

AP Human Geography

Scope and Sequence 2021-2022

Course Description: Human Geography is about making connections through the study of patterns and processes which shape human understanding, use, and modification of the Earth’s surface. In today’s world where places are increasingly interdependent, it is important to have an understanding of how events in one region of the world can have a major impact on events in other regions. Human Geography provides framework to understand how this world is spatially organized and interdependent. In this rigorous course, students will develop a sophisticated view of the world enabling them to use geographic concepts and tools to make sense of why things happen where they do. This course of study is the equivalent of an introductory college course and is available to students interested in taking the Advanced Placement examination in Human Geography.

Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills: AP Human Geography

Instructional Units	Days**	
First Semester	75	End Date
1 st Grading Period	33	10/8/2021
Supportive Learning Environment (SLE)	3	8/25/2021
Thinking Geographically	12	9/12/2021
Population and Migration Patterns and Processes	18	10/8/2021
*2 nd Grading Period	42	12/17/2021
Population and Migration Patterns and Processes	1	10/11/2021
Cultural Patterns and Processes	21	11/12/2021
Political Patterns and Processes	20	12/17/2021

Instructional Units	Days**	
Second Semester	92	End Date
3 rd Grading Period	45	03/11/2022
Supportive Learning Environment (SLE)	1	01/04/2022
Agriculture and Rural Land-Use Patterns and Processes	23	02/08/2022
Cities and Urban Land-Use Patterns and Processes	21	03/11/2022
*4 th Grading Period	47	05/26/2022
Cities and Urban Land-Use Patterns and Processes	1	03/21/2022
Industrial and Economic Development Patterns and Processes	24	04/26/2022
FRQ Practice and Review for National Exam	4	05/02/2022
AP Exam	1	05/03/2022
Culminating Projects	17	05/26/2022

* Includes time for Final Exams.

***The length of each unit is a specific number of days, but it is understood that there is a range of +/- a day. The purpose of the flexibility is meant to allow teachers the opportunity to plan for the needs of their students and to accommodate re-teaching or review when necessary. If pre-assessment indicates student mastery could be obtained in a fewer number of days, the additional time could be used for extension or carried into the next unit.

Instructional Material(s):

Human Geography: A Spatial Perspective, Cengage/National Geographic, 2020