Geog 5: 2nd Test Questions: Study Sheet #1

1. Sacramento river system is 1/4 of California's runoff.
   True. Yokeum.

2. The Salton Sea was created in what year?
   A. 1988
   B. 1850
   C. 1935
   D. 1999
   E. 1907
   The answer is E. Yokeum.

Chapter 6

1. Cement is California's most profitable natural resource.
   False, the answer is patrolium. Yokeum.

2. Where are the largest borate reserves in the world are found?
   A. Yosemite
   B. Lake Tahoe
   C. Death Valley
   D. Salton Sea
   E. None of the above
   The answer is C. Yokeum.

   The miners, in the 1849 Gold Rush, were the select individuals that profited the most off the mined gold.
   FALSE the merchants made the most money off the mined gold. Matt Ocampo

   What group of people started the Fishermans Warf in San Francisco.
   a. Italians
   b. French
   c. Chinese
   d. Japanese
   e. Mexicans
   Answer: a. Italians
   Matt Ocampo

   The Salton Sea was created naturally over time. FALSE its man made. Matt Ocampo

   California rains are what?
   a. only in the winter
   b. only in the fall
   c. Couple times a year.
   d. In the spring.
   e. Inconsistent
   ANSWER: e inconsistent. Matt Ocampo

   1) Sublimation is the process in which solid matter goes to vapor, but it goes through the liquid state first.
      Answer: False. Sublimation is the process in which liquid matter goes to vapor WITHOUT going
      through the liquid stage. Roca

   2) A natural resource is any useful property that is native to an area.
      Answer: True. Roca
3) And Ore is a:
   A) a fowl smell
   B) an eerie feeling
   C) a profitable mineral
   D) none of the above. Roca

4) The city that produces the most petrolium in the California is:
   A) Prunedale
   B) Willington
   C) Washington
   D) Yosemite Roca

1. The North-West is the wettest climate in California. True- Nader

2. Runoff mainly happens in: C-Nader
   A. summer
   B. in cities
   C. winter to spring
   D. summer to fall
   E. The gutter

Class 10
1. The top five minerals are A._________, B____________, C___________,D__________, E__________.
   NADER
   petroleum
   natural gas
   sand and gravel
   cement
   boron

2. Water is the most important natural resource. True-Nader

1) California has 42 1/2 million acres of timber. True Daso
2) One of California's principle resources is _A_.
   A. petrolium B. iron ore C. coal D. ceramics Daso

1. What are the two elements that cause "hard water"?
   a. Chromium and Arsenic
   b. Chloride and Potassium
   c. Calcium and Magnesium
   d. Sodium and Lead
   
   Answer: C. Calcium and Magnesium Silva

2. Tap water and bottle water can have the same impurities T/F
   
   Answer: FALSE Silva

10/4/2007 Lecture
1. What high school in California has an oil well on campus?

a. Cabrillo College
b. Beverly Hills High
c. Kirby St John Prep school
d. Salinas High school

Answer: b. Beverly Hills High      Silva

2. Who benefited and profited the most from the 1849 California Gold Rush?

a. Miners
b. Merchants
c. Bartenders
d. Prostitutes

Answer: b. Merchants      Silva

1) Sublimation is the transition of water as a solid directing into a gas, skipping the liquid phase.
   True/False  True Cook
2) ________ causes "hard water."
   A) Table salt  B) Magnesium salts  C) Calcium Salts  D) Both B & C  E) All of the above
   D  Cook
1) 70% of ground, stream flowing water comes from 1% of the state.
   True/False  False, the water comes from 30% of the state  Cook
2) 80% of water used in California is used in ________.
   A) Golf Courses  B) Agriculture  C) Industry  D) Nuclear Reactors  D) None of the above
   B  Cook

Lecture 9

1) In California, 70% of stream flow comes from the wettest 20% of the state.
   True. Fotinakes
2) Which of these is NOT a major river system which contributes to runoff?
   A) Sacramento River Systems
   B) San Joaquin River Systems
   C) Colorado River Systems
   D) Northwestern River Systems
   E) None of the above
   The answer is C. The Colorado River is not a major contributor. Fotinakes

Lecture 10

1) A natural resource is any useful property in an area.
   False. It is any useful property that is native to an area. Fotinakes
2) Which of these are natural resources of California?
   A) Seafood
   B) Water
   C) Timber
   D) Minerals
   E) All of the above
   The answer is E. They are all natural resources. Fotinakes

Lecture 12

1) You are born with your culture.
   False. It is learned. Fotinakes
2) A ________ is a group of people having common ___________ values. A __________ is a political ___________ which may control more than one culture.
   
