**Study Guide: Map Skills & Geography Mid-term**

***Know the definitions of the following terms and be able