



GEOGRAPHY: UNDERSTANDING LANDFORMS

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AP World History – SUBUNIT 1.1: INTRODUCTION TO WORLD HISTORY

Understanding geographic features is key to understanding the geography of the world around us. Using the internet, your textbook, and any other resources, find simple-yet-effective definitions for each of the following types of geographic features. Then, sketch a small drawing that will allow you to understand your definition. Once you understand what each feature is, write down a few ideas about how that feature might affect humans throughout history.

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Due: Sep. 9, 2016

1. ARCHIPELAGO

Definition: A chain of islands

How would this affect humans?

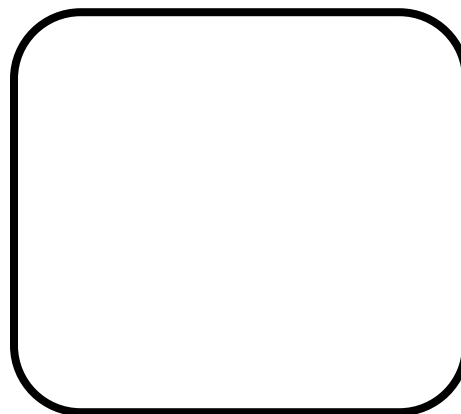
Humans living on an archipelago might have limited access to resources, or might have to gather resources from the sea (fish, salt, etc.). They would also be isolated from other cultures.



2. CANAL

Definition: _____

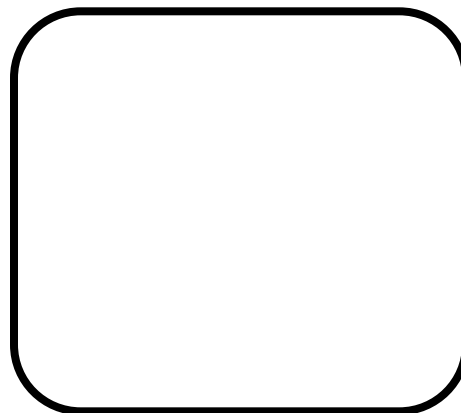
How would this affect humans?



3. CAPE

Definition: _____

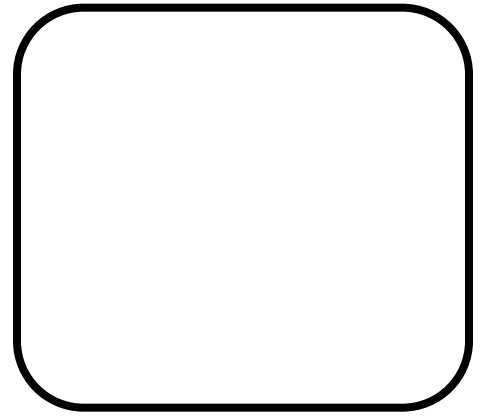
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4. CHANNEL

Definition: _____

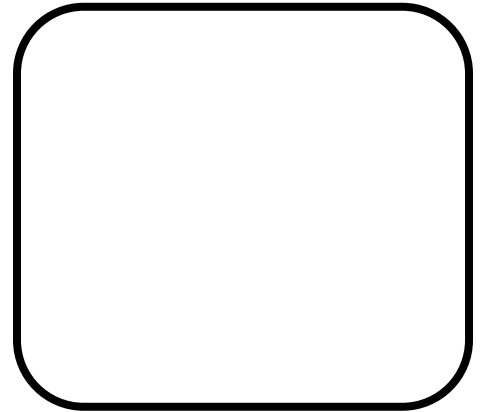
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5. CONTINENT

Definition: _____

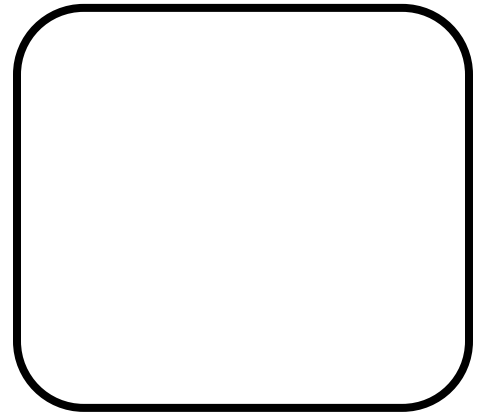
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6. DELTA

Definition: _____

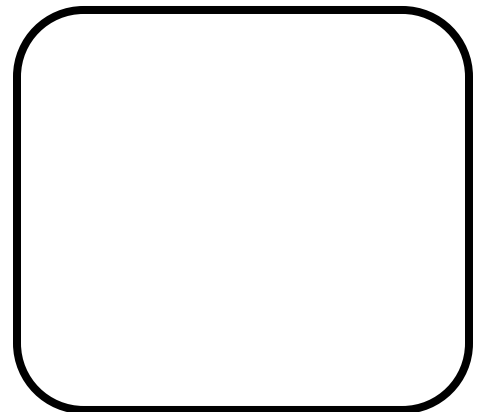
How would this affect humans?



