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## *Social Studies Unit 1 Review*

This is a review of most of the concepts we studied this unit. Use it, your journal, and your textbook to remember what you learned. Questions on the test will come from this review sheet, your journal, and your textbook.

### **Vocabulary Word Bank**

geography	plateau	tundra
volcanoes	commonwealth	arid
humidity	tides	climate
landforms	peninsula	arable land
natural resources	vegetation	hurricanes

*Fill in the blank with the correct word from the word bank.*

1. A \_\_\_\_\_ has its own government, but also has strong ties to another country.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ is the study of the earth.
3. Some of Mexico's highest mountains are actually \_\_\_\_\_.
4. The amount of water vapor in the air is called \_\_\_\_\_.
5. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a treeless plain where only grasses and mosses can grow.
6. Rivers, lakes, deserts, and mountains are all \_\_\_\_\_.
7. Cold, snowy, winters and rainy springs describe the Northeast's \_\_\_\_\_.
8. Water, forests and minerals are all \_\_\_\_\_.
9. An area mostly surrounded by water is called a \_\_\_\_\_.
10. Trees, grass, cactus and wildflowers are all \_\_\_\_\_.
11. Storms that pick up moisture and gain strength as they move over warm water are called \_\_\_\_\_.
12. A desert is \_\_\_\_\_.
13. A high, flat, area of land is a \_\_\_\_\_.

*List three of Canada's natural resources:*

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_

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Choose the region that each statement describes.

Southeast

Northeast

Midwest

Southwest

West

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| _____ | This region is perfect for growing grapefruit and oranges.         |
| _____ | This region has the Grand Canyon.                                  |
| _____ | This region has the Everglades.                                    |
| _____ | This region has lots of oil.                                       |
| _____ | This region has four of the five Great Lakes.                      |
| _____ | This region has leaves that change colors in the fall.             |
| _____ | This region has both the driest and wettest places in the country. |
| _____ | This region has Niagara Falls.                                     |
| _____ | This region has the Golden Gate Bridge.                            |

List two landmarks and two natural resources from the Western region of the U.S.

Landmarks:

Natural Resources

1. \_\_\_\_\_

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

List two landmarks and two natural resources from the Caribbean.

Landmarks:

Natural Resources

1. \_\_\_\_\_

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

List two landmarks and two natural resources from Mexico.

Landmarks:

Natural Resources

1. \_\_\_\_\_

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_