   A) cultural  
   B) state  
   C) nation  
   D) boundary  
   
   The correct order is C, A, B, D. Fotinakes  

1.) What are the two things that make culture different?
   
   A. Location and traditions  
   B. Ethnicity and religion  
   C. Religion and Language  
   D. ALL of the above  
   E. None of the above  
   
   Answer: C - The two things that make Culture different are language and religion. Chapman  

2.) If one studies a culture really well, one is able to predict what will happen next. TRUE or FALSE

Answer: True. Chapman

Nations and states are both pieces of land separated by political boundaries. True or False?

False, a nation is a group of people with a common culture. Boodt

The two main differences in cultures are?

A. Religion  
B. Technology  
C. Food  
D. Language  
E. Etiquette  

The correct answers are A. Religion and D. Language. Boodt

T/F Question:
Culture is learned behavior.

Answer: True, Hachigian

Question:
______________ and ____________ are the 2 main catagories that generally define a culture.

a) food  
b) language  
c) economy  
d) religion  
e) none of the above

Answer: b and d, Hachigian
Two barriers separate cultures very distinctly, they are:

A. Government Structures
B. Religious Beliefs
C. Ethnic Groups
D. Languages
E. Political Boundaries

Answers: B and D . Moe.

States are peaceful when one or more nations live within the same state. False

Second Lecture

True or False: People will always tell you the truth about their actions, and their garbage will not give you any information. False . Moe.

What were the main motivations for the Spanish to colonize Alta California?

A. Searching for Seven Cities of Gold
B. Conquer more land to expand the Spanish Empire
C. Keeping friendly ports for ships to restock
D. Gather slaves to sell in Europe
E. None of the Above

Answers B and C . Moe.

The California Indians can be described as diverse and varied. In the language alone, there were at least _____ dialects.
A) 90
B) 790
C) 135
D) 100
E) 125

Answer C) 135 Svee

The Spanish, Mexican, and American migration brought major changes, and their progressive impact on the California Indians was destructive.

Answer True, Svee

A state is not a physical boundary. true Svee

_____ came to California first.
A) English
B) Americans
C) Mexicans
D) Indians
E) Moriarty

1. California's surface stream flow averages 71 million acre-feet of water annually.
   True- Ludington
2. What is the greatest form of native water in California?
   a) drainage from streams originating in Oregon
   b) diversions of the lower Colorado River
   c) the river systems of the northwest
   d) Sierra Nevada snowpack
   e) none of the above
   d- Ludington
Lecture 10:
1. A natural resource is any mineral that is profitably mined.
False- a natural resource is any useful property that is native to an area. Ludington
2. Which of the below is not true about the seafood industry in California?
a) the Japanese started the industry in 1849 in San Francisco
b) California takes second in production
c) the first canny was formed along the Sacramento River in 18764
d) 60 different species are fished in California
e) all of the above are true
a- Ludington

Lecture 12:
1. Unlike the physical aspect of geography, the cultural aspect does not change over time.
False- culture is constantly changing. Ludington
2. What % of people living in New York City were not born in the U.S.?
a) 40%
b) 20%
c) 60%
d) 35%
e) none of the above
a- Ludington

Lecture 13:
1. All of the Spanish missions in California were formed between the years 1789 and 1823.
True- Ludington
2. Where were the 3 pueblos located?
a) Santa Barbara
b) San Jose
c) Branciforte
d) Monterey
e) Los Angeles
b, c, & e- Ludington

1) True or false-A nation is a group of people having common cultural values.  True Daso
2) __a__ is the play or manipulation of the environment. a. Daso
   a. Cultural Geography
   b. Physical Geography
   c. Cultural values
   d. Cultural Landscape

1) True or false-Culture is a learned behavior. True Daso
2) __a__ is the specific processes of man changing the environment for a special result.
   a. cultural ecology b. cultural landscape c. cultural history d. cultural geography a.Daso

How many Missions are there in California?
a.10
b.21
c.22
d.57
e.42
Answer- b. 21 Matt Ocampo

The Spanish were the first people to live in and discover California.
False. The Native Americans were. Matt ocampo
Who came to California solely for the purposes of getting furs to bring back to their country?
   a. Russians
   b. Dutch
   c. Spanish
   d. Canadians
   e. Mexicans
Ans- a. Russians Matt Ocampo

The last made California Mission is in Sonoma. True Matt Ocampo

Class 14

The Native Americans of California were not a successful culture because they lacked the necessity to invent. True or False?

   False, successful culture is based on how a group of people are sustained by their environment without exhausting it. Boodt

The Spanish colonized California because:
   A. They found gold.
   B. They were searching for a new homeland.
   C. They needed a friendly port to provision their ships.
   D. They liked the weather.
   E. They wanted California's natural resources.

   The correct answer is C, they needed a port for their spice ships. Boodt

Class 15

The first people from the United States to come to California were called mountain men. True or False?

   True. Boodt

Which of the following places did John Sutter NOT go before he finally reached California?

   A. Washington
   B. Hawaii
   C. Oregon
   D. Alaska
   E. Panama

   The correct answers are A. and E. Boodt

Test Questions

1. Mark the following non-native plants (A,C) Tyler Dutton
   A) Scotch Broom
   B) Redwood
   C) Eucalyptus
   D) Madrone
2. A forest biome receives ample water/heat and most of the sun gets absorbed by the forest canopy. (True)

3. Deciduous Trees ______. (A) Tyler Dutton
   A) Lose their leaves for winter
   B) Stay green year round but hibernate in winter
   C) Only exist on west coast of U.N.
   D) Are found in tropical climates around the world

4. California is a source for millions of acres of timber. It is the second largest producer in the world next to Oregon. (TRUE) Tyler Dutton

5. California produces 10% of all minerals, which makes it the third largest producer in the country. (true) Tyler Dutton

6. The biggest difference between cultures is ______. (C) Tyler Dutton
   A) Clothing
   B) Technologies
   C) Language and religion
   D) Food

7. A nation is one group of people who are the same race and share the same cultural boundaries. (True)

8. The original pueblos of California were ______. (B, C, D) Tyler Dutton
   A) Santa Cruz
   B) Los Angeles
   C) San Jose
   D) Branciforte

9. The Santa Cruz mission was formed in 1971. (False) 1791 Tyler Dutton

10. _____ are Spanish land grants in Santa Cruz. (A, B) Tyler Dutton
    A) Aptos
    B) Corralitos
    C) La Selva
    D) Capitola

11. Yohan Ahustus Suter was also known as John Sutter. (True) Tyler Dutton

12. The idea of being able to come to the new world and get land from coast to coast was known as ______. (D) Tyler Dutton
    A) Freedom
    B) Peace
    C) Human Right
    D) Manifest Destiny

Questions for the week of 10/15-10/19

1. The isolation of California (ocean to west, desert to east) is an environmental determinism influence. TRUE--- Nader

2. The sequent occupancy of California is: 1. _____ c _____, 2. _____ e ______, 3. _____ a _____, 4. _____ b ______ --- Nader
   A. Mexican Period     B. Americans     C. Native Americans     D. African Americans     E. Spanish

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1. At the time of Spanish contact, the population of California was between 1 and 10 million people.  

**FALSE**, there was between 130 and 300 thousand people — NADER

2. The religion of the Spanish "era" was: Correct answer is **D** — Nader

   A. Christianity  
   B. Atheism  
   C. Catholic  
   D. Shamanism  
   E. Buddhist

1542 who was the first to enter what would be called Alta California?

A) Juan Rodriguez Cabrillo  
B) Ho Chi Min  
C) W.J. Hutchinson  
D) Rancho Republic  
E) Spanish Empire

Answer: A) Juan Rodriguez Cabrillo — Svee

According to the Spanish concept of empire in the Region of Alta California, the missions were intended to "Christianize" the native population.

Answer: true. — Svee

1.) What was the single greatest effects that the English/Spanish had on the Native Americans?

   A. Starvation  
   B. Segregation  
   C. Disease  
   D. Slavery  
   E. Death

**Answer: C**. The greatest single effect on Native Americans was disease. — Chapman

2.) The Native American population, which was 130,000-300,000 dropped to 20,000 by 1910. True or False?

**Answer: True.** — Chapman

1/18 (Thursday)

1.) The second biggest thing that happened in the end of Spanish period/ beginning of Mexican period was secturalization of churches. True or False?

**Answer: True.** — Chapman

2.) What was John Sutter's job after he acquired land for the Mexican government?

   A. Ship the new comers back to where they came from or convert to Catholic under the Mexican government.  
   B. Helped the new comers section off land and to establish a good life in California.  
   C. He provided translation for the new comers and Natives.  
   D. He build better and more accessible trails through the Sierra Mountains to make it easier for travelers.  
   E. None of the above.

**Answer: A.** Sutter either sent them back where they came from or converted them. — Chapman
1) Cultural determinism is the idea that culture has no affect on what will happen to the land. 
   False, its the idea that culture does have an affect. Fotnakes

2) Which of these were not one of the first to settle in California? 
   A) Spanish  
   B) Mexicans  
   C) Indians  
   D) Native Americans  
   E) None of the above  
   The answer is C. Fotnakes

Lecture 14

1) The greatest effect of Spanish contact with Native Americans was the introduction of disease. 
   True. Fotnakes

2) The Spanish established all but what in California? 
   A) Missions  
   B) Pueblos  
   C) Trading Posts  
   D) Presidios  
   E) All of the above  
   The answer is C. Fotnakes

   True or False: John C Freemont was the first to map Indian trails and mountain men routes across the west? True. Moe.

What was the "divine" sign to the eastern Americans that manifest destiny was God's own plan and that they should move? 

A. Short battle with Mexico to win land of the west  
B. John Sutter was a savior to migrants from the east  
C. John Freemont mapped successful routes to California  
D. Gold was discovered the same year California became a state  
E. All of the Above

Answer; D MOE.

1. _____ was born in 1813 and first became famous for his map making skills.

   A) John Sutter  
   B) James K. Polk  
   C) John C. Freemont  
   D) Grizzly Adams

   Answer is C. Tyler Dutton

2. The first military conquest in California was Freemont Peak.

   Answer is TRUE. Tyler Dutton
3. The Gold Rush was the important event of the 1800’s because _____.
   A) It boosted the economy
   B) Brought people out west
   C) Caused railways to form
   D) All of the above

   Answer is D. Tyler Dutton

4. The main problem that surrounded the railway industry was that there were only two companies that owned such an important aspect of transportation in the entire U.S.
   Answer is TRUE. Tyler Dutton

1) List the following Californian periods in chronological order:
   A) a,b,c,d  B) c,a,d,b  C) d,b,a,c  D) c,b,a,d  E) c,a,b,d
   B is the correct answer         Cook

2) Native Americans are known as "Indians" due to Columbus trying to travel to Australia, west from Europe.
   True/False    False, he was traveling to the Indies             Cook

1) California is an isolated area surrounded by ________.
   A) Oceans  B) Deserts  C) Mountains  D) Both A and C  E) All of the above
   E is the correct answer              Cook

2) North and South California can be virtually cut off from each other if the 5 and 101 are closed.
   True/False     True                      Cook

1) The 3 Spanish projects in California were:
   A) Missions, San Jose, and Los Angeles  B) San Jose, Perceilos, and Los Angeles
   C) Missions, Pueblos, and Pueblos    D) Perceilos, Government, and Pueblos
   E) Missions, Government, and Pueblos
   The answer is C                     Cook

2) During the Mexican period the pueblos were taken from the Church by the Mexican government.
   True/False    False, the missions were taken from the Church       Cook

1) Fremont used ______ to discover his altitude as he mapped areas west of the Mississippi river.
   A) GPS  B) Guess and Check  C) Sexton  D) Temp. water boiled
   E) He couldn't discover his altitude with current technology
   D) is the correct answer         Cook

2) John C Fremont entered California, then under Mexican control, with a paramilitary force without any confirmed reasoning behind it.
   True/False       True                    Cook

1) The ratio of men to women miners during the California gold rush was ____.
   A) 1:1  B) 10:1  C) 1:10  D) 100:1  E) 1:100
   B is the correct answer         Cook

2) John Sutter was the first person in California to discover gold at a lumber mill working under John Marshal.    True/False
   False, Marshal was the one who discovered it working under Sutter.      Cook

1) True or False. John Sutter saved people crossing the Sierra Nevada's.  True Daso
2) ___A___ was a topographer, mapper, and surveyor.
   A. John Freemont Daso
   B. John Sutter
   C. Antonio Franko Cornell
   3) True or False. California became independent the same year gold was discovered in 1848.  True Daso
4) __A__ was most important because it brought people west and inspired the development of __B__.
A. gold  B.  rail roads  C.  beef  D.  casinos and gambling

Lecture 9  - 10/2/07
1. True or False: Most Rivers in California flow towards Los Angeles.
   Answer: False. Most rivers in California flow away from Los Angeles.
   Boutelle

2. Salt water intrusion is caused by: (one correct answer)
   A) Tsunamis.
   B) Too many wells pumping deep aquifers faster than the land can provide the water.
   C) Wells that are in salinated soil areas.
   D) Rivers flowing to the ocean.
   E) None of the above.
   Answer: B. Too many wells pumping deep aquifers faster than the land can provide water
   Boutelle

Lecture 10  - 10/4/07
1. True or False: California has a rich history of ore and coal mining.
   Answer: False. Most iron ore and coal was shipped from the middle of the country.
   Boutelle

2. 85% of California's water is used for: (one correct answer)
   A) Swimming pools
   B) Drinking water
   C) Flushing toilets
   D) Agriculture
   E) Washing cars
   Answer: D. Agriculture
   Boutelle

Lecture 11  - 10/11/07
1. True or False: Cultures generally have a set of strict written rules.
   Answer: False. There are no written rules for culture and cultural values change over time.
   Boutelle

2. Some common values that most cultures share are: (one correct answer)
   A) Territoriality
   B) Religion / Sense of superior being
   C) Consciousness of self and others
   D) Rules or laws for dealing with common problems
   E) All of the above
   Answer: E. All of the above
   Boutelle

Lecture 12  - 10/16/07
1. True or False: The first presidio of California was founded in San Diego in 1769.
   Answer: True
   Boutelle

2. The three original pueblos of California were: (3 correct answers)
   A) Branciforte
   B) San Dimas
   C) Santa Rosa
   D) San Jose
   E) Los Angeles
   Answers: A, D, E
   Boutelle
Lecture 13 - 10/18/07
1. True or False: Mexican land grants were divided according to the rectangular survey.
   Answer: False. Mexican land grants were divided by metes and bounds.
   Boutelle

2. In the early 1800's, the Spanish only explored California as far north as: (one correct answer)
   A) Marin
   B) Watsonville
   C) Fresno
   D) Solano
   E) Temecula
   Answer: D. Solano
   Boutelle

Lecture 14 10/23/07
1. True or False: John Fremont originally joined the army as a topographer
   Answer: True
   Boutelle

2. Gold in California was initially discovered in: (one correct answer)
   A) Oroville
   B) Coloma
   C) Los Banos
   D) Salinas
   E) Burbank
   Answer: B. Coloma
   Boutelle

Lecture 15 10/25/07
1. True or False: The gold rush inspired the development of railroads to safely ship gold across the country.
   Answer: True
   Boutelle

2. The land act of 1851 did what? (one correct answer)
   A) Required people to prove ownership of Spanish and Mexican land grants
   B) Gave land to railroad workers
   C) Marked the boundaries of Indian reservations
   D) Took land from the missions and gave it to the military
   E) Defined the border between Mexico and California
   Answer: A. The land act of 1851 required proof of ownership of Spanish and Mexican land grants.
   Boutelle

1. John C. Fremont was not a leader in the "conquering" of California. **False, he was in charge- NADER**

2. The Mexican- American war was won by the Americans in : **C- Nader**
   A. 1974
   B. 1842
   C. 1846
   D. 1849
   E. 1904

1. The Gold rush was discovered in 1848. **True- Nader**

A. Brought many people to the west coast  
B. Gave people a great perspective of California  
C. Killed thousands of Indians  
D. Brought diversity and immigration to California 
E. Caused a vast amount of disease

The most important event in California history is?  
a. 1989 Earthquake  
b. Spanish enter Alta California  
c. Gold Rush  
d. Mexicans are defeated and drove out of California  
e. Britney Spears Concert  
ANS- c. Gold Rush Matt Ocampo

The Modoc tribe lived near Lake Tahoe.  
FALSE they lived near MT SHASTA Matt Ocampo

California was adopted in the union what year?  
a. 1850  
b. 1849  
c. 1835  
d. 1855  
e. 1830  
ANS- a. 1850 Matt Ocampo

Which are local Ranhos?  
a. Aptos  
b. San Andreas  
c. San Agustin  
d. Los Corralitos  
e. All the Above  
ANS- E all the above Matt Ocampo