Geography Booklet Project

DIRECTIONS

1. Read all pages of this assignment handout.
2. Define all of the words on the attached “Geography Terms and Definitions” list
3. Choose at least 10 terms from the attached “Geography Terms and Definitions” list.
4. Using resources such as the encyclopedia, dictionary or atlas, find a real example of the landform somewhere in the world. Draw a map showing where the landform exists. You must label the surrounding features, countries and states. The labeling is very important because it will identify where the exact location is. Do not assume that I will know of the place you have chosen.
5. You may use a map as your drawing if it appropriately shows the landform, as would drawing a bay. If, however, the map shows only the location of the landform, then an illustration must be included. For example, a map showing the location of a desert does not show what a desert looks like. You might draw a sun shining on a sandy landscape with a cactus growing.
6. Use each geography term in a sentence. The sentence will show that you understand the meaning of the word. General sentences in which any term could be inserted are not acceptable.

CHECKLIST

\_\_\_\_ 1. A geography term

\_\_\_\_2. The definition of the geography term

\_\_\_\_3. A drawing (picture, magazine clipping, etc.) that illustrates the geography term

Chosen

\_\_\_\_4. A map section showing where one of these landforms exists. You must show the

name of the ocean, continent, country, etc., where it can be found

\_\_\_\_5. A sentence using the word correctly

\_\_\_\_6. A brief paragraph describing how the particular term could affect civilization

GEOGRAPHY TERMS AND DEFINITIONS

Anthropology-

Archeology-

Archipelago-

Artifacts-

Atoll-

Basin-

Bay-

Beach-

Butte-

Canal-

Canyon-

Cape-

Cartographer-

Channel-

Cliff-

Coast-

Culture-

Cultural Diffusion-

Dam-

Delta-

Desert-

Dune-

Equator-

Fjord-

Foothills-

Geography-

Glacier-

Gulf-

Harbor-

Hemisphere-

Hill-

Historians-

Island-

Isthmus-

Lagoon-

Lake-

Latitude-

Longitude-

Physical Map-

Political Map-

Prime Meridian-

Strait-

Subcontinent-

Technology-

Topographical Map-

ASSESSMENT

Your grade will be based on many criteria. They project will be graded not only on the content but on the quality of your work. The entire project is worth 125 points.

**Content-**

* Student selected 10 terms
* Student included each of the following
  + Term
  + Definition of term
  + Sentence correctly using the term
  + Illustration of the chosen term
  + Map correctly depicting location of the chosen term
  + Paragraph of how the chosen term affected civilization

\_\_\_\_/ 80

**Spelling and Grammar**

* Student used correct spelling and grammar throughout the project

\_\_\_\_/ 25

**Creativity**

* The booklet was colorful
* Text and pictures were arranged attractively
* Detail was used in drawings and pictures
* Eye Catching cover

\_\_\_\_/ 20

**TOTAL** \_\_\_\_/ 125