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**Unit 1 Geography – Reading Questions**

**AP Human Geography Reading Guide**

* Use the “Table of Contents” at the beginning of the book to guide your notes.
* Always carefully examine the charts/graphs in each section.
* Be sure to know and be able to **“use” the vocabulary** that has been provided separately.
* Pay attention to key figures mentioned in each section.
* Note that this reading guide is just that – a **guide** for your **reading**! It is **not** meant to be all-inclusive, i.e., there may be material not covered by this guide that appears on quizzes and/or exams.

**Directions**: Make sure you write in complete sentences.

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1. What is the relationship between environmental determinism and climate?
2. What is the relationship between culture trait and culture complex?
3. Give an example of how globalization occurs at the world scale.
4. What is the relationship between reference maps and absolute locations related?
5. Describe how a cultural barrier can work against diffusion. Be specific.
6. Why is the spread of a disease considered contagious diffusion?
7. How can time-distance decay impact the diffusion process?
8. What is the relationship between culture trait and independent invention?
9. Why is a desert basin considered a formal region?
10. What is the relationship between remote sensing and geographic information systems?