

## Building Vocabulary

per capita income	economy	stateless nation
state	nation	economic system
culture	nation-state	innovation
animistic	natural resources	rate of natural increase

### A. Sentence Completion

Select the term that best completes the sentence.

- \_\_\_\_\_ is the total knowledge, attitudes, and behaviors shared by and passed on by the members of a specific group.
- Taking existing elements of society and creating something new to meet a need is called \_\_\_\_\_.
- To find the \_\_\_\_\_, you need to subtract the mortality rate from the birthrate.
- A \_\_\_\_\_ is an independent unit that occupies a specific territory and has full control of its internal and external affairs.
- A \_\_\_\_\_ refers to a group of people with a common culture living in a territory and having a strong sense of unity.

### B. Matching

Match the definition in the second column with the word in the first column. Write the appropriate letter next to the word.

_____ 1. economy	a. materials on or in the earth that have economic value
_____ 2. natural resources	b. a specific group that shares languages, customs, and a common heritage
_____ 3. economic system	c. a nation that does not have a territory
_____ 4. per capita income	d. a version of a language
_____ 5. ethnic group	e. the production and exchange of goods and services among a group of people
_____ 6. dialect	f. a territory that combines a nation and a state
_____ 7. animistic	g. the average amount of money earned by each person in a political unit
_____ 8. nation-state	h. the way people produce and exchange goods
_____ 9. stateless nation	i. religion that often involves a belief in divine forces in nature
_____ 10. landlocked	j. a term used to describe a country that has no outlet to the sea

### C. Writing About Geography

Imagine you are a city planner who has to write a development plan for a city. Using each of the following terms correctly, write a plan on the back of this page. The plan should describe the location, why the location is a good one, the transportation network needed, and the use of land in the city.

urban geography	metropolitan area	central business district	suburbs
residential	industrial	commercial	