

Section 1: The Five Themes of Geography
The World of Geography**Section Quiz****A. Key Terms**

Directions: Read the statements below. If a statement is true, write T in the blank provided. If it is false, write F. Rewrite false statements on another sheet of paper to make them true.

- _____ 1. The study of Earth is called geography.
- _____ 2. Lines of latitude divide the globe into units called poles.
- _____ 3. Lines of longitude circle Earth parallel to the Equator.
- _____ 4. Each half of Earth is known as a hemisphere.
- _____ 5. A meridian is a line of longitude.

B. Main Ideas

Directions: Write the letter of the correct answer in each blank.

- _____ 6. Geographers use the five themes of geography to
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| a. study world history. | c. study world music. |
| b. organize information. | d. measure locations. |
- _____ 7. To pinpoint the absolute location of a place, geographers use
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| a. nearby landmarks. | c. the North and South poles. |
| b. the Atlantic and Pacific oceans. | d. latitude and longitude. |
- _____ 8. How do geographers use the theme of regions?
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| a. to group places that have something in common | c. to locate places |
| b. to identify trade routes | d. to show how people affect their environment |
- _____ 9. What does the theme of movement help geographers to understand?
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| a. a location's physical and human features | c. how far a place is from the Equator |
| b. how people, goods, and ideas get from one place to another | d. the climate of a place |
- _____ 10. Geographers' studies include oceans, landforms, climate, and
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| a. ancient mathematical calculations. | c. how people affect their environment. |
| b. comets. | d. asteroids. |

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Guided Reading and Review

A. As You Read

Directions: *As you read Section 1, answer the following questions in the space provided.*

1. What two questions do geographers try to answer while studying different places?

2. How do the five themes—location, region, place, movement, and human-environment interaction—help geographers when they study Earth?

3. What are two special measurements geographers use to describe location?

4. What line of latitude at 0 degrees of latitude is located around the middle of the globe?

5. What is the line of longitude that marks 0 degrees of longitude?

6. Which way of describing location is being used when a geographer explains that a river is 250 miles north of San Antonio?

7. Why is the study of movement useful to geographers?

B. Reviewing Key Terms

Directions: *Complete these sentences by writing the correct terms in the blanks provided.*

8. The study of Earth is called _____.
9. North, east, south, and west are called _____.
10. The invisible lines that form east-west circles around Earth are called both lines of _____ and _____.
11. The invisible lines that circle Earth from north to south are called both lines of _____ and _____.
12. Each half of Earth is called a _____.