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Ch 3 and Ch 6 Southeast Asia and the Pacific Geography and Culture-Study Guide

Matching

Key Terms

Fill in the blank by writing the letter of the correct term below.

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| a. atoll | f. low island |
| b. commercial farming | g. marsupial |
| c. coral | h. subsistence farming |
| d. geyser | i. tectonic plate |
| e. high island | |

- _____ 1. provides only enough food for a family or a village.
- _____ 2. A huge piece of the outer "skin" of Earth, or the crust, is called a(n) _____.
- _____ 3. A small coral island in the shape of a ring is a(n) _____.
- _____ 4. An animal that carries its young in a body pouch is called a(n) _____.
- _____ 5. A(n) _____ is an island formed from coral reefs.

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- _____ 6. raising crops and livestock for sale on the world market
- _____ 7. an island formed from the top of an ancient volcano
- _____ 8. a hot spring that shoots a jet of water and steam into the air
- _____ 9. a long, narrow inlet
- _____ 10. a rocklike material made up of the skeletons of tiny sea creatures

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- _____ 11. In Australia, an extremely large ranch is known as a _____.
- _____ 12. The first British settlement in Australia was a _____.
- _____ 13. The _____ forces in Vietnam fought back against the French.
- _____ 14. The ancestors of the _____ first traveled from Asia to Polynesia, and later to New Zealand.
- _____ 15. The _____ included much of present-day Cambodia, Thailand, Malaysia, and part of Laos.

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- ___ 16. Cambodian Communist party
- ___ 17. a member of the earliest people of Australia
- ___ 18. a person who is devoted to the interests of his or her country
- ___ 19. a place where people convicted of crimes are sent

Short Answer

Key Concepts

20. How did traders from India influence Southeast Asia? *Ch. 6, Sec. 1*
21. Why is the Canterbury Plain important to the people who live on South Island, New Zealand? *Ch. 3, Sec. 2*
22. Early Southeast Asian cultures were influenced most by which of the following *two countries*? *Ch. 6, Sec. 1*
23. The nations of Vietnam, Cambodia, Laos, Myanmar, Singapore, and Thailand form what? *Ch. 3, Sec. 1*
24. Which island group has the most people? *Ch. 3, Sec. 3*
25. In 1953, Cambodia and Laos gained independence from what country? *Ch. 6, Sec. 1*
26. Much of Southeast Asia has a climate that is described as what? *Ch. 3, Sec. 1*
27. Scientists think that the Aborigines of Australia and the Maori of New Zealand originally came from where? *Ch. 6, Sec. 2*
28. Because of Southeast Asia's tropical wet climate, the region is covered with what? *Ch. 3, Sec. 1*
29. Why are so many of New Zealand's and Australia's animals and plants found nowhere else on Earth? *Ch. 3, Sec. 2*
30. Why do more people live on high islands than on low islands? *Ch. 3, Sec. 3*

31. The mountain range known as the Southern Alps is located where? Ch. 3, Sec. 2
32. After American forces withdrew from Vietnam, what happened to the country? Ch. 6, Sec. 1
33. Originally, the Aborigines of Australia and the Maori of New Zealand came from where? Ch. 6, Sec. 2
34. What is the most important resource in the Pacific island region? Ch. 3, Sec. 3
35. What is the chief crop in Southeast Asia? Ch. 3, Sec. 1
36. How did the distances between islands affect the people of the Pacific region? Ch. 6, Sec. 2
37. Why did a variety of cultures develop in Southeast Asia? Ch. 6, Sec. 1
38. Australia, New Zealand, and the Pacific islands were once part of the landmass that included what continent? Ch. 3, Sec. 2
39. The three major areas of the Pacific island region are Melanesia, Micronesia, and...? Ch. 3, Sec. 3
40. Which European country took control of both Australia and New Zealand? Ch. 6, Sec. 2
41. What event in 1851 caused the population of Australia to soar? Ch. 6, Sec. 2
42. Which Southeast Asian nation has the largest Muslim population in the world? Ch. 6, Sec. 1
43. Which Southeast Asian nation has a mix of religions that include Muslims, Buddhists, Hindus, and Christians? Ch. 6, Sec. 1
44. Which European country took control of both Australia and New Zealand? Ch. 6, Sec. 2
45. Where are Australia's most important rivers? Ch. 3, Sec. 2
46. What dangers face the rain forests of Southeast Asia? Ch. 3, Sec. 1
47. Where was China's effect on Southeast Asia primarily felt? Ch. 6, Sec. 1
48. After World War II many Pacific islands gained what? Ch. 6, Sec. 2

Chap. 3 and 6 Essay Questions

Answer each question in a **paragraph (4-5 sentences)**.

1. What factors in Australia's physical geography
Ch. 3, account for the fact that most Australians live along
Sec. 2 the eastern and southeastern coasts?

4-5 sentences, make sure your answer includes ALL of the following: winds, rain, climate

2. What problems for native peoples were caused by the
Ch. 6, European settlement of Australia and New Zealand?
Sec. 2

4-5 sentences, make sure your answer includes ALL of the following: British, colonists/colony, plus at least THREE things the British did to the native peoples in both Australia and New Zealand, plus you must know the names of the native groups.