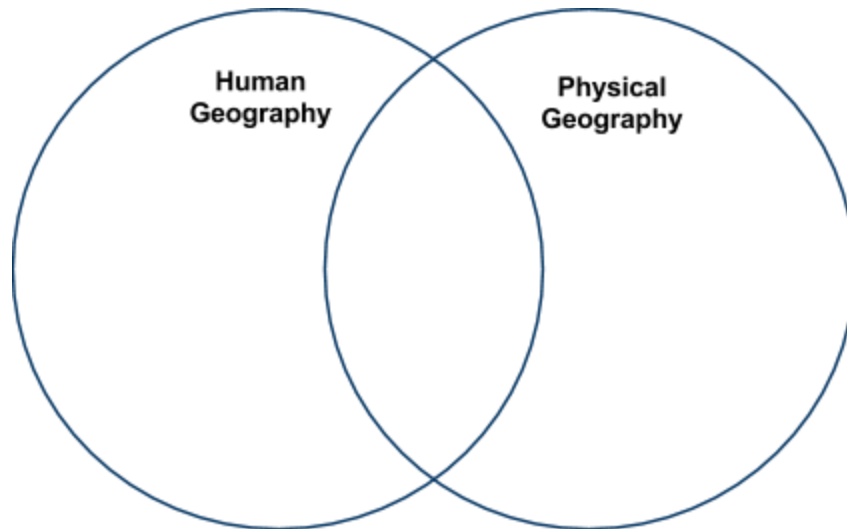


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Unit 1 Vocabulary Worksheet - Introduction to Human Geography

DIRECTIONS: *Complete the following tasks in order to develop a further and in-depth understanding of the key vocabulary terms from this unit.*

1. Complete the following Venn diagram to compare and contrast **human geography** and **physical geography**. *(if doing this on Google Docs, double click on the diagram, fill it in, then click on the 'save and close' tab to insert the edited version onto your doc)*



2. Fill in the following table. Explain each of the **five themes of geography** and also give an example or picture of how we see each of these themes in the world around us.

THEME	WHAT IS IT? (define)	WHERE / HOW IS IT SEEN? (apply)

3. Follow the directions in the box below regarding the term **scale**.

Scale

Copy the definition of **scale**:

Draw a picture of scale:

Three ways in which geographers identify scale:

Three empty rectangular boxes are arranged horizontally. From the top-right corner of the first box, a line extends upwards and to the right towards the text 'Three ways in which geographers identify scale:'. From the top-left corner of the second box, a line extends upwards and to the left towards the same text. From the top-left corner of the third box, a line extends upwards and to the left towards the same text.

4. Follow the direction and complete the items in the box below regarding the term **projection**.

Projection			
Textbook definition of projection:			
Describe projection using your words (how would you explain it to a friend?):			
Four types of distortion that occur when Earth is projected onto a flat surface:			
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5. Use your own words to describe the following two types of **thematic maps**:

Cartograms:	<input type="text"/>
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Choropleth Maps:	
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6. Complete the following table to comprehend the terms **latitude** and **longitude**.

	<u>Textbook Definition</u>	<u>Explain in your words</u>	<u>Total # of degrees</u>	<u>Also known as</u>
latitude				
longitude				

What is another name for each of these latitude and longitude lines?

