1 hr, 15 min period

9:15-10:30a, Wednesday, June 8th

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***Know the 5 Themes of Geography***

a. Location: Where something is

b. Place: Why is the place important

c. Region: Places that look the same

d. Movement: How and why things and people move

e. Human Environment Interaction: How people use the environment

2) Be able to explain what each of the 5 Pillars of Islam mean:

a) Shahada: declaration of faith

(“There is no god but Allah and Muhammad is his prophet”)

b) Salat: Pray 5x a day facing Mecca

c) Zakat: Almsgiving to the poor (charity)

d) Sawm: Fasting of Ramadan

e) Hajj: Pilgrimage to Mecca

Define the following (short response):

1. **Culture:** A set of beliefs, values, and practices that a group of people have in common

2. **Banana Republic:** A government or economy based around one crop, like the banana!

3. **Archipelago**: a group of islands

4. **Isthmus**: a narrow strip of land connection two larger land masses

5. **Monsoon**: seasonal winds that bring dry or wet air

6. Draw a circle and draw a line of LATITUDE on it. (---)

7. Draw a circle and draw a line of LONGITUDE on it. (I)

Be able to pick out the correct answer. Name:

1. The 3 mountain ranges in Mexico are:

the Sierra Madre del Sur, Sierra Madre Occidental, and Sierra Madre Oriental

2. What happened when the Spanish arrived in Mexico?

-The Aztecs invited the Spanish to live with them but the Spanish captured Moctezuma

-The Aztecs thought the Spanish were gods

3. What causes the seasons?

-The tilt of the earth and the latitude of the location

4. The three parts to the water cycle are:

-Evaporation, precipitation, condensation

5. There is more salt water than fresh water in the world.

6. Physical geography is the study of the land..

7. Human geography is the study of the \_people\_.

8. What causes lightning?

-positive and negative charges attracting in static electricity

9. The difference between climate and weather is:

-Climate is weather over a long period of time.

10. Three examples of climate zones are:

-polar, temperate, arid

**Americas**

11. Which indigenous group is known for mysteriously disappearing?:

-the Maya

12. Most Central American countries declared independence from Spain, but Panama declared independence from \_\_\_\_\_\_ (in 1903).

-Colombia

13. Banana Republics caused several problems in Central America including:

-the rise of military dictators

-disagreements about government which led to civil war

-many problems in an economy that was based on 1 product

14. In 1492, Columbus sailed the ocean blue. Where did he think he landed?

-India

15. Because the Incas lived in the Andes Mountains, they had to adapt their lifestyle by:

-building terraces

-constructing suspension bridges

-using messengers

**Europe**

16. What are the highest mountains in Europe?

- the Alps

17. What influenced the beginning of the Renaissance?

-Rich merchants supported artists

18. The Greeks created \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, which inspired the government that both Panama and the U.S. have today.

-Democracy

19. East Germans tore down the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ after communism started to collapse in 1989.

-Berlin Wall

20. What type of climate does most of West-Central Europe have?

-Marine West Coast climate

21. The physical geography of Northern Europe

-is made up of low mountain ranges and jagged coastline

22. Which of the following make up the United Kingdom?

-England, Wales, Scotland, Northern Ireland

23. The Industrial Revolution helped

-the United Kingdom build a large empire

24. What is the name of Israel’s unusual feature, where there is so much salt you can float on top of the water:

-Dead Sea

25. Byzantium and Constantinople are both names for what modern day city?

-Istanbul

26. Jerusalem is home to holy sites of what three religions:

- Islam, Judaism, and Christianity

27. Muhammad was:

-The founder of Islam

**Africa**

28. The Northern part of Africa could best be described as:

-dry, with Sahara desert and little water except the Nile River

29. The Eastern part of Africa could best be described as:

-Great Rift Valley and Lake Victoria

30. The countries in Central Africa are extremely poor, because:

-for many years they were ruled by other countries

-for many years they have fought civil wars

-for many years they have not had a stable government

31. One achievement of the ancient Egyptians is:

-Great Pyramid

32. The history/culture of Southern Africa includes:

-History of Apartheid; Strong colonial influence

33. A savanna is:

-An area of tall grasses and scattered trees and shrubs

34. Apartheid is:

-A government system of segregation and discrimination based on race

35. Imperialism is when:

-when one country has power over another country

**Asia/Pacific World**

36. What landforms separate the rest of the Indian subcontinent from the rest of Asia?

-Hindu Kush Mountains

-Himalayan Mountains

-Indian Ocean

37. India has a hierarchy in society with priests at the top and servants at the bottom. This is called the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

-Caste system

38.

Why is China’s Yangtze river yellow?

- because it has yellowish, fertile soil in it

39. Siddhartha Gautama was…

-originally a prince

-the founder of Buddhism

40. Communism is:

-a government where everything is shared and it owns and controls almost everything

41. Communism typically does not work because:

-corrupt leaders

-violation of human rights

-leaders who want all the power and money

42. The countries that conquered South East Asia were:

-Spain, Portugal, Dutch, British, French

43. The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ were the first people to inhabit Australia.

-Aborigines

44. Polyps are tiny animals that make up \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

-coral reefs

45. What is Antarctica used for today?

- scientific research

**World Religions:**

46. Hindus believe it is most important to..

-do your duty (dharma) and earn good karma

47. Buddhists believe it is most important to..

-get rid of desire by following the Eightfold Path

48. Muslims believe it is most important to..

-follow 5 pillars of proper living and follow the Qu’ran

49. Religious Jews believe it is most important to..

-maintain tradition and do good works to earn God’s blessing

50. True Christians believe it is most important to..-Turn from your sin and follow Jesus as Lord of your Life

Why, as Christians, should we care about learning the culture and history of countries around the world? Give at least 1 reason and 1 example of a practical solution Christians can help with addressing a world problem.

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