

GEO BOOT CAMP

“5 Themes of Geography



Geography is the study of...

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Basic principles that help make sense of our world.

****5 Principles = the 5 Themes of Geography**

FYI - EVERY place on earth can be categorized by the 5 Themes!



Geography is the study of...

#1 Location



LOCATION



Is simply WHERE a place happens to be

Q? - what are 3 ways you can give your location?

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#2 Place



PLACE



Is much more than WHERE a place is, but “PLACE” describes what a location is LIKE...no two places on earth are the same!

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#3 Interaction



INTERACTION



Humans interact with each other and with the earth

Wherever humans go we tend to change the surroundings to better fit our way of life.

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#4 Movement



MOVEMENT



People, ideas, information and products are in constant motion throughout the world.

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#5 Region



REGION



Areas of the world that share common characteristics.