## A Vocabulary List for AP Human Geography

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## Unit II. Population—Basic Vocabulary and Concepts

## **Population**

Age distribution Carrying capacity

Cohort

Demographic equation
Demographic momentum
Demographic regions

Demographic Transition model

Dependency ratio

Diffusion of fertility control

Disease diffusion Doubling time Ecumene

Epidemiological Transition model

Gendered space Infant mortality rate

J-curve

Maladaptation Malthus, Thomas

Mortality Natality

Neo-Malthusian Overpopulation Population densities Population distributions

Population explosion
Population projection

Population pyramid

Rate of natural increase

S-curve Sex ratio

Standard of living

Sustainability

Underpopulation

Zero population growth

## Migration

Activity space
Chain migration
Cyclic movement
Distance decay

Forced

Gravity model
Internal migration
Intervening opportunity
Migration patterns

- Intercontinental
- Interregional
- Rural-urban

Migratory movement Periodic movement Personal space Place utility Push-pull factors

Refugee

Space-time prism Step migration Transhumance Transmigration Voluntary