) Burger King
 - D) Kentucky Fried Chicken
 - E) Russian nesting dolls

Answer: E

Diff: 3

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 11) Which of the following groups is most likely to disrupt local ecosystems in their search for natural resources and manufacturing sites?
- A) governments
 - B) transnational firms
 - C) indigenous ethnic groups
 - D) international organizations such as the United Nations
 - E) non-governmental organizations, such as Greenpeace

Answer: B

Diff: 2

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 12) Which of the following problems does international globalization aggravate?
- A) climate change
 - B) air pollution
 - C) water pollution
 - D) deforestation
 - E) all of the above

Answer: E

Diff: 1

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 13) Which of the following is part of the criminal element of globalization?
- A) drugs
 - B) pornography
 - C) prostitution
 - D) terrorism
 - E) all of the above

Answer: E

Diff: 1

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 14) What part of the world has become a major source of both pornography and prostitution as a result of globalization?
- A) the Caribbean
 - B) Eastern Europe
 - C) Sub-Saharan Africa
 - D) North America
 - E) South Asia

Answer: B

Diff: 3

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-sensitive

- 15) What part of the world has had its economy reoriented to drug smuggling and money laundering as the result of globalization?
- A) Eastern Europe
 - B) Sub-Saharan Africa
 - C) the Caribbean
 - D) North America
 - E) South Asia

Answer: C

Diff: 3

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-sensitive

- 16) All of the following are arguments against globalization, EXCEPT
- A) globalization is not a "natural" process.
 - B) globalization is a policy promoted by free-trade advocates, capitalist countries, and multinational firms, all of which benefit from the process.
 - C) policies of globalization increase the differences between rich and poor in the world.
 - D) globalization will lead to the use of nuclear weapons.
 - E) globalization is dangerously unstable.

Answer: D

Diff: 3

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 17) All of the following are arguments in favor of globalization, EXCEPT
- A) globalization is a logical expression of international capitalism that will benefit all peoples and all nations.
 - B) globalization encourages the spread of beneficial new technologies and ideas.
 - C) the removal of trade barriers will cause inefficient local industries to become more efficient, and more able to compete internationally.
 - D) each country and region of the world will profit by concentrating on the activities for which they are best suited in the global economy.
 - E) globalization will lead to world peace.

Answer: E

Diff: 3

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 18) What type of consumer product is most likely to be made in a sweatshop?
- A) clothing
 - B) automobiles
 - C) electronics
 - D) furniture
 - E) toys

Answer: A

Diff: 2

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 19) What do the World Bank, the International Monetary Fund (IMF), and the World Trade Organization (WTO) do?
- A) They strictly regulate all the international commercial transactions in the world.
 - B) They make possible the flow of goods and capital across international boundaries.
 - C) They make the banking and trade laws of the member countries of the United Nations.
 - D) They are "think tanks" that advise countries on international banking and trade.
 - E) They are the banking systems of (respectively) Europe, Asia, and the United Nations.

Answer: B

Diff: 3

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 20) What is the middle position on globalization, according to your text's authors?
- A) Globalization will eventually fail.
 - B) Globalization is avoidable with cooperative effort.
 - C) Globalization will not be as bad as the critics believe it will be.
 - D) Globalization will bring more good than bad.
 - E) Globalization is probably unavoidable, but it can be managed.

Answer: E

Diff: 3

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 21) What is the current population of the Earth?
- A) 6.6 million
 - B) 660 million
 - C) 1.6 billion
 - D) 6.6 billion
 - E) 1.6 trillion

Answer: D

Diff: 2

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-sensitive

- 22) About how many humans are added to the world's population each hour?
- A) 500 B) 2,000 C) 8,000 D) 14,000 E) 48,000

Answer: D

Diff: 3

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-sensitive

- 23) Which of the following depicts the annual growth rate for a country as a percentage increase?
- A) crude birth rate (CBR)
 - B) total fertility rate (TFR)
 - C) rate of natural increase (RNI)
 - D) infant mortality rate
 - E) life expectancy

Answer: C

Diff: 2

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

24) What is the current overall rate of natural increase (RNI) for the world?

- A) 0.2% per year
- B) 1.2% per year
- C) 2% per year
- D) 8% per year
- E) 12% per year

Answer: B

Diff: 3

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-sensitive

25) What is the term for the average number of children who will be borne by women of a hypothetical, yet statistically valid, population?

- A) rate of natural increase (RNI)
- B) crude birth rate (CBR)
- C) infant mortality rate
- D) total fertility rate (TFR)
- E) life expectancy

Answer: D

Diff: 2

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

26) In which of the following cases will the total fertility rate (TFR) be highest?

- A) when women marry early and have one or two children
- B) when women marry in their late 30s, and then have children
- C) when women marry in their late 20s, then have several children
- D) when women marry early, have children, then die in their late 20s
- E) when women marry early and have many children over a long span of years

Answer: E

Diff: 3

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

27) What is the current total fertility rate (TFR) for the world as a whole?

- A) 1.8 children
- B) 2.1 children
- C) 2.7 children
- D) 3.1 children
- E) 3.8 children

Answer: C

Diff: 3

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-sensitive

28) Which world region has the highest total fertility rate?

- A) Africa
- B) North America
- C) Europe
- D) Australia
- E) Antarctica

Answer: A

Diff: 3

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-sensitive

29) Which of the following factors influences life expectancy?

- A) sanitation
- B) accident rates
- C) frequency of disease
- D) nutrition
- E) all of the above

Answer: E

Diff: 2

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

30) In which world region is life expectancy the same as it was in 1975?

- A) North America
- B) Europe
- C) Australia
- D) Africa
- E) East Asia

Answer: D

Diff: 3

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-sensitive

31) What country has seen a drop in average life expectancy in recent years as a result of declining economic conditions?

