

The 5 Themes of Geography

Lesson objectives

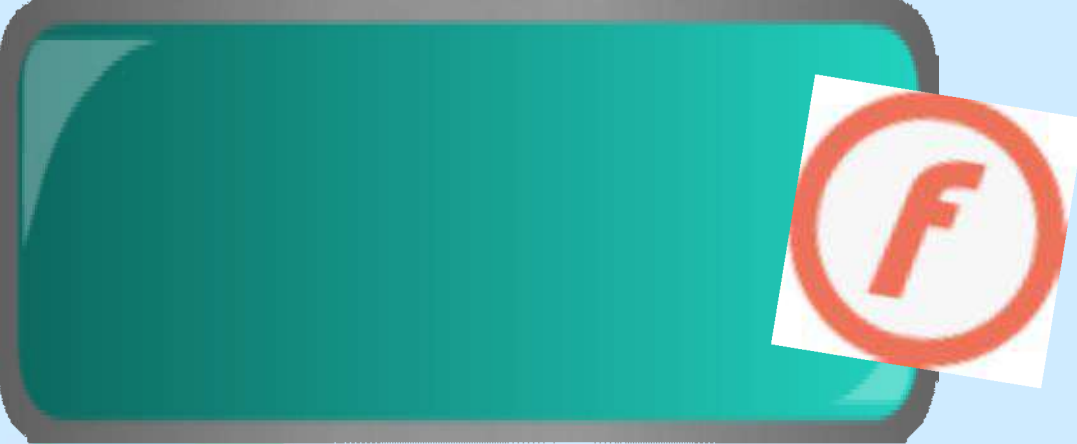

Students will be able to identify the correct theme of geography based on pictures, text, and/or quotes.

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Lesson objectives Teachers' notes Lesson notes

Title Page

Welcome to the 5 Themes of Geography by Mr. Lip. Can anyone guess why my name is Mr. Lip?



Mr. Lip Acronym

Movement



- Relates to the travel of people, products, & ideas

- There are 2 types: human and natural

There are 3 ways to move things. Can you guess what they are?

Land



Water



Movement

Regions

- An area of Earth's surface that shares similar characteristics such as land, resources, and population

3 Basic Types:

1. Formal-> defined by government or administrative boundaries (political)

Examples: US, Africa, Great Lakes States



2. Functional-> defined by a function. If the function ceases to exist, so does the region

Examples: Comcast service area, United Airlines Service Area



3. Vernacular-> loosely defined by people's perception (cultural)

Example: The Middle East



Regions

2 types

Location

Absolute Location = exact longitude + latitude

- Latitude: distance N or S of the equator
- Longitude: distance E or W of Prime Meridian



Relative Location

- Described by a landmark
- Time, direction or distance from one place to another



Location

Interactions (humans & the environment)

3 ways in which humans affect the environment and how the environment affects them:

1. Depend: Food, Water & Shelter



2. Adapt: Clothing, Type of Shelter, Tools & Technology



3. Modify: Bridges, Roadways, Permanent Housing



Interactions

Place

- Characteristics of a location that make it unique or different
- The image people have of a place is based on their experiences, both emotional and intellectual

(Human Characteristics) come from the ideas and actions of people that result in changes to the environment

Examples: History, race, religion, economy, population



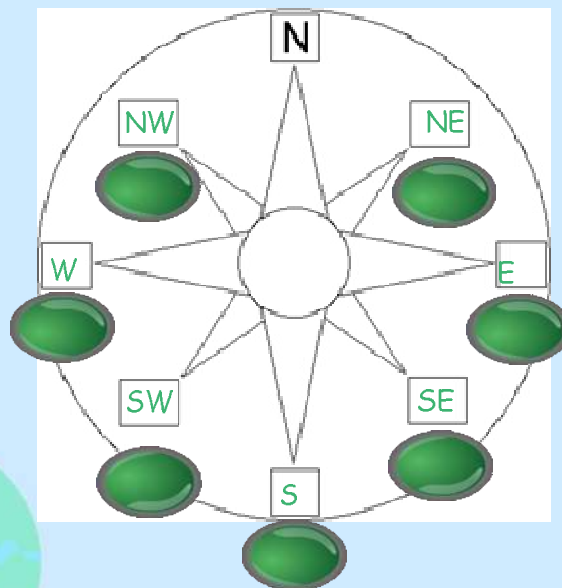
(Physical Characteristics) Mountains, rivers, soil, beaches, wildlife



Place

Cardinal Directions are very important for your everyday life.

See if you can fill in the correct answers.



cardinal directions



Place Quiz



Movement Quiz



Interactions Quiz