

SAMPLE TRIMESTER TEST – GRADE 5

Matching

- 1) _____ environment
 - 2) _____ region
 - 3) _____ place
 - 4) _____ climate
 - 5) _____ resource
- A. An area with one or more common characteristics or features that gives it a measure of consistency and makes it different from surrounding areas
 - B. An aspect of the physical environment that people value and use to meet a need for fuel, food, industrial products, or something else of value
 - C. Everything in and on Earth's surface and its atmosphere within which organisms, communities, or objects exist
 - D. An area with distinctive human and physical characteristics that distinguish it from other areas
 - E. Long-term patterns in weather elements and atmospheric conditions

Fill In the Blank

- artifact* *document* *historical source* *opinion* *ethnicity*
- 6) A(n) _____ is a person, organization, book, map, table, or other text that supplies information or evidence.
 - 7) Any object made by human work or skill is a(n) _____.
 - 8) A(n) _____ is an identification of people sharing a common history, culture, race, or religious background.
 - 9) A(n) _____ provides information or acts as an account of events or arrangements.
 - 10) A view somebody takes about an issue, especially based on person judgment, is a(n) _____.

Social Studies Skills

Answer the following questions in complete sentences using the map to the right.

- 11) Which religions are represented by the following symbols:
 - Black circle
 - Green triangle
 - Light green shading
- 12) Which colonial region contained the highest concentration of Congregational settlers?
- 13) Settlers of which religion mostly settled in New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia, and South Carolina?
- 14) In which colonies did Roman Catholics settle?

Essential Questions

Choose 2 of the following 5 questions. Answer in a paragraph with a topic sentence, relevant information, and a concluding sentence.

- 15) Explain at least 3 reasons why the American Revolution occurred.
- 16) Describe the contributions of at least 2 Native American tribes to the first colonists.
- 17) In what ways did geography influence the success or failure of the Plymouth and Jamestown colonies?
- 18) Choose a historical figure from Colonial America and describe at least 5 specific contributions they made to the colonies.
- 19) Compare the economic and cultural factors of colonists in two of the three colonial regions.

Current Events

- 20) Recall a current event discussed in class. How has this impacted your life?