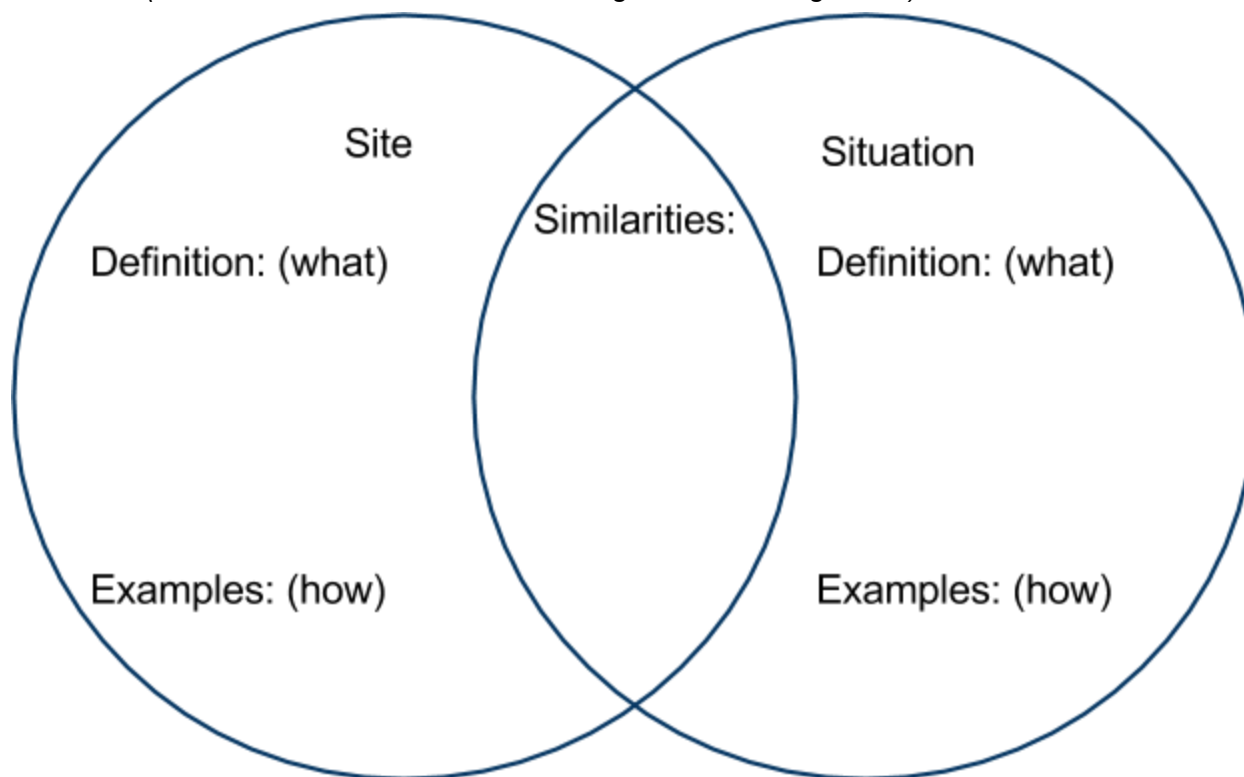
- ◆ 0° Latitude:
- ◆ 90° North Latitude:
- ◆ 90° South Latitude:
- ◆ 0° Longitude:
- ◆ 180° Longitude:

7. Fill in the following table to increase understanding of these three analytic tools geographers use in their studies.

<u>Tool</u>	<u>Definition (what)</u>	<u>Example of use (how)</u>	<u>Purpose of use (apply)</u>
Remote sensing			

Geographic Information Systems (GIS)			
Global Positioning Systems (GPS)			

7. Fill in the following Venn diagram to compare and contrast the important terms **site** and **situation**. (use same directions as in #1 if doing this as a Google Doc)



8. Fill in the following chart to understand the difference between the important terms **absolute location** and **relative location**.

<u>Term</u>	<u>Textbook Definition</u>	<u>Explain it in your words</u>
Absolute location		
Relative location		

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9. Fill in the following chart to understand what a **toponym** is.

