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AP Human Geography Chapter 1 Reading Guide

<i>Key Issue 1.1: Why is Geography a Science?</i>	<i>Key Issue 1.2: Why is Every Place Unique?</i>
<i>Key Issue 1.3: Why are Different Places Similar?</i>	<i>Key Issue 1.4: Why are Some Actions Not Sustainable?</i>
<p>Choose a <u>map</u> from this chapter that you found most interesting. Provide the page and image number (ex. pg 13, 1-26) along with a short description of the image and an explanation of what interests you.</p>	<p>Using the vocabulary terms from this chapter, choose <u>one</u> to illustrate below. You may use simple graphics or sketches. Be sure to include the term.</p>

Vocabulary

Absolute location	Functional region	Polder
Acculturation	Geographic information system	Possibilism
Assimilation	Geotagging	Preservation
Atmosphere	Global positioning system	Prime meridian
Biosphere	Globalization	Projection
Cartogram	Graduated symbol map	Region
Cartography	Hearth	Relative location
Choropleth map	Hierarchical diffusion	Relocation diffusion
Climate	Hydrosphere	Remote sensing
Concentration	International Date Line	Renewable resource
Connection	Isoline map	Resource
Conservation	Latitude	Scale
Contagious diffusion	Location	Site
Coordinated Universal Time	Longitude	Situation
Cultural Ecology	Map	Space
Cultural Landscape	Map scale	Space-time compression
Culture	Mashup	Spatial association
Density	Meme	Stimulus diffusion
Diffusion	Mental map	Sustainability
Distance decay	Meridian	Syncretism
Distribution	Network	Toponym
Dot distribution map	Nonrenewable resource	Transnational corporation
Ecology	Parallel	Uneven development
Ecosystem	Pattern	Vernacular region
Environmental Determinism	Photogrammetry	
Expansion diffusion	Place	
Formal region	Poststructuralist geography	

What are 2-3 terms that confuse you in this unit? What mnemonic devices or visuals can you create to help you understand the difference between these terms? Write/draw them in the box on the right.

Reflecting On Your Learning

What is something in this chapter that has surprised you/challenged your previous understanding of the world around you/ or just something you didn't already know. Please write in complete sentences.
