UNIT 1 Review: Nature and Perspectives of Geography

There will be three test grades in this unit.
1. You do not need to study for the Reading Test. You only need to BRING YOUR NOTES. There will be 20 questions. You will have 20 minutes to finish. Questions are multiple choice. This test is not curved.
2. You do need to study for the Map Test. The map test will include the regions and countries listed below. You will need to identify those countries/regions on a map. The questions are short answer with no bank. You will have ten minutes to complete ten questions. This test is not curved.
3. You do need to study the information found below for the Unit Test. The unit test is composed of multiple choice questions from released AP Exams. This test, like the AP exam, is curved 30 points.

Language of the Discipline (Make Flashcards!):
Mercator Peters Robinson Distance Decay Friction of Distance Intervening Opportunity
Ethnocentric Field Work
Globalization Scale Spatial perspective Epidemiology Pandemic Epidemic Absolute location
Relative location Human environment interaction
Region Sense of place Perceptions of places
Accessibility/connectivity Cultural landscape Sequent occupancy Reference maps Thematic maps Global positioning system
Activity space Mental maps
GIS Remote sensing/GPS Formal region Functional region Perceptual region Culture trait
Cultural hearth Diffusion Expansion diffusion Hierarchical diffusion Contagious diffusion
Stimulus diffusion Relocation diffusion Transculturation Acculturation Environmental determinism Cultural ecology Political ecology Possibilism Choropleth Isopleth Cartogram Dot Map Graduated Circle Map Equator Prime Meridian International Date Line Tropic of Cancer/ Capricorn

Details:

1. Were there any super important geographers we learned about? Sauer? John Snow? What did they do?

2. How about any current events that apply to this unit?

3. Major examples of the types of diffusion? Could you come up with examples of the different types of diffusion on your own?

Patterns, Trends, and Rules

Change over Time

1. How is technology affecting our ability to make maps?

Examples of Perceptual Regions – You need to know these regions (in bold) for our first test, and you need to know the countries. Be able to locate on a map! These countries are in the news frequently and we will be talking about them for the rest of the year, so you need to know them.

**North America** –
Canada

**Middle America** – Guatemala, Haiti

**South America** – Brazil, Chile, Venezuela

**Western Europe** – United Kingdom, France, Germany, The Netherlands

**Eastern Europe** – Russia, Poland, Ukraine, Greece

**Southwest Asia** – Egypt, Saudi Arabia, Iraq, Iran, Israel, Syria, Yemen, United Arab Emirates

**Central Asia** –
Afghanistan

**Sub Saharan Africa** – Nigeria, South Africa, Sudan, Niger

**South Asia** – India, Pakistan

**East Asia** – Japan, China, North Korea
Southeast Asia – Singapore, Philippines

Australia and Oceania – Australia, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea