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World Geography

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Section 3: The Balkan Peninsula

Introduction

1. Define balkanize- _____

2. "Perhaps the one thing that the Balkan nations share is their _____ experience. The peoples of this region have all known the ordeal of foreign domination. For 500 years they were ruled by the _____, whose influence can be seen there to this day."

Romania

3. A. Number of people- _____
B. Ethnic Group- _____
C. Religion- _____
D. Landscape- _____
E. Natural Resources- _____
4. Identify Nicolae Ceausescu- _____

5. What are entrepreneurs? _____

6. * What does the author mean when he says that Coke's investment had a multiplier effect in Romania? _____

***There is a *New York Times*' article on Coke's investment in Romania on my website for you to access.**

Bulgaria

- 7. Describe the geography of Bulgaria. _____

- 8. Bulgarian ethnicity- _____
Bulgaria economy- _____

Albania

- 9. A. Number of people- _____
B. Country's nickname- _____
C. Describe the economy- _____

Other Balkan Nations (Former Yugoslavia)- Remember, your supplemental readings could help you with this section.

- 10. Name the six republics of the former Yugoslavia:
 - A. _____ (two go on this line)
 - B. _____
 - C. _____
 - D. _____
 - E. _____
- 11. Why did Slovenia want its independence from Yugoslavian? _____

- 12. Why did Croatia want its independence from Yugoslavia? _____

- 13. Why was there ethnic strife in Bosnia-Herzegovina? _____

- 14. **Serbia and Montenegro**- Remember that at the time this textbook was written, the two republics of Serbia and Montenegro had decided to stay together and keep the name Yugoslavia. Since then they have still remained together, but they call themselves Serbia and Montenegro, not Yugoslavia.

15. "About _____ of the 10 million people in these republics [Serbia and Montenegro] are _____. Another 2 million Serbs live in _____."

16. **Serbia and Montenegro:**

- A. Number of people- _____
- B. Ethnic Group- majority are _____
- C. Religion- (look at your supplemental readings) _____
- D. Landscape- _____
- E. Natural Resources- _____

17. **Croatia**

- A. Number of people- _____
- B. Ethnic Group- majority are _____
- C. Religion- _____
- D. Economics- look back on page 400. _____

18. **Slovenia**

- A. Number of people- _____
- B. Ethnic Group- _____

19. **Bosnia-Herzegovina**

- A. Number of people- _____
- B. Ethnic/Religious Mix- 30%- _____
20%- _____
Remainder- _____
- C. Natural Resources- _____

20. **Macedonia**

Give a brief description of what has been happening in Macedonia since 2001. What are the issues? _____

21. **Kosova**

- A. Kosova is a region in _____.
- B. Why is there an Albanian majority in a region of Serbia? Look at your supplemental readings.

- C. The Kosovo Liberation Army made up mostly of Albanians fought the Serbians led by a man named _____. _____ had to step in and stop the violence. If you can't remember the man's name look at your supplemental readings.