- A) Japan
- B) United States
- C) Germany
- D) Canada
- E) Russia

Answer: E

Diff: 3

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-sensitive

- 32) What is the four-stage model that conceptualizes changes in birthrates and death rates through time as a population urbanizes?
- A) demographic transition
 - B) globalization
 - C) population evolution
 - D) societal population shift
 - E) urban population adjustment

Answer: A

Diff: 2

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 33) In the Demographic Transition, which of the following pairings is (are) correct?
- A) stage 1: high birth rate, high death rate
 - B) stage 2: high birth rate, falling death rate
 - C) stage 3: falling birth rate, low death rate
 - D) stage 4: low birth rate, low death rate
 - E) all of the above

Answer: E

Diff: 3

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 34) In which stage of the Demographic Transition are birth rate and death rate both high?
- A) stage 1
 - B) stage 2
 - C) stage 3
 - D) stage 4
 - E) all of the above

Answer: A

Diff: 3

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 35) In which stage of the Demographic Transition are birth rate and death rate both low?
- A) stage 1
 - B) stage 2
 - C) stage 3
 - D) stage 4
 - E) all of the above

Answer: D

Diff: 3

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 36) In which stages of the Demographic Transition is the rate of natural increase (RNI) low?
- A) stage 1 and stage 3
 - B) stage 1 and stage 4
 - C) stage 2 and stage 3
 - D) stage 2 and stage 4
 - E) stage 3 and stage 4

Answer: B

Diff: 3

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 37) What stage of the Demographic Transition produces a rapid rise in the rate of natural increase?
- A) stage 1
 - B) stage 2
 - C) stage 3
 - D) stage 4
 - E) stage 5

Answer: B

Diff: 3

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 38) A population pyramid with a wide base and a narrow peak is characteristic of what kind of growth rate?
- A) slow growth
 - B) zero growth
 - C) rapid growth
 - D) negative growth
 - E) it is impossible to tell the growth rate based on the shape of a population pyramid

Answer: C

Diff: 3

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 39) Which of the following is NOT shown in the Demographic Transition graph?
- A) total population
 - B) birth rate
 - C) death rate
 - D) gender distribution of the population
 - E) 4 stages

Answer: D

Diff: 3

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

40) Which of the following is NOT shown in a population pyramid?

- A) a general, graphic, indication of the growth rate
- B) males in the population
- C) females in the population
- D) age distribution of the population
- E) birth and death rates

Answer: E

Diff: 3

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

41) In terms of total numbers, which time in history has seen the greatest human migration?

- A) 1750–1800
- B) 1800–1850
- C) 1850–1900
- D) 1900–1950
- E) now

Answer: E

Diff: 1

Topic: 4b Population Migration

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

42) At this time, about how many people in the world can be considered migrants of some sort?

- A) 190,000
- B) 1 million
- C) 19 million
- D) 190 million
- E) 1 billion

Answer: D

Diff: 3

Topic: 4b Population Migration

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-sensitive

43) In migration, which of the following is an example of a push force?

- A) war in a potential destination
- B) health services in a potential destination
- C) unemployment in a person's homeland
- D) economic opportunity in a person's homeland
- E) religious freedom in a potential destination

Answer: C

Diff: 3

Topic: 4b Population Migration

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

44) In migration, which of the following is an example of a pull force?

- A) unemployment in a person's homeland
- B) war in a potential destination
- C) economic opportunity in a person's homeland
- D) religious freedom in a potential destination
- E) a college scholarship in a person's homeland

Answer: D

Diff: 2

Topic: 4b Population Migration

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

45) What measure of migration tells whether more people are entering or leaving a country?

- A) Rate of in-migration
- B) Rate of out-migration
- C) Emigration rate
- D) Immigration rate
- E) Net migration rate

Answer: E

Diff: 2

Topic: 4b Population Migration

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG only

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

46) Overall, what percentage of the world's population lives in cities?

- A) 10%
- B) 30%
- C) 50%
- D) 70%
- E) 90%

Answer: C

Diff: 3

Topic: 4c Population Urbanization

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-sensitive

47) In which of the following countries is the percentage of its population living in cities less than 75%?

- A) United States
- B) Japan
- C) Australia
- D) Europe
- E) Zimbabwe

Answer: E

Diff: 2

Topic: 4c Population Urbanization

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-sensitive

48) What is the average rate of urbanization for developing countries?

- A) between 10% and 20%
- B) between 20% and 30%
- C) between 30% and 40%
- D) between 40% and 50%
- E) between 50% and 60%

Answer: D

Diff: 3

Topic: 4c Population Urbanization

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-sensitive

49) The blending of popular culture with local cultural traditions is called _____.

- A) cultural nationalism
- B) demographic transition
- C) hybridization
- D) cultural transition
- E) cultural imperialism

Answer: C

Diff: 2

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

50) Cultural syncretism is a synonym for which of the following phrases?

- A) cultural development
- B) cultural hybridization
- C) cultural evolution
- D) cultural disintegration
- E) cultural nationalism

Answer: B

Diff: 2

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

51) What is cultural syncretism?

- A) the blending of popular culture with local cultural traditions
- B) the adoption of popular culture by a local ethnic group
- C) the replacement of local cultural traditions with popular culture
- D) the rejection of popular culture by a local ethnic group
- E) the elimination of local cultures caused by the spread of popular culture

Answer: A

Diff: 2

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

52) Which of the following is NOT a characteristic of culture?

- A) It is individual.
- B) It is learned.
- C) It is shared.
- D) It has abstract dimensions.
- E) It has material dimensions.

Answer: A

Diff: 2

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

53) Which of the following is an example of a material dimension of culture?

- A) speech
- B) architecture
- C) religion
- D) value systems
- E) livelihood

Answer: B

Diff: 3

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

54) Which of the following is an example of an abstract dimension of culture?

- A) technology
- B) architecture
- C) ideology
- D) foods
- E) music

Answer: C

Diff: 2

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

55) The active promotion of one cultural system at the expense of another is called _____.

- A) cultural nationalism
- B) cultural assimilation
- C) cultural syncretization
- D) cultural imperialism
- E) cultural hybridization

Answer: D

Diff: 3

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 56) The process of defending a cultural system against offensive cultural expressions from elsewhere, while promoting local cultural values is called _____.
- A) cultural imperialism
 - B) cultural assimilation
 - C) cultural syncretization
 - D) cultural hybridization
 - E) cultural nationalism

Answer: E

Diff: 3

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 57) What country is well known for its official prohibition against unwanted cultural traits, especially in its language?
- A) France
 - B) United States
 - C) Australia
 - D) India
 - E) Japan

Answer: A

Diff: 2

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 58) Which of the following characteristics often best defines cultural groups?
- A) politics
 - B) religion
 - C) language
 - D) commerce
 - E) customs

Answer: C

Diff: 3

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

59) What is the distinctive form of a language that is associated with different regions?

