Geography 5 Pretest for the Second Exam
Native Water through Water Projects

Answers to these questions can be found in the published notes for the class

1. Can you draw the Hydrologic Cycle Diagram & explain the various sources of water?
2. Can you explain the significance of the seasonal precipitation patterns in California & how they relate to the need for water delivery systems?
3. What is the most important reason for understanding the distribution of native water?
4. What is a natural resource?
5. What is the most important natural resource in California?
6. What was the fish type that Cannery Row (Monterey) processed?
7. What is the most important mineral to the development of California?
8. Can you name the type of natural resources which attract tourists?
9. What is Borate and why is it important to Californians?
10. What is culture?
11. What is Sequent Occupance?
12. Name the four most significant cultures in California history.
13. Where did most of the first occupants of California choose to live? Why?
14. Why did the Spanish locate outposts next to the Pacific Ocean?
15. Can you describe the difference between a Presidio, Mission, and Pueblo?
16. What is the significance of the Mexican Period?
17. Can you name the contributions that John Sutter made to California?
18. What were the Modoc Wars?
19. Can you explain how the Railroads affected California and the significance of the Trans-Continental Railroad to California and the rest of the U.S.?
20. Who taught irrigation to early agriculturalists in California?
21. How many cars are there in Southern California?
22. What role did movies make to the economy and demography of California?
23. What roles did California play in World War 2?
24. Why were Japanese Americans interred during the War?
25. The Population of California is over 35 million. True or False?
26. Why is the population of California so mobile?
27. How urbanized is California?
28. Can you describe the three types of Water Law in California?
29. Describe the location and significance of the L.A. Aqueduct.
30. Describe the location and significance of Hetch-Hetchey and San Francisco
31. How was the Salton Sea formed?
32. Describe the location and significance of the Colorado River Aqueduct.
33. Describe the location and significance of the C.V.P. Name the chief facilities and how the water is delivered.
34. Describe the location and significance of the S.W.P. Name the chief facilities and how the water is delivered.
35. What is the latest concern about water in California? Quantity or Quality?