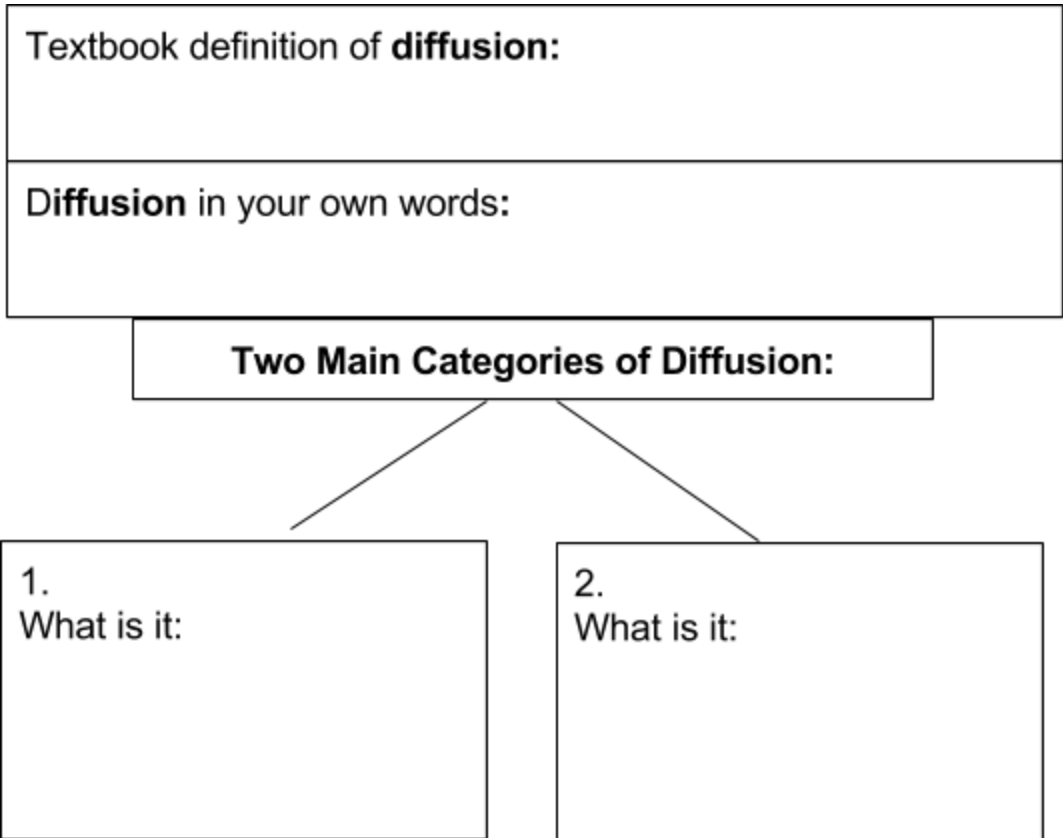
<u>Term</u>	<u>Textbook Definition</u>	<u>Explain it in your own words</u>
Toponym		
Four examples of toponyms and their origins:		

1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	

10. Fill in the following chart to increase comprehension of the important geography terms **density**, **concentration**, and **pattern**.

<u>Term</u>	<u>Textbook Definition</u>	<u>Explain it using your words</u>	<u>Example</u>	<u>How is this term helpful to us?</u>
Density				
Concentration				
Pattern				

11. Fill in the following chart to develop a greater understanding for the geographic concept of **diffusion**.



Fill in the following chart to identify the **three types of expansion diffusion**:

<u>3 Types of Expansion Diffusion</u>	<u>Textbook definition</u>	<u>Definition in your words</u>	<u>Example</u>
1.			
2.			
3.			

12. Fill out the following chart in order to better contrast the important geographic terms of **environmental determinism** and **possibilism**.

<u>Term</u>	<u>Textbook definition</u>	<u>Definition in your words</u>	<u>Example</u>
Environmental determinism			
Possibilism			

13. Complete the following chart to grasp the concept of the important geographic term **region**.

<u>Term</u>	<u>Textbook Definition</u>	<u>Definition in your words</u>
Region		

Complete the following chart by listing the **three types of regions** and explaining what they are and providing an example of each.

<u>3 Types of Regions</u>	<u>Textbook definition</u>	<u>Definition in your words</u>	<u>Example</u>
1.			
2.			
3.			