

Geography - 1st Nine Weeks Assessment (study guide)

1. The world's largest rain forest area is found in the ____.
2. The angle of the sun's rays causes the ____.
3. Weathering is a process that ____.
4. The area that surrounds the earth's core is called the ____.
5. Subarctic climate, tundra climate, and ice cap climate are in what major climate region?
6. Language, religion, customs, and beliefs are part of a(n) ____.
7. The earth's 1,000-mile (1,609-km)-thick cushion of gases is called the ____.
8. Dangerous rays from the sun are screened out on the earth by the ____.
9. An example of a nonrenewable resource is ____.
10. What term means the constant movement of the earth's water from oceans to air to land and back to oceans?
11. Coal, oil, and natural gas are examples of ____.
12. Trees, fertile soil, and clean water are examples of ____.
13. The earth's crust includes ocean floors and ____.
14. Magma can be seen in a(n) ____.
15. Most of the earth's freshwater is found in ____.
16. A funnel-shaped windstorm that forms over land is called a ____.
17. The local form of a language that differs from the main language is ____.
18. In a democracy, people choose their leaders by ____.
19. List the eight traits geographers look at when studying a culture.
20. What is the largest and deepest ocean?
21. Most of the earth's salt water is found in ____.
22. Water held in the atmosphere in the form of gas is called ____.
23. Trees and plants are forms of ____.
24. Large masses of water in frozen form are called ____.
25. Off each coast of a continent lies a plateau called a(n) ____.
26. Water, wind, and ice move weathered material through a process called ____.
27. Plains and mountains are examples of ____.
28. About 70 percent of the earth's surface is ____.
29. Which of the following is a major world religion?
30. Voting is a form of ____.
31. The inventor of movable type was ____.
32. Renaissance writers reached a wider audience by writing in ____.
33. Alexander the Great conquered and spread the culture of ____.
34. Julius Caesar was killed by ____.
35. The leader responsible for the Holocaust was ____.
36. World War II came to an end when ____.
37. What was the World War II alliance of Germany, Italy, and Japan called?

- Study Charts and Maps on pp. 31, 49,
- Be familiar with Continents and Oceans!