

AP Human Geography Summer Assignment 2019:

- 1. Current Events:** Current events will come in handy when studying human geography. For this summer (9 weeks) you will need to read the newspaper, magazines, internet sources (cnn.com for example) for current events. For each week you will need to do the following: Keep a current event journal: in the **first week(total of 4)** identify **2 current events each** that relate to **population and 2 current events that relate to migration**, write(about two 5 sentence paragraphs) in your journal summarizing and analyzing (your thoughts) about the article and keep the article. The **second week(total of 2)** do the same as the first but identify **2 articles about pop culture-this relates to entertainment and sports. The third week(total of 4)** do the same as before but identify **2 articles (each) about religion and 2 articles for language. The fourth week (total of 2)**do the same as before and identify **2 articles about ethnicity-** Darfur Sudan is a great example. **The fifth week(total of 2)** do the same as before and identify **2 articles about political geography** and how it relates to geography(North Korea is a great example). The **Sixth week(total of 2)** do the same as before and identify **2 articles about economic geography** and how it relates to geography( NAFTA is a an example or trade with China). The **seventh week(total of 2)** do the same and identify **2 articles about agriculture. The Eighth week(total of 2)** do the same and identify **2 articles about service and industry. The ninth week(total of 2)** do the same as before and identify **2 articles that relate to urbanization. Finally do the same as before and identify 2 articles that relate to resources.**

**You should have a total of 24 articles and summaries. You can do this at your own pace this is just a guide. Please make a copy of article and your summary all in a binder.**

2. You will need a three ring binder, pens and pencils, highlighters, sticky notes, crayons/colored pencils, markers and **Begin** your vocabulary box. Use index cards (3 x 5 is fine, but size is your choice) to record the vocabulary from each chapter on one side. On the other side include the definition/ explanation, examples, and pictures (colorful). You may only handwrite these neatly. The box you choose to hold these should be durable and able to hold about 250 cards by May.

- Please begin with the following basic terms and have these ready to check within the first few days of class:

You will need to use the internet and a dictionary for the basic terms. Use quizlet.com search AP Human Geography – Chapter 1 Rubenstein

Cartography: Projection

Region Scale

Formal region

Functional region

Geographic Information System (GIS)

Global Positional System (GPS)

Remote Sensing

Greenwich Mean Time

International Date Line

Land Ordinance of 1785

Latitude (Parallel)

Longitude (Meridian)

Location (absolute, relative and place name)

Map

Mental map

Place

3. Be curious about the world—not just your immediate world, but also the whole world. Start watching the news and reading the international section of major newspapers. Make it a point to learn about what is going on in the world and discuss it with your family or friends.

If you have any questions I will answer them promptly if you will email me at [ystansell@henry.k12.ga.us](mailto:ystansell@henry.k12.ga.us). Have a wonderful Summer!