

Human Geography Fundamentals

Human Geography · Answer Key · 15 Questions

1. What is the term for the number of people living in a specific area?

A) Population density

- B) Migration
- C) Urbanization
- D) Settlement

2. Which term describes the movement of people from one place to another to live?

- A) Exporting
- B) Manufacturing

C) Migration

- D) Agriculture

3. What type of settlement is characterized by tall buildings, high population density, and many jobs in offices or shops?

- A) Rural village
- B) Urban area**
- C) Farmstead
- D) Outback station

4. What is the main reason why people historically built settlements near rivers?

A) To have easy access to water and fertile soil

- B) To avoid the sun
- C) To be as far from mountains as possible
- D) To build wooden boats only

5. Which of these is a non-renewable natural resource?

- A) Solar energy
- B) Wind power

C) Coal

- D) Timber

6. What do we call the act of selling goods produced in one country to another country?

- A) Importing
- B) Exporting**
- C) Bartering
- D) Manufacturing

7. What is the primary activity of people living in a rural farming community?

- A) Working in factories
- B) Managing financial offices
- C) Cultivating crops and raising livestock**
- D) Running public transportation

8. Which factor most influences where a large city is likely to grow?

- A) Distance from the ocean
- B) Proximity to trade routes and resources**
- C) Lack of fresh water
- D) High mountain peaks

9. What is 'infrastructure' in the context of a human settlement?

- A) The types of local animals
- B) Public systems like roads, bridges, and power lines**
- C) The color of the houses
- D) The style of traditional clothing

10. Which of the following is considered a 'push factor' that might cause someone to move away from their home?

- A) Better job opportunities
- B) A safe environment
- C) Natural disasters or lack of jobs**
- D) High quality of education

11. What is the main purpose of a map's legend (or key)?

- A) To show the map's title
- B) To define the symbols used on the map**
- C) To list the names of the map makers
- D) To show the physical shape of the earth

12. What term describes the process where more and more people move from rural areas to live in cities?

- A) Urbanization**
- B) Deforestation
- C) Industrialization
- D) Ruralization

13. Which of the following is a renewable resource?

- A) Natural gas
- B) Petroleum
- C) Solar energy**
- D) Gold

14. What is a 'human-made' feature of a landscape?

- A) A river
- B) A mountain
- C) A bridge**
- D) A forest

15. What describes a group of people who share a common culture, language, or history?

- A) An ethnic group**
- B) A political boundary
- C) A natural resource
- D) A climate zone