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Georgia Studies: Exploring and Connecting

Chapter 1: Georgia's Land and Location

Section 1: Georgia's Geography

Guided Reading

Instructions: Read the section and complete each item with words from the passages in this section.

1. Georgia is divided into five geographic _____, which share common characteristics such as _____, _____, _____, landforms, recreation, or economic opportunities.
2. Our state is located in the _____ and _____ Hemispheres on the continent of _____. It is located in the _____ part of the United States.
3. A _____ is a model or representation of Earth. This sphere-shaped map can be divided into two halves called _____.
4. The _____ is the imaginary line of latitude which divides the Northern from the Southern Hemisphere. The _____ is the imaginary line of longitude which divides the Western from the Eastern Hemisphere.
5. There are seven _____ (large continuous masses of land) on Earth, including: _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, _____, and _____.
6. A _____ is a country with a common government and territory.
7. The United States is divided into several regions, including the _____ (where Georgia is located), _____, _____, _____, and _____.