

Vocabulary Foundations

Unit 1: Natural Texas and Its People

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Period:

Significant

Definition	Image
<ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Something not worthy of attentionb. Something importantc. Something that causes a good changed. The geography of Texas plays an important role for American Indians	

Indigenous

Definition	Image
<ul style="list-style-type: none">a. People and things that move into an area that is already settledb. Migrating to find better land and resourcesc. People and things that are original to a specific locationd. Bluebonnets occur naturally in Texas	

Region

Definition	Image
<ul style="list-style-type: none">a. A large area of land with similar geographic and climate featuresb. The Mountains and Basins has a hot arid climatec. Texas is a large state with diverse climate and geographyb. Many states are made up of different regions	

Climate

Definition	Image
<ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Winters in the Texas panhandle can be extremely coldb. Rain, snow, sleet, and hail are all forms of precipitationc. The typical weather in a specific locationc. The Texas coast experiences high humidity and mild winters	

Physical Geographic Feature

Definition	Image
<ul style="list-style-type: none">a. The study of the earth and its featuresb. Natural characteristics of the earth's surfacec. Mountains and forests are common physical geographic featuresd. Texas is full of diverse geographic features	

Agriculture

Definition	Image
<ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Farming and cultivating cropsb. Some American Indians grew corn, beans, and squash.c. Hunting deer and bisone. Collecting wild nuts, berries, and roots	

Natural Resources

Definition	Image
<ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Man-made items used to make a profitb. Water, plants, oil, and cattlec. Natural items produced by the earth people usef. Cars, clothing, and tools	

Culture

Definition	Image
<ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Things people do in order to surviveb. Food, shelter, clothing for warmth, toolsc. People's lifestyle, interests, and beliefsg. Some people listen to music or play sports for entertainment	

Nomadic

Definition	Image
<ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Moving frequently from place to placeb. Staying primarily in one placec. Hunters following their preyh. Growing and cultivating crops on a farm	

Sedentary

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