7. DESERT

Definition: _____

How would this affect humans?



8. FOREST

Definition: _____

How would this affect humans?

9. GULF

Definition: _____

How would this affect humans?

10. HILL

Definition: _____

How would this affect humans?

11. ISLAND

Definition: _____

How would this affect humans?

12. ISTHMUS

Definition: _____

How would this affect humans?

13. LAKE

Definition: _____

How would this affect humans?

14. MOUNTAIN PASS

Definition: _____

How would this affect humans?

15. MOUNTAIN RANGE

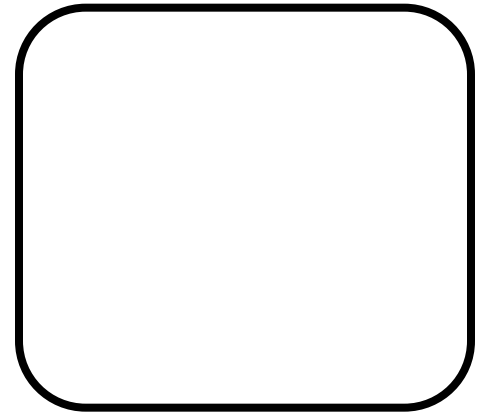
Definition: _____

How would this affect humans?

16. OCEAN

Definition: _____

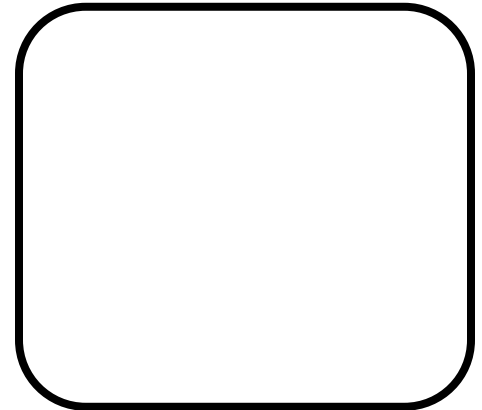
How would this affect humans?



17. PENINSULA

Definition: _____

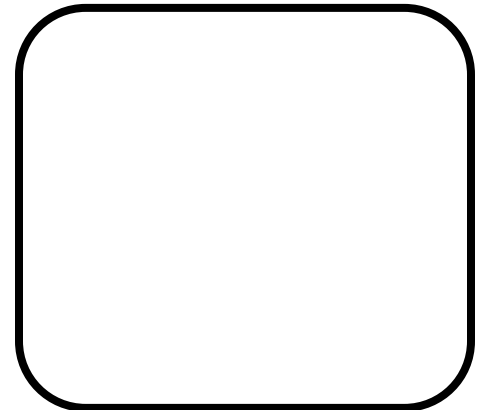
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18. PLAINS (aka GRASSLANDS, STEPPES, PRAIRIE, ETC.)

Definition: _____

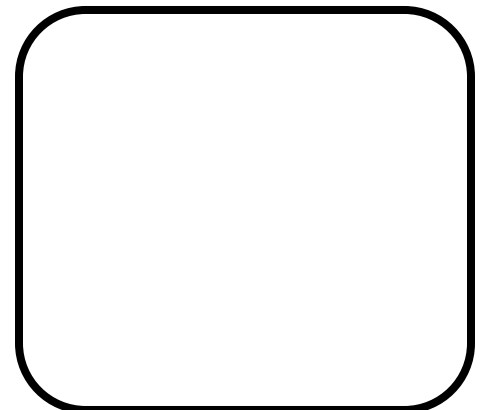
How would this affect humans?



19. PLATEAU

Definition: _____

How would this affect humans?



20. RAINFOREST

Definition: _____

How would this affect humans?

21. RIVER

Definition: _____

How would this affect humans?

22. SEA

Definition: _____

How would this affect humans?

23. STRAIT

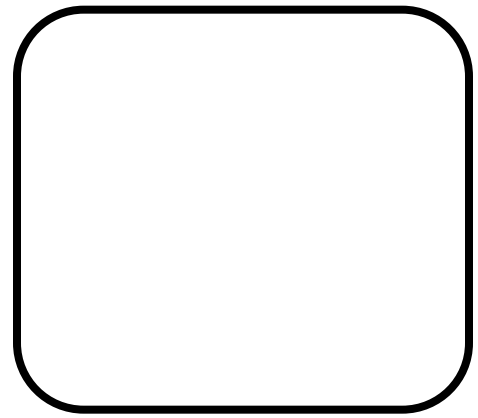
Definition: _____

How would this affect humans?

24. TUNDRA

Definition: _____

How would this affect humans?



25. VALLEY

Definition: _____

How would this affect humans?

