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Study Guide
for social studies TEST
United States 138-161

United States Geography (Chapter Atlas 138- 145)

What type of climate does the United States have?

Where is population density the highest in the United States?

Between which two oceans does the continental US lie?

What are the three major mountain ranges located in the US?

What is the most common natural disaster?

Which crops does the US produce in abundance?

Why did towns spring up near railroads?

Which region of the US do we live in?

How many regions are there in the US? Name them.

Where are people moving? Urban or Rural areas? Why?

United States History (146-151)

When did Europeans first arrive in North America?

Why did Europeans come to North America?

How did the arrival of early Europeans affect Native Americans?

What was the first permanent English settlement in America? The second?

What are the 3 branches of Government in America?

Why did Britain's war with France anger American colonists? How did American colonists react?

What did the continental Congress do in Philadelphia?

When was the Louisiana Purchase made, and what did it do?

How did Manifest Destiny affect Native Americans?

Why did so many immigrants come to America in the early 1900's?

Why did the US enter WWII?

What happened during the 1960's?

The United States Expands (152-155)

How did settlers benefit from contact with Native Americans?

What was a major source of conflict between Native Americans and European settlers?

Which two states were annexed?

The United States Today (156-161)

What type of economy does the USA have?

What is the most important US export?

What is NAFTA and what is the purpose?

How does immigration affect the US economy and culture?

Key Terms:

Dissenter

Plantation

Cash Crop

Manifest Destiny

Civil Rights Movement

Climate

Temperate

Migration

Metropolitan Area

Population Density

Adapt

Annex

Vital

Market Economy

Export

Import

Economic Region

Diplomacy

Draw and outline map of the United States (free hand – don't copy) Don't forget Alaska and Hawaii!