

Unit 8 - Europe

1. Describe the cultural contributions of Mediterranean Europe. _____

2. In which country did the Industrial Revolution begin? _____

3. Define official language. _____

4. Which country/empire/region of Europe?

- Controlled by USSR after WWII _____
- Satellite states of USSR _____
- “Land of the Midnight Sun” _____
- Highest standard of living _____
- “Powder keg of Europe” _____
- Spread Christianity all over Europe _____

5. What city in Europe is famous for having a wall built around half of it? _____

6. What is a lingua franca? _____

7. Why is being multilingual important in Europe? _____

8. What is the currency used in EU countries? _____

9. What is NATO? _____

10. What two MAJOR wars were fought in Europe in the 20th century? _____

11. What is Athens, Greece major contribution to the world today? _____

12. What is nationalism? What did it lead to in Europe twice? _____

13. What is the Danube River known for being? _____

14. What caused the population of European Jews to drop from 9.5 to 2 million after WWII?

15. Part of a country separated by another country.

Religion Unit

16. Major division within a religion. _____

17. Religious hearth for Judaism, Christianity, & Islam. _____

18. Religious hearth for Hinduism & Buddhism. _____

19. Unintended outcome of Protestant Reformation. _____

20. Define universalizing religion & identify the world’s largest. _____

21. Define “orthodox.” _____

22. What did Martin Luther do & what was the result? _____

23. Describe the significance of the Western Wall to the Jewish people. _____

24. What is another name for the Western Wall? _____
25. Describe the who, what, & where of Zionism. _____

26. What event during WWII helped create the state of Israel? _____
27. Why is Jerusalem contested space for 3 religions? _____

Unit 9 - The Middle East (Southwest Asia & North Africa)

28. What is the largest branch of Islam? _____
29. In what Middle eastern country will you find that 95% of the population are Shi'ite Muslims? _____

30. What resource is scarce? _____
31. What is the purpose of OPEC? _____
32. Describe brain drain. _____

33. Why is SW Asia & North Africa called "the Middle East?" _____

34. What is a "medina?" _____

35. Define physiological density. _____

36. Describe the reason for building the Aswan High Dam & the problems it caused. _____

37. Where do people travel to when they make the Hajj? _____
38. List the Five Pillars of Faith & what each means.
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Unit 10 - Sub-Saharan Africa

39. What is desertification & where in Africa is it most obviously occurring (be specific)? _____

40. Describe a kleptocracy & provide an example. _____

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41. Other than the usual reasons, what other event caused shantytowns to develop in South Africa? _____
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42. Economic base for most African nations is exporting. _____
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43. Define nationalization (of industry). _____
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44. Purpose of Berlin Conference & how it affected SSA. _____
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45. Describe the negative effects of the discovery of oil in Nigeria. _____
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46. Indigenous African religions. _____

Unit 11 - South Asia

47. Most serious natural hazard in Bangladesh. _____
48. Describe how a rain-shadow desert forms. _____
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49. Unifying language of India. _____
50. Describe the location of the Himalayas in relation to South Asia. _____
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51. Describe “hutments” in India. _____
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52. Who are the “dalits” commonly referred to as in India? _____
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53. Main climactic weather pattern of South Asia. _____
54. Two South Asian nations that have nuclear weapons capability. _____ & _____
55. What territory are the two nations from question 54 fighting over? _____
56. List the types of nonviolent resistance promoted by Gandhi. _____
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Unit 12 - East Asia

57. Describe the various problems that have occurred as a result of the building of the Three Gorges Dam. _____
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58. Describe the results of China’s One Child Policy. _____
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59. Define and provide an example from East Asia of an anthropogenic landscape. _____
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60. What was China's "Great Leap Forward" & what were the negative results of its implementation? _____

61. Why is the U.S. concerned about North Korea? _____

Unit 13 - SE Asia

62. Most populous Muslim country in the world. _____

63. Describe all the environmental damage caused by commercial logging in SE Asia. _____

64. Describe plantation agriculture in SE Asia. _____

65. Why was Indonesia poor after gaining independence? _____

66. Describe swidden agriculture & what is causing it to increase. _____

67. Know the difference between an atoll & a low island. _____

68. Define a high island. _____