- A) lingua franca
- B) official language
- C) language group
- D) dialect
- E) language family

Answer: D

Diff: 1

Topic: 5a Culture Language

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

60) An agreed-upon common language to facilitate communication on specific topics, such as business is called a(n) _____.

- A) dialect.
- B) official language.
- C) language group.
- D) language family.
- E) lingua franca.

Answer: E

Diff: 3

Topic: 5a Culture Language

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

61) In what world region is Swahili a lingua franca?

- A) Africa
- B) Europe
- C) South Asia
- D) Southeast Asia
- E) Latin America

Answer: A

Diff: 3

Topic: 5a Culture Language

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

62) Which of the following is (are) a universalizing religion(s)?

- A) Buddhism
- B) Islam
- C) Christianity
- D) A and B above
- E) A,B and C above

Answer: E

Diff: 3

Topic: 5b Culture Religion

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

63) Which of the following is (are) an ethnic religion(s)?

- A) Judaism
- B) Hinduism
- C) Mormonism
- D) A and B above
- E) A, B, and C above

Answer: D

Diff: 3

Topic: 5b Culture Religion

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

64) What is a universalizing religion?

- A) a religion that attempts to appeal to all peoples regardless of location or culture
- B) a metaphysical religion that seeks inner peace through contact with extraterrestrial beings
- C) a religion that seeks to identify the common elements of all religions of the world in order to bring world-wide religious unity
- D) a global movement to promote inter-faith cooperation, similar to the United Nations
- E) Hinduism

Answer: A

Diff: 2

Topic: 5b Culture Religion

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

65) What is an ethnic religion?

- A) a religion that seeks the highest ethical values
- B) a religion that remains identified with a specific national group
- C) a religion that originates within a small, relatively isolated geographic area
- D) a religion that rejects any converts
- E) an animist religion

Answer: B

Diff: 2

Topic: 5b Culture Religion

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

66) Approximately how many of the earth's people are Christians?

- A) 500 million
- B) 1.2 billion
- C) 1.6 billion
- D) 2.1 billion
- E) 3.2 billion

Answer: D

Diff: 3

Topic: 5b Culture Religion

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-sensitive

67) Approximately how many of the earth's people are Muslim?

- A) 500 million
- B) 1.3 billion
- C) 1.9 billion
- D) 2.4 billion
- E) 2.8 billion

Answer: B

Diff: 3

Topic: 5b Culture Religion

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-sensitive

68) Which ethnic religion is closely linked to India?

- A) Zoroastrianism
- B) Sufism
- C) Judaism
- D) Shinto
- E) Hinduism

Answer: E

Diff: 2

Topic: 5b Culture Religion

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

69) Which of the following religions are most closely related to Judaism?

- A) Christianity and Islam
- B) Hinduism and Sikhism
- C) Shinto and Buddhism
- D) Animism and Zoroastrianism
- E) Taoism and Confucianism

Answer: A

Diff: 2

Topic: 5b Culture Religion

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

70) Which of the following focuses on the interaction between power, territory, and space at different scales?

- A) political science
- B) geopolitics
- C) comparative politics
- D) international relations
- E) geomorphology

Answer: B

Diff: 2

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

71) What is a nation-state?

- A) a heterogeneous cultural group with its own fully independent political territory
- B) a homogeneous cultural group that possesses a homeland within a larger country
- C) a relatively homogeneous cultural group with its own fully independent political territory
- D) a heterogenous cultural group that possesses a homeland within a larger country
- E) a country that has two or more states, for example, the U.S.

Answer: C

Diff: 2

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

72) How common are nation-states?

- A) totally nonexistent
- B) relatively rare
- C) very common
- D) universal – every country is a nation-state
- E) no one knows

Answer: B

Diff: 3

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

73) Which of the following groups of people is a nation without a state?

- A) Turks
- B) Kazakhs
- C) Azeris
- D) Kurds
- E) Estonians

Answer: D

Diff: 2

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

74) What is micronationalism?

- A) the break-up of large countries into smaller ones, for example the former Soviet Union
- B) the name given to describe the unification of many countries through international agreements such as the European Union
- C) the name given to describe a multi-ethnic society, such as the United States
- D) the process of re-drawing electoral districts to make them smaller
- E) group identity with the goal of self-rule within an existing nation-state

Answer: E

Diff: 2

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

75) What are centrifugal forces?

- A) cultural and political forces acting to weaken or divide an existing state
- B) geological forces acting to cause tectonic plates to move further apart
- C) economic forces acting to worsen a region's economy
- D) geophysical forces acting to create earthquakes
- E) sociological forces acting to promote out-migration

Answer: A

Diff: 2

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

76) What are centripetal forces?

- A) geological forces acting to cause tectonic plates to move closer together
- B) cultural and political forces that promote political unity and reinforce the state structure
- C) economic forces acting to improve a region's economy
- D) geophysical forces acting to prevent earthquakes
- E) sociological forces acting to promote in-migration

Answer: B

Diff: 2

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

77) Which of the following is an example of a centrifugal force?

- A) shared sense of history
- B) need for military security
- C) ethnic separatism
- D) overarching economic structure
- E) advantages that come from larger unified political structure

Answer: C

Diff: 3

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

78) Which of the following is an example of a centripetal force?

- A) linguistic minority status
- B) ethnic separatism
- C) territorial autonomy
- D) shared sense of history
- E) disparities in income and well-being

Answer: D

Diff: 3

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

79) Which of the following is an example of a geometric boundary?

- A) The 49th parallel defining the western part of the border between the U.S. and Canada
- B) The Rio Grande defining the border between Texas and Mexico
- C) The boundaries of the states of India, which are defined by language
- D) The boundaries of Bosnia and Serbia, which are based on ethnicity
- E) All of the above

Answer: A

Diff: 3

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG only

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

80) Which of the following is an example of an ethnographic boundary?

- A) The 49th parallel defining the western part of the border between the U.S. and Canada
- B) The Rio Grande defining the border between Texas and Mexico
- C) The boundaries of the countries of Africa, drawn at the Berlin Conference
- D) The boundaries of Bosnia and Serbia, which are based on ethnicity
- E) All of the above

Answer: D

Diff: 3

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG only

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 81) Which of the following statements about terrorism is false?
- A) Global terrorism is both a product as well as an expression of globalization.
 - B) Before the September, 2001 terrorist attacks on the U.S., acts of global terrorism were usually connected to nationalist aspirations for independence.
 - C) Members of today's terrorist networks communicate via cell phones and the Internet.
 - D) Today's terrorism is financed through a complicated array of holding companies and subsidies that traffic in a range of goods, such as honey, diamonds, and opium.
 - E) Terrorism in today's world is highly centralized.

Answer: E

Diff: 3

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 82) What is asymmetrical warfare?
- A) term that describes the differences between a superpower's military technology and lower-level technology and guerilla tactics used by groups such as al - Qaeda and the Taliban
 - B) term that describes the differences between a superpower's military technology and lower-level technology of a non-superpower
 - C) term that describes the differences between conventional weapons and biological weapons
 - D) term that describes the differences between conventional weapons and nuclear weapons
 - E) term that describes the differences between the conventional weapons available to a government's military and the primitive weapons, such as spears and rocks, available to traditional tribal peoples

Answer: A

Diff: 3

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 83) According to the core-periphery model, which of the following countries is part of the periphery?
- A) United States
 - B) Canada
 - C) Japan
 - D) United Kingdom
 - E) India

Answer: E

Diff: 3

Topic: 7 Economic Development

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

84) According to the core-periphery model, which of the following countries is part of the core?

- A) Japan
- B) India
- C) China
- D) Brazil
- E) Indonesia

Answer: A

Diff: 3

Topic: 7 Economic Development

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

85) What is colonialism?

- A) the temporary occupation of another country
- B) the formal establishment of rule over a foreign population
- C) the establishment of trade relations with another country
- D) the introduction of popular consumer culture in a traditional society
- E) all of the above

Answer: B

Diff: 2

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

86) What was the main period of colonialization by European states?

- A) 1300 through the 1600s
- B) 1400 through the mid 1550s
- C) 1500 through the mid-1900s
- D) 1700 through the 1800s
- E) the 1800s

Answer: C

Diff: 3

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

87) What is the process of a colony's gaining (or regaining) control over its territory and establishing a separate, independent government?

- A) Revolution
- B) Imperialism
- C) Colonization
- D) Decolonialization
- E) Autonomy

Answer: D

Diff: 2

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 88) According to the core-periphery model, where are the richest nations in the world mostly located?
- A) Southern Hemisphere
 - B) Western Hemisphere
 - C) Northern Hemisphere
 - D) Eastern Hemisphere
 - E) on the Equator

Answer: C

Diff: 2

Topic: 7 Economic Development

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 89) What is the major underlying assumption of the core-periphery model?
- A) that the wealth of the developed core will eventually diffuse to the less developed periphery
 - B) that the different levels of development between the core and the periphery is caused by the relative levels of natural resources in each area
 - C) that the less developed periphery will eventually revolt against the wealthier core
 - D) that the developed core achieved its wealth primarily by taking advantage of the southern periphery, through either colonialism or imperialism
 - E) that the core and periphery will work together to eliminate uneven development

Answer: D

Diff: 3

Topic: 7 Economic Development

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 90) Which of the following countries does not fit the core-periphery model?
- A) Russia
 - B) Singapore
 - C) Australia
 - D) New Zealand
 - E) all of the above

Answer: E

Diff: 3

Topic: 7 Economic Development

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

91) The term "Third World" was originally a product of which of the following?

- A) The Cold War
- B) World War II
- C) The Kyoto Protocol
- D) a United Nations ruling
- E) asymmetrical warfare associated with terrorism

Answer: A

Diff: 2

Topic: 7 Economic Development

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

92) If the less developed world is called "The Third World," then what are "The First World" and "The Second World?"

- A) the wealthiest countries are the First World; the middle-income countries are the Second World
- B) capitalist, democratic countries are the First World; communist countries are the Second World
- C) countries of the Americas are the First World; countries of Eurasia are the Second World
- D) the world leaders in technology comprise the First World; the world leaders in natural resources comprise the Second World
- E) there are no First and Second Worlds; the "Third World" designation is merely an indication of how poor these less developed countries are

Answer: B

Diff: 3

Topic: 7 Economic Development

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

93) What does LDC stand for?

- A) linked democracies charter
- B) liberal democracy of China
- C) less developed country
- D) liberated democratic country
- E) last decolonized countries

Answer: C

Diff: 1

Topic: 7 Economic Development

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 94) What does MDC stand for?
- A) major democratic countries
 - B) minor democratic countries
 - C) more democratic country
 - D) more developed country
 - E) member of the democratic commonwealth

Answer: D

Diff: 1

Topic: 7 Economic Development

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 95) Why are "growth" and "development" NOT interchangeable terms?
- A) "Growth" normally refers to improvements, while "development" usually refers to an increase in the size of a system.
 - B) "Growth" normally refers to the economic system, while "development" normally refers to the political system in a country.
 - C) "Growth" normally refers to the standard of living, while "development" normally refers to the economic system in a country.
 - D) "Growth" normally refers to the increase in agricultural output, while "development" usually refers to the improvement in the educational system of a country.
 - E) "Growth" normally refers to increase in the size of the system;" while "development" usually refers to improvements.

Answer: E

Diff: 1

Topic: 7 Economic Development

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 96) What does Gross Domestic Product measure?
- A) the value of all final goods and services produced in a country
 - B) the value of all final goods and services produced in a country plus the net income from abroad
 - C) the value of all final goods and services produced in a country plus the net income from abroad, taking into account nonmarket economic activity
 - D) the value of all final goods and services produced in a country, including all nonmarket economic activities
 - E) the value of a country's stock market

Answer: A

Diff: 3

Topic: 7 Economic Development

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 97) What does Gross National Income (GNI) measure?
- A) the value of all final goods and services produced in a country
 - B) the value of all final goods and services produced in a country plus the net income from abroad
 - C) the value of all final goods and services produced in a country plus the net income from abroad, taking into account nonmarket economic activity
 - D) the value of all final goods and services produced in a country, including all nonmarket economic activities
 - E) the value of a country's stock market

Answer: B

Diff: 2

Topic: 7 Economic Development

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 98) How does one calculate the Gross National Income (GNI) per capita?
- A) divide a country's GNI by the population of that same country
 - B) multiply a country's GNI by the population of that same country
 - C) divide a country's GNI by 10,000
 - D) multiply a country's GNI by 10,000
 - E) multiply a country's GNI by its population, then divide by 10,000

Answer: A

Diff: 3

Topic: 7 Economic Development

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 99) What is the primary value of using GNI per capita, rather than GNI?
- A) GNI per capita is readily available on the internet.
 - B) It permits a valid comparison of the GNI of countries regardless of the difference in population size.
 - C) GNI per capita includes the value of the informal sector of a country.
 - D) GNI per capita takes into account the value of each country's stock exchange.
 - E) all of the above

Answer: B

Diff: 3

Topic: 7 Economic Development

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

100) What does the Economic Growth Rate measure?

- A) the annual rate of expansion for Purchasing Power Parity (PPP)
- B) the annual rate of expansion for the Gross Domestic Product (GDP)
- C) the annual rate of expansion for the New York Stock Exchange
- D) the annual rate of expansion for Gross National Income (GNI)
- E) it is a composite indicator that measures all of the above

Answer: D

Diff: 2

Topic: 7 Economic Development

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

101) What is a "bubble economy?"

- A) a highly successful economy
- B) an economy that has recently experienced a major decline
- C) a highly inflated economy that cannot be sustained
- D) an economy with high rates of unemployment
- E) an economy with low rates of unemployment, and a future of steady growth

Answer: C

Diff: 2

Topic: 7a Economic Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

102) In which of the following countries did a "bubble economy" burst in the latter half of the 1990s?

- A) China
- B) Russia
- C) United States
- D) Thailand
- E) Brazil

Answer: D

Diff: 3

Topic: 7a Economic Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

103) What is the Group of Eight (G-8)?

- A) the world's top national soccer teams
- B) the exclusive club of the world's richest nations
- C) the world's richest transnational corporations
- D) another name for the United Nations Security Council
- E) the member nations of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization

Answer: B

Diff: 3

Topic: 7 Economic Development

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

104) Which of the following is NOT an indicator of Social Development?

- A) life expectancy
- B) under age 5 mortality rate
- C) adult literacy rate
- D) infant mortality rate
- E) population density

Answer: E

Diff: 2

Topic: 8 Social Development

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

105) Which of the following factors influences life expectancy?

- A) availability of health services
- B) nutrition
- C) frequency or absence of disease
- D) sanitation
- E) all of the above

Answer: E

Diff: 2

Topic: 8 Social Development

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

106) Which of the following is NOT likely to be reflected by the "Under age 5 mortality indicator?"

- A) heart disease
- B) food availability
- C) basic health services
- D) public sanitation
- E) accidents

Answer: A

Diff: 3

Topic: 8 Social Development

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

107) Which measure represents the international definition of poverty?

- A) total fertility rate
- B) under age 5 mortality
- C) percentage of the population living on less than \$2 per day
- D) gender equity
- E) GDP average annual percent growth

Answer: C

Diff: 3

Topic: 8 Social Development

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG only

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

108) What does the Adult Literacy Rate measure?

- A) college graduates
- B) ability to read
- C) people who have received vaccinations
- D) access to the internet
- E) all of the above

Answer: B

Diff: 1

Topic: 8 Social Development

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

109) Which of the following often accompanies high female illiteracy?

- A) high death rate
- B) low birthrate
- C) high birthrate
- D) low death rate
- E) high rate of participation by women in the labor force

Answer: C

Diff: 3

Topic: 8 Social Development

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

1.2 True/False Questions

1) Geography is an academic discipline that describes Earth and explains the patterns on its surface.

Answer: TRUE

Diff: 2

Topic: 1a General

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

2) The growing interconnectedness of people and places through converging processes of economic, political, and cultural change is globalization.

Answer: TRUE

Diff: 1

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

3) According to your text's authors, globalization is the most fundamental reorganization of the planet's social and economic structures since the Renaissance.

Answer: FALSE

Explanation: the Industrial Revolution

Diff: 3

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

4) Most scholars agree that the economic reorganization of the world is the most significant component of globalization.

Answer: TRUE

Diff: 3

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

5) An argument in favor of globalization is that the removal of trade barriers will cause inefficient local industries to become more efficient, and more able to compete internationally.

Answer: TRUE

Diff: 3

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

6) Automobiles are often made in a sweatshop.

Answer: FALSE

Explanation: Clothes, etc.

Diff: 2

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

7) The World Trade Organization helps to make possible the flow of goods and capital across international boundaries.

Answer: TRUE

Diff: 2

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 8) The blending of popular culture with local cultural traditions is cultural nationalism.
Answer: FALSE
Explanation: hybridization or syncretism
Diff: 2
Topic: 5 Culture
Skill: Memorize
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable
- 9) The current population of the Earth is about 3 billion.
Answer: FALSE
Explanation: 6.5 billion
Diff: 2
Topic: 4 Population
Skill: Memorize
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable
- 10) About 10,000 humans are added to the world's population each hour.
Answer: TRUE
Diff: 3
Topic: 4 Population
Skill: Memorize
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable
- 11) In terms of total numbers, the greatest migration occurred 100 years ago.
Answer: FALSE
Explanation: is occurring NOW
Diff: 2
Topic: 4 Population
Skill: Memorize
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable
- 12) The rate of natural increase (RNI) depicts the annual population growth rate for a country as a percentage increase.
Answer: TRUE
Diff: 3
Topic: 4 Population
Skill: Memorize
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable
- 13) The crude birth rate is the average number of children borne by women of a hypothetical, yet statistically valid, population.
Answer: FALSE
Explanation: total fertility rate (TFR)
Diff: 3
Topic: 4 Population
Skill: Memorize
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable

14) Total fertility rate (TFR) is high when women marry early and have many children over a long span of years.

Answer: TRUE

Diff: 3

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

15) Japan has a high total fertility rate.

Answer: FALSE

Explanation: low

Diff: 2

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

16) Africa has the highest total fertility rates of all world regions.

Answer: TRUE

Diff: 3

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-sensitive

17) The percentage of a population under age 15 is a poor indicator of the momentum (or lack thereof) for continued population growth.

Answer: FALSE

Explanation: an excellent

Diff: 3

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

18) Among world regions, Europe has one of the lowest percentages of population under age 15.

Answer: TRUE

Diff: 2

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG only

Time sensitivity: Time-sensitive

19) Total fertility rate (TFR) can be thought of as the average number of children per family.

Answer: TRUE

Diff: 3

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 20) On average, Africa has the lowest percentage of population over the age of 65.
- Answer: TRUE
Diff: 2
Topic: 4 Population
Skill: Memorize
Textbook: DAG only
Time sensitivity: Time-sensitive
- 21) The four-stage model that conceptualizes changes in birthrates and death rates through time as a population urbanizes is known as Societal Population Shift.
- Answer: FALSE
Explanation: Demographic Transition
Diff: 2
Topic: 4 Population
Skill: Memorize
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable
- 22) In the Demographic Transition, birth rate and death rates are both high in Stage 1.
- Answer: TRUE
Diff: 3
Topic: 4 Population
Skill: Analyze
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable
- 23) In the Demographic Transition, birth rates are equal to death rates in Stage 1 and Stage 2.
- Answer: FALSE
Explanation: Stage 4
Diff: 3
Topic: 4 Population
Skill: Analyze
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable
- 24) In Stages 1 and 4 of the Demographic Transition, the rate of natural increase is (RNI) low.
- Answer: TRUE
Diff: 3
Topic: 4 Population
Skill: Memorize
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable
- 25) Stage 2 of the Demographic Transition produces a rapid decrease in the rate of natural increase.
- Answer: FALSE
Explanation: increase
Diff: 3
Topic: 4 Population
Skill: Memorize
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 26) In migration, economic opportunity in a person's homeland is an example of a pull force.
Answer: FALSE
Explanation: elsewhere, in a potential destination
Diff: 2
Topic: 4b Population Migration
Skill: Analyze
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable
- 27) In Zimbabwe, the percentage of the population living in cities is higher than the world average.
Answer: FALSE
Explanation: is lower
Diff: 2
Topic: 4a Population Settlement
Skill: Analyze
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-sensitive
- 28) A population pyramid with a wide base and a narrow peak is characteristic of a slow growth rate.
Answer: FALSE
Explanation: rapid
Diff: 3
Topic: 4 Population
Skill: Analyze
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable
- 29) A country that has a high life expectancy is also likely to have a high child mortality rate.
Answer: FALSE
Explanation: low
Diff: 3
Topic: 4 Population
Skill: Synthesize
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable
- 30) Germany's population is more urbanized than the world average.
Answer: TRUE
Diff: 2
Topic: 4a Population Settlement
Skill: Analyze
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable
- 31) In migration, unemployment in a person's homeland is an example of a push force.
Answer: TRUE
Diff: 2
Topic: 4b Population Migration
Skill: Analyze
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable

32) Cultural syncretism is a synonym for cultural hybridization.

Answer: TRUE

Diff: 2

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

33) Culture is learned.

Answer: TRUE

Diff: 2

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

34) Religion is an example of a material dimension of culture.

Answer: FALSE

Explanation: an abstract

Diff: 3

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

35) Architecture is an example of a material dimension of culture.

Answer: TRUE

Diff: 2

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

36) The active promotion of one cultural system at the expense of another is cultural nationalism.

Answer: FALSE

Explanation: imperialism

Diff: 3

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

37) The process of defending a cultural system against offensive cultural expressions, while promoting local cultural values is cultural nationalism.

Answer: TRUE

Diff: 3

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

38) The distinctive form of a language that is associated with different regions is called a dialect.

Answer: TRUE

Diff: 2

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

39) An agreed-upon common language to facilitate communication on specific topics, such as business is called a language family.

Answer: FALSE

Explanation: lingua franca

Diff: 3

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

40) Islam and Christianity are universalizing religions.

Answer: TRUE

Diff: 3

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

41) Hinduism and Judaism are universalizing religions.

Answer: FALSE

Explanation: ethnic

Diff: 3

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

42) An ethnic religion remains identified with a specific national group.

Answer: TRUE

Diff: 2

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

43) The Hindu religion is closely linked to Pakistan.

Answer: FALSE

Explanation: India

Diff: 2

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 44) Christianity and Islam are closely related to Judaism.
Answer: TRUE
Diff: 3
Topic: 5 Culture
Skill: Memorize
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable
- 45) Geopolitics focuses on the interaction between power, territory, and space at different scales.
Answer: TRUE
Diff: 2
Topic: 6 Political Geography
Skill: Memorize
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable
- 46) A nation-state is a relatively diverse cultural group with its own fully independent political territory.
Answer: FALSE
Explanation: homogeneous
Diff: 2
Topic: 6 Political Geography
Skill: Memorize
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable
- 47) Japan is an excellent example of a nation-state.
Answer: TRUE
Diff: 2
Topic: 6 Political Geography
Skill: Analyze
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable
- 48) Kurds are an example of a nation-state.
Answer: FALSE
Explanation: nation without a state
Diff: 3
Topic: 6 Political Geography
Skill: Memorize
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable
- 49) Centrifugal forces are cultural and political forces acting to weaken or divide an existing state.
Answer: TRUE
Diff: 3
Topic: 6 Political Geography
Skill: Memorize
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable

50) Centripetal forces promote political disunity.

Answer: FALSE

Explanation: unity

Diff: 3

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

51) Ethnic separatism is an example of a centrifugal force.

Answer: TRUE

Diff: 3

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

52) Shared sense of history is an example of a centrifugal force.

Answer: FALSE

Explanation: centripetal

Diff: 3

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

53) Decolonization refers to the process of a colony's gaining (or regaining) control over its territory and establishing a separate, independent government.

Answer: TRUE

Diff: 2

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

54) According to the core-periphery model, the United States is part of the periphery.

Answer: FALSE

Explanation: core

Diff: 3

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

55) A "bubble economy" is sustainable.

Answer: FALSE

Explanation: is not sustainable

Diff: 2

Topic: 7a Economic Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

56) According to the core-periphery model, the richest nations in the world are mostly located in the Northern Hemisphere.

Answer: TRUE

Diff: 3

Topic: 7a Economic Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

57) "Growth" and "development" are interchangeable terms.

Answer: FALSE

Explanation: are not

Diff: 1

Topic: 7a Economic Geography

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

58) Gross Domestic Product (GDP) measures the value of all final goods and services produced in a country.

Answer: TRUE

Diff: 3

Topic: 7a Economic Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

59) Life expectancy is an indicator of Social Development.

Answer: TRUE

Diff: 2

Topic: 8 Social Development

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

60) Heart disease is not likely to influence the "Under age 5 mortality" indicator.

Answer: TRUE

Diff: 3

Topic: 8 Social Development

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

61) Adult illiteracy rates measure the number of college graduates in a country.

Answer: FALSE

Explanation: percentage of adults who are able to read

Diff: 1

Topic: 8 Social Development

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

1.3 Vocabulary Questions

Define the following terms.

1) Globalization

Answer: The growing interconnectedness of people and places through converging processes of economic, political, and cultural change

Diff: 1

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

2) Economic convergence

Answer: The notion that globalization will result in the world's poorer countries gradually catching up with more advanced economies

Diff: 2

Topic: 2 Globalization

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG only

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

3) Areal differentiation

Answer: The geographic description and explanation of spatial differences on Earth's surface, including both physical and human patterns.

Diff: 1

Topic: 1a General

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG only

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

4) Areal integration

Answer: The geographic description and explanation of two places, landscapes, and regions are connected, interactive, and integrated with each other.

Diff: 2

Topic: 1a General

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG only

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

5) Region

Answer: A geographical area within which there are consistent or relatively homogeneous characteristics based on physical or human geography; ("nonexistent lines separating unrelated features")

Diff: 2

Topic: 1a General

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG only

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

6) Vernacular region

Answer: A region with vague, cognitive borders used by the public to refer to a general area; i.e., the "Midwest" or the "Middle East"

Diff: 2

Topic: 1a General

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG only

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

7) Formal region

Answer: Distinct boundaries that are constructed by used one specific trait, such as climate, soils, or income

Diff: 2

Topic: 1a General

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG only

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

8) Functional region

Answer: A region based on a certain activity or organization, such as the civic government of a city, which is constrained by the city limits

Diff: 2

Topic: 1a General

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG only

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

9) Cultural hybridization (also syncretism)

Answer: The blending of popular culture with local cultural traditions

Diff: 2

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

10) Rate of Natural Increase (RNI)

Answer: The standard statistic used to express natural population growth per year for a country, region, or world, based on the difference between birth and death rates

Diff: 3

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

11) Total Fertility Rate (TFR)

Answer: The average number of children who will be borne by women of a hypothetical, yet statistically valid, population, such as that of a specific cultural group or within a particular country; demographers consider the TFR a more reliable indicator of population change than the crude birthrate.

Diff: 3

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

12) Demographic Transition

Answer: The four-stage model of population change derived from the historical decline of the natural rate of increase as population becomes increasingly urbanized through industrial and economic development

Diff: 2

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

13) Push force

Answer: A negative event or condition in a person's homeland that encourages a person to emigrate.

Diff: 2

Topic: 4b Population Migration

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

14) Pull force

Answer: A favorable event or condition in a potential destination that encourages a person to immigrate.

Diff: 2

Topic: 4b Population Migration

Skill: Analyze

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

15) Urbanized population

Answer: The percentage of a country's population living in cities

Diff: 2

Topic: 4c Population Urbanization

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

16) Urban form

Answer: The physical arrangement or landscape of the city, made up of building architecture and style, street patterns, open spaces, housing types, and so on.

Diff: 2

Topic: 4c Population Urbanization

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG only

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

17) Urban structure

Answer: The distribution and pattern of land use, such as commercial, residential, or manufacturing, within the city.

Diff: 2

Topic: 4c Population Urbanization

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG only

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

18) Urban primacy

Answer: A state in which a disproportionately large city dominates the urban system and is the center of economic, political, and cultural life. Bangkok (Thailand) or Seoul (South Korea) are examples.

Diff: 2

Topic: 4c Population Urbanization

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG only

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

19) Overurbanization

Answer: A process in which the rapid growth of a city, most often because of in-migration, exceeds the city's ability to provide jobs, housing, water, sewers, and transportation

Diff: 2

Topic: 4c Population Urbanization

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

20) Squatter settlements

Answer: Illegal developments of makeshift housing on land neither owned nor rented by their inhabitants; they are widespread in the rapidly growing cities of the developing world, and are usually located in unoccupied open spaces or on the outskirts of the city

Diff: 2

Topic: 4c Population Urbanization

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

21) Culture

Answer: Learned and shared behavior by a group of people empowering them with a distinct "way of life;" this includes both material (technology, tools, etc.) and abstract (speech, values, etc.) components.

Diff: 2

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Synthesize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

22) Cultural syncretism (or hybridization)

Answer: The blending of two or more cultures, which produces a synergistic third culture that exhibits traits from all cultural parents

Diff: 2

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

23) Cultural imperialism

Answer: The active promotion of one cultural system at the expense of another

Diff: 3

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

24) Cultural nationalism

Answer: The process of defending a cultural system against offensive cultural expressions, while promoting local cultural values

Diff: 3

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

25) Lingua franca

Answer: An agreed-upon common language to facilitate communication on specific topics, such as business

Diff: 3

Topic: 5a Culture Language

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

26) Universalizing religion

Answer: A religion that attempts to appeal to all peoples regardless of location or culture (ex.: Christianity, Islam, Buddhism)

Diff: 2

Topic: 5b Culture Religion

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

27) Ethnic religion

Answer: A religion closely identified with a specific national, ethnic or tribal group, often to the point of assuming the role of the major defining characteristic of that group; normally these religions do not actively seek new converts

Diff: 2

Topic: 5b Culture Religion

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

28) Secularization

Answer: The widespread movement in western Europe away from regular participation and engagement with traditional organized religions such as Protestantism or Catholicism

Diff: 2

Topic: 5b Culture Religion

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG only

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

29) Asymmetrical warfare

Answer: The differences between between a superpower's military technology and strategy and the lower level technology and guerilla tactics used by terrorist groups such as Al Qaeda

Diff: 2

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

30) Nation-state

Answer: A relatively homogeneous cultural group with its own fully independent political territory

Diff: 2

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

31) Centrifugal force

Answer: Cultural and political forces acting to weaken or divide an existing state; examples include linguistic minorities, separatists, fringe groups

Diff: 3

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

32) Centripetal forces

Answer: Cultural and political forces that promote the political unity in a nation-state; examples include shared sense of history, centralized economic structure, need for military security

Diff: 3

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

33) Colonialism

Answer: The formal establishment of rule over a foreign population

Diff: 2

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

34) Decolonialization

Answer: Term that refers to the process of a colony's gaining (or regaining) control over its territory and establishing a separate, independent government

Diff: 2

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

35) Ethnographic boundaries

Answer: State and national boundaries that are drawn to follow distinct differences in cultural traits, such as religion, language, or ethnic identity

Diff: 2

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG only

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

36) Geometric boundaries

Answer: Boundaries of convenience that are drawn along lines of latitude or longitude without consideration for cultural or ethnic differences in an area

Diff: 2

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG only

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

37) Supranational organization

Answer: Governing bodies that include several states, such as trade organizations, that often involve a loss of some state powers in order to achieve the organization's goals

Diff: 2

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG only

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

38) Core-periphery model

Answer: According to this model, the U.S., Canada, western Europe and Japan constitute the global economic center, while most of the areas to the south make up a less-developed zone.

Diff: 3

Topic: 6 Political Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

39) Gross National Income (GNI)

Answer: The value of all final goods and services produced within a country's borders (Gross Domestic Product) PLUS the net income from abroad; this was formerly referred to as gross national product (GNP)

Diff: 3

Topic: 7 Economic Development

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG only

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

40) Gross National Income (GNI) per capita

Answer: The figure that results from dividing a country's GNI by the total population

Diff: 3

Topic: 7 Economic Development

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

41) Purchasing Power Parity (PPP)

Answer: A method of reducing the influence of inflated currency rates by adjusting a local currency to a composite baseline of one U.S. dollar based upon its ability to purchase a standardized "market basket" of goods

Diff: 3

Topic: 7 Economic Development

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG only

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

42) Bubble economy

Answer: A highly inflated economy that cannot be sustained

Diff: 2

Topic: 7a Economic Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

43) Economic Growth Rate

Answer: The annual rate of expansion for Gross Domestic Product (GDP)

Diff: 2

Topic: 7a Economic Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

44) Sustainable growth

Answer: A vision of economic change that seeks a balance with environmental protection and social equity so that the short-term needs of contemporary society do not compromise needs of future generations

Diff: 2

Topic: 7a Economic Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG only

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

45) Sweatshop

Answer: Crude factories in developing countries in which workers perform labor-intensive tasks for extremely low wages

Diff: 3

Topic: 7a Economic Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

46) Transnational firms

Answer: Firms and corporations that do international business through an array of global subsidiaries

Diff: 3

Topic: 7a Economic Geography

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

1.4 Matching Questions

Match the term to its definition.

- 1) Annual growth rate for a country or region as a percentage

Diff: 2

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 2) The number of children borne to a fictitious, yet average group of women during their childbearing years

Diff: 2

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 3) Four-stage conceptualization that tracks changes in birthrates and death rates over time as a population urbanizes

Diff: 2

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 4) Graph that plots the percentage of all different age groups along a vertical axis that divides the population into male and female

Diff: 2

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

A) Demographic Transition

B) Total Fertility Rate (TFR)

C) Rate of Natural Increase (RNI)

D) Population Pyramid

1) C

2) B

3) A

4) D

Match the example to its appropriate category.

- 5) Hurricane Katrina for New Orleans resident

Diff: 3

Topic: 4b Population Migration

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

A) Pull force

B) Push force

- 6) War in Iraq for a resident of Baghdad

Diff: 3

Topic: 4b Population Migration

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 7) Religious persecution in for a Buddhist in Tibet

Diff: 3

Topic: 4b Population Migration

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 8) Limits on free speech for a journalist in Iran

Diff: 3

Topic: 4b Population Migration

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 9) A job in the U.S. for a citizen of Mexico

Diff: 3

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 10) Religious freedom in France for a citizen of People's Republic of China

Diff: 3

Topic: 4 Population

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

11) Warm climate in Florida for a retiree in Minnesota

Diff: 3
Topic: 4 Population
Skill: Memorize
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable

12) Political freedom in Canada for a citizen of North Korea

Diff: 3
Topic: 4 Population
Skill: Memorize
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable

5) B 6) B 7) B 8) B 9) A 10) A
11) A 12) A

Match the term to its definition.

13) Promotion of of one cultural system at the expense of another

Diff: 2
Topic: 5 Culture
Skill: Memorize
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- A) Cultural imperialism
- B) Cultural syncretism
- C) Cultural nationalism

14) Protecting and defending a cultural system while promoting national and local cultural values

Diff: 2
Topic: 5 Culture
Skill: Memorize
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable

15) Blending of cultures to form a new type of culture with elements from each of the blended cultures

Diff: 2
Topic: 5 Culture
Skill: Memorize
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable

13) A 14) C 15) B

Match the example to its appropriate category.

16) Christianity

Diff: 2

Topic: 5b Culture Religion

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG only

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

A) Universalizing religion

B) Ethnic religion

17) Buddhism

Diff: 2

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

18) Islam

Diff: 2

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

19) Judaism

Diff: 2

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

20) Hinduism

Diff: 2

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

21) Shinto

Diff: 2

Topic: 5 Culture

Skill: Memorize

Textbook: DAG & GAD

Time sensitivity: Time-stable

16) A

17) A

18) A

19) B

20) B

21) B

1.5 Essay Questions

1) According to advocates of globalization, what are the perceived advantages of globalization?

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Time sensitivity: Time-stable

- 2) Compare and contrast the arguments for and against globalization. In your opinion, is globalization good for the world? Is it good for your region? Why, or why not?
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Time sensitivity: Time-stable
- 3) Write an essay in which you discuss the various aspects that geographers examine in urban settlements.
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable
- 4) Discuss how global terrorism has forced geographers to redefine and expand our conceptualization of globalization and geopolitics.
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable
- 5) What is cultural imperialism? How prevalent has it been, and with what impacts? Is it more prevalent now than 100 years ago?
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable
- 6) Describe the statistics and measurements used in the text to examine and compare populations.
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable
- 7) What is GNP and what are its shortcomings as an indicator of economic development and social well-being?
Textbook: DAG & GAD
Time sensitivity: Time-stable
- 8) Culture is an important aspect of the human experience. Define the term and then discuss and analyze the four categories of culture presented in the text, along with an examination of the phenomenon of cultural imperialism.
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Time sensitivity: Time-stable