AP Human Geography Summer Assignment

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Future AP Human Geography Students,

Welcome! As part of entering our AP Human Geography class in August it is important for you to acquire a certain level of background knowledge of map skills. Your general understanding of important maps and locations will be imperative to your success in this class. You will need to complete the following series of maps to create your own AP HUG World Atlas. We will refer back to these maps frequently over the year as we prepare for the AP Test in May. These EIGHT maps will be due the first week of school. This is considered a major assignment and will be worth a Chapter Test grade to be factored into your final grade for the 1st nine week period.

Please be sure to follow all directions completely paying careful attention to required colors, symbols, and neatness. Please contact me at the email address above if you have any questions. Do not wait until the verylast minute to begin your maps! The earlier you complete your maps, the sooner you can begin preparing for future Human Geography map quizzes!

Map Guidelines:

Maps will be graded based upon THREE criteria:

- A. Correct location of all items.
 - ✓ THERE ARE OVER 100 ITEMS SO TAKE YOUR TIME.
- B. Neat presentation of all lettering and coloring.
- C. Completion of assignment

Directions:

Maps are to be printed out and MUST meet the following guidelines to earn credit:

- 1. All lettering of Countries and States must be completed in <u>BLACK</u> ink.
- 2. All lettering of Capitals and Major Cities must be completed in <u>RED</u> ink.
 - ✓ All Capitals should be shown with a <u>RED STAR</u> symbol.
 - ✓ All Major Cities should be shown with a <u>BLACK DOT</u> symbol.
- 3. All lettering of Rivers and Bodies of Water must be completed in **BLUE** ink.
- 4. Mountains and must be completed in **BLACK** ink.
 - ✓ All mountains should be shown with a BLACK <u>TRIANGLE</u> symbol (Placed in the middle of the mountain range).
 - ✓ Extent of mountain range should be shaded BROWN.
- 5. Rivers and Bodies of Water should be shaded <u>BLUE</u> (Oceans do not need to be colored).
- 6. Deserts should be shaded YELLOW.
- 7. Place all items as close to their actual location as possible (DO NOT draw lines across the map!)
- 8. ALL Countries need to be neatly shaded. This includes countries which are not identified in this assignment.
 - ✓ No TWO countries touching should be the same color (DO NOT use BLUE. Blue represents water only.)
 - ✓ Coloring should be light enough to read all lettering (Colored pencil is preferred.)
- 9. Maps must include a key of all colors and symbols used.
- 10. You may use the following abbreviations:
 - ✓ W. West E. East N. North S. South
 - ✓ Place names that are more than NINE letters may be shortened
- 11. If the feature is already labeled you do not need to label again.

World Atlas Assignment

Map 1: World Map

Please **LABEL** the following:

- ✓ Continents: North America, South America, Europe, Asia, Australia, Antarctica
- √ 4 Oceans: Pacific, Atlantic, Indian, Arctic
- ✓ Equator
- ✓ Tropic of Cancer
- ✓ Tropic of Capricorn

Map 2: North America

Please *LABEL* the following:

Countries, Capitals, and Major Cities:

- ✓ United States Washington,
 D.C., Chicago, New York City,
 Los Angeles
- ✓ Canada Ottawa, Toronto
- ✓ Mexico Mexico City
- ✓ Greenland

Bodies of Water:

- ✓ Pacific Ocean
- ✓ Atlantic Ocean
- ✓ Gulf of Mexico

Rivers:

- ✓ Rio Grande
- ✓ Mississippi

Mountain Ranges and other landforms:

- ✓ Rocky Mountains
- ✓ Appalachian Mountains

Map 3: Central America

Please **LABEL** the following:

Countries, Capitals, and Major Cities:

- ✓ Cuba Havana
- ✓ Honduras Tegucigalpa
- ✓ Nicaragua Managua
- ✓ Panama Panama City

Bodies of Water:

- ✓ Pacific Ocean
- ✓ Caribbean Sea
- √ Lake Nicaragua

Map 4: South America

Please LABEL the following:

Countries, Capitals, and Major Cities:

- ✓ Colombia Bogota
- ✓ Venezuela Caracas
- ✓ Brazil Brasilia, Rio Janeiro, Sao Paolo
- ✓ Argentina Buenos Aires
- ✓ Uruguay Montevideo

Bodies of Water:

- √ Pacific Ocean
- ✓ Atlantic Ocean
- ✓ Caribbean Sea

Rivers:

✓ Amazon

Mountain Ranges and other landforms:

- ✓ Andes Mountains
- ✓ Cape Horn

Map 5: Africa

Please *LABEL* the following: <u>Countries</u>, Capitals, and Major Cities:

- ✓ South Africa Johannesburg
- ✓ Lesotho
- ✓ Madagascar
- ✓ Sudan
- ✓ South Sudan
- ✓ Algeria
- ✓ Somalia
- ✓ Morocco Casablanca
- ✓ Libya Tripoli
- ✓ Egypt Cairo
- ✓ Democratic Republic of Congo
- ✓ Rwanda
- ✓ Ethiopia

Bodies of Water:

- ✓ Indian Ocean
- ✓ Atlantic Ocean
- ✓ Lake Victoria
- ✓ Mediterranean Sea
- ✓ Red Sea

Rivers:

- ✓ Nile River
- ✓ Congo River

Mountain Ranges and other landforms:

- ✓ Sahara Desert
- ✓ Cape of Good Hope
- ✓ Suez Canal

Map 6: Central and Southwest Asia

Please *LABEL* the following:

Countries, Capitals, and Major Cities:

- ✓ Turkey
- ✓ Syria
- ✓ United Arab Emirates
- ✓ Afghanistan-Kabul
- ✓ Pakistan Karachi
- ✓ China
- ✓ Nepal
- ✓ India Mumbai , New Delhi, Calcutta

Bodies of Water:

- ✓ Arabian Sea
- ✓ Persian Gulf
- ✓ Red Sea
- ✓ Caspian Sea
- ✓ Black Sea

Rivers:

- ✓ Ganges River
- ✓ Tigris River
- ✓ Euphrates River

Mountain Ranges and other

landforms:

✓ Himalayan Mountains

Map 7: Southeast Asia and South Pacific

Please *LABEL* the following: <u>Countries</u>, Capitals, and Major Cities:

- ✓ China Beijing, Hong Kong, Shanghai
- ✓ Japan Tokyo
- ✓ Philippines Manila
- ✓ Australia Sydney
- ✓ South Korea
- ✓ North Korea
- ✓ Indonesia Jakarta

Bodies of Water:

- ✓ Indian Ocean
- ✓ Pacific Ocean
- ✓ South China Sea
- ✓ Mediterranean Sea

Rivers:

- ✓ Huang He (Yellow) River
- ✓ Yangtze River

Mountain Ranges and other landforms:

✓ Himalayan Mountains

Map 8: Europe

Please *LABEL* the following: <u>Countries</u>, <u>Capitals</u>, and <u>Major Cities</u>:

- ✓ Spain Madrid, Barcelona
- ✓ Russia Moscow
- ✓ Germany Berlin
- ✓ United Kingdom London
- ✓ Belgium

Bodies of Water:

- ✓ Atlantic Ocean
- ✓ North Sea
- ✓ Baltic Sea

Rivers:

- ✓ Rhine River
- ✓ Danube River

Mountain Ranges and other landforms:

- Pyrenees Mountains
- ✓ Alps Mountains
- ✓ Caucasus Mountains
- ✓ Ural Mountains

To help you label your maps correctly you can use the following sources:

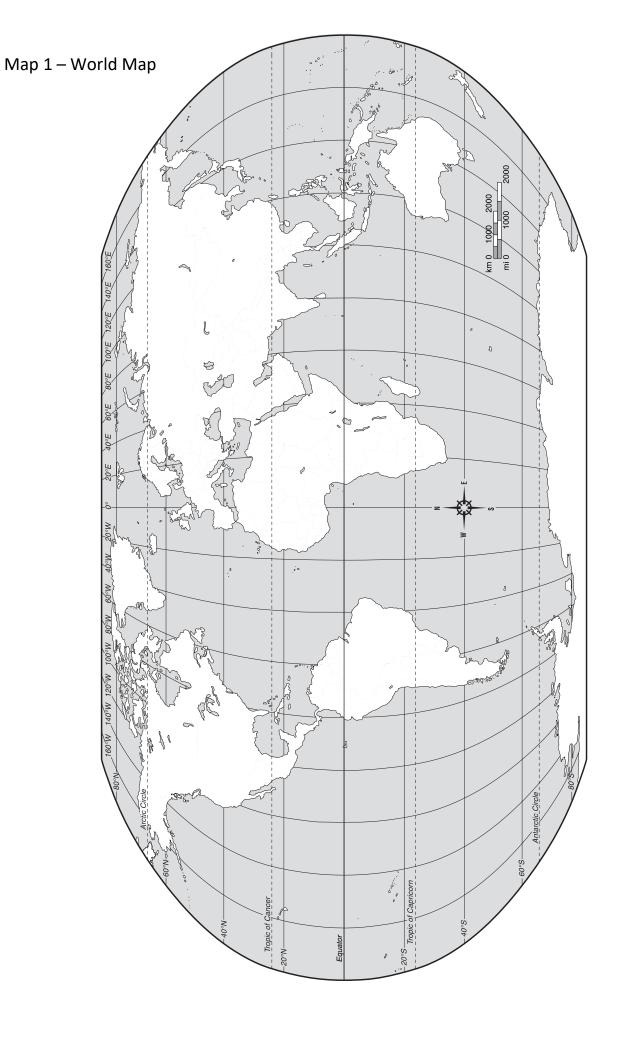
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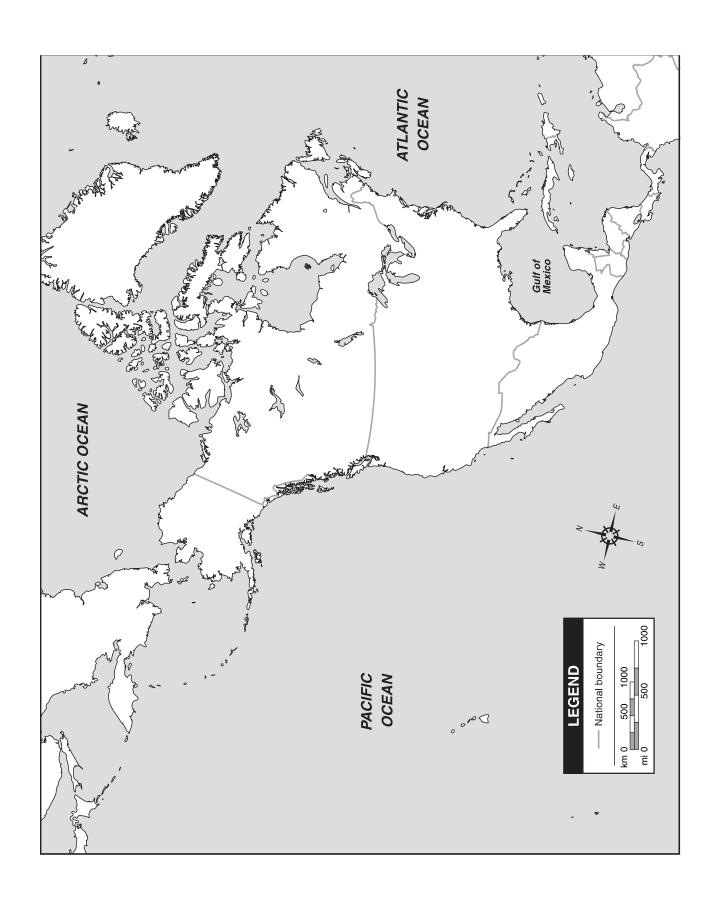
http://maps.nationalgeographic.com/maps

https://www.cia.gov/library/publications/the-world-factbook/index.html

Or,

Google Maps!





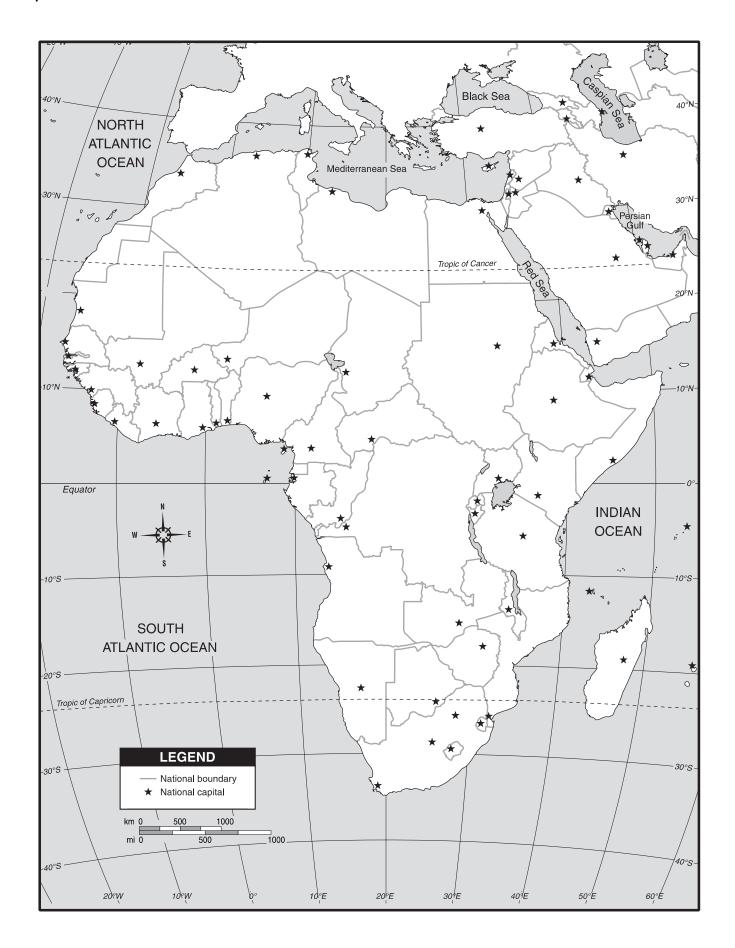
Map 3 – Central America



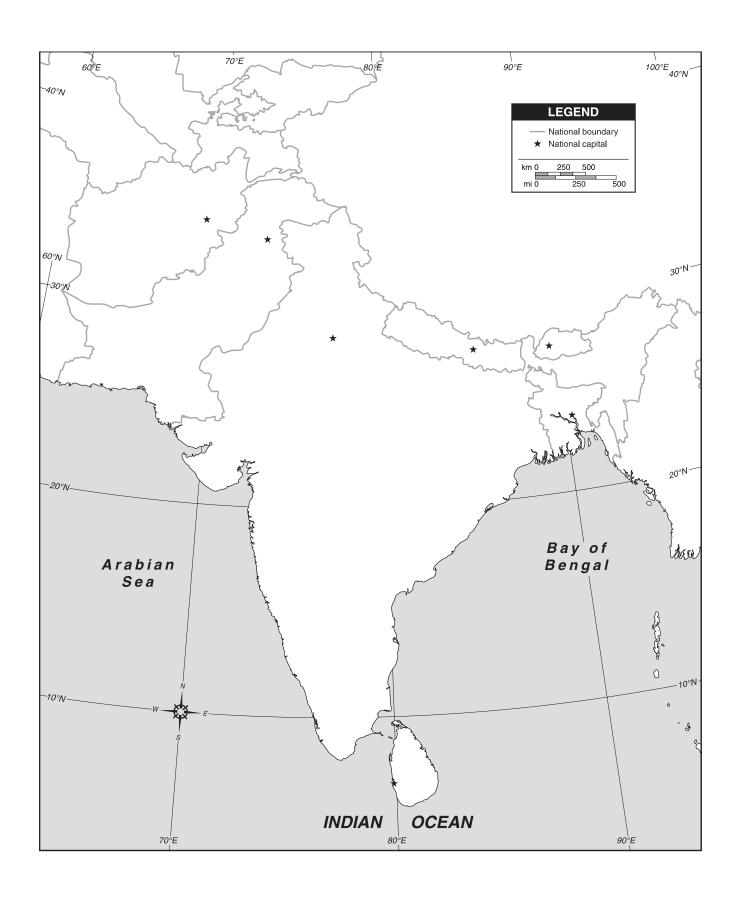
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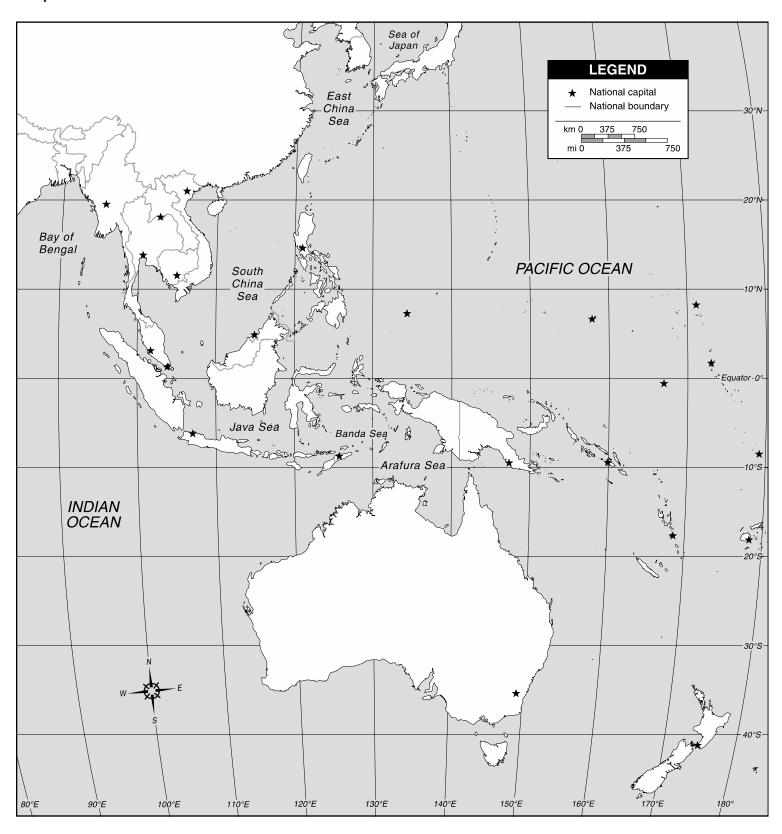
Map 5 - Africa



Map 6 – Southwest and Southern Asia (replace this map to include Turkey, Syria, and UAE)



Map 7 – East and Southeast Asia



Map 8 – Europe

