

CHAPTER 1

**SECTION 1** Themes of Geography (pages 4-7)  
**STUDY GUIDE**

**REVIEWING KEY TERMS**

In the space provided, write the term from Section 1 that best fits each description.

1. study of people, their environments, and their resources \_\_\_\_\_
2. account of what has happened in the lives of different peoples \_\_\_\_\_
3. measure of the distance north and south from the Equator \_\_\_\_\_
4. measure of the distance east and west from the Prime Meridian \_\_\_\_\_
5. to bring water to dry soil \_\_\_\_\_

**UNDERSTANDING THE MAIN IDEAS**

Read the following statements. If a statement is incorrect, place an X on the line next to its number. On the line following the statement, replace the underlined word(s) to make the statement correct.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. The five themes of geography are location, place, interaction between people and their government, movement, and region. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Geographers use lines of latitude and longitude to locate places. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. The position of one city in relation to another is an example of exact location. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. The theme of place involves physical features only. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. The human features of a place include climate, soil, plant life, animal life, and bodies of water. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Irrigating land to grow crops is one example of the theme of region. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. One theme of geography focuses on the movement of people, goods, and ideas. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. A location is an area of the world that has similar, unifying physical or cultural characteristics. \_\_\_\_\_

**CRITICAL THINKING**

On a separate sheet of paper, briefly answer the following question.

**Analyzing Information** How is geography related to history?