

Chapter 1 Study Guide

Directions: Part 1 of the study guide is given to you in hopes that you will use this in preparation for the upcoming chapter exam. It is not required and will not be graded. It is expected that you will be able to give a statement of definition for each term and also provide a statement about the significance of each.

Part I Identifying Key Terms

Terms

centrifugal forces	globalization
centripetal forces	nation-state
colonialism	sweatshop
core-periphery model	transnational firm
cultural imperialism	region
cultural nationalism	the Cold War
culture	

Part II Review Questions

Directions: Check your understanding of this chapter by answering the following questions in four or more sentences each.

1. Why is globalization a signature of the twenty-first century? What has facilitated this?
2. What role did the end of the Cold War play in furthering globalization.
3. If the rate of natural increase (RNI) for the world remains consistent at 1.3 percent per year, what will the planet's population be in 10years?
4. What are the expressions (the visible signs of/the way it manifests itself) and implications (the effects on the people living amidst it) of overurbanization for cities in the developing world?
5. Why is it difficult to define *culture* in this globalized world? As citizens living in the 21st century, in what ways can we begin to think about culture that would assist us in defining it more completely? Refer to the reading on page 25 to form your response.
6. Why are adult literacy rates a good indicator of social development?.
7. Discuss the major tenets of the following major world religions: Buddhism, Christianity, Hinduism, Islam, and Judaism.
8. Select an economic, political, or cultural activity in your city, and discuss how it has been influenced by globalization.

9. Characterize your location in terms of regions. What are physical, economic, and cultural characteristics of the region in which you reside?

Note: Study Guides which are incomplete will receive a 5 point penalty. This will not be allowed to be made up via a redo. Organize your time and work on your study guide a little bit at a time. Substantially incomplete study guides, which demonstrate little or poor effort, will be graded, but considered late, and only allowed to be redone up to 15 points.

Study Guide Grading Rubric. 35 points.

20 points Review Questions. 4 questions will be selected from those above. Each will be worth 5 points.

10 points. Map: The map section is worth 10 points. 1 point will be deducted for each incorrect response.

5 points. Overall completion. 5 points will be awarded for completion of all questions, and map.

Part III Map Mastery

Directions: On the world map that follows, label the regions into which the authors of your textbook divide the world. **Indicate and label the ten most populous nations on the planet.** Refer to the chart on page 18 to inform your answer.

Regions

Australia and Oceania
Central Asia
East Asia
Europe
Latin America
North America

Russia and Its Neighbors
South Asia
Southeast Asia
Southwest Asia and North Africa
Sub-Saharan Africa
The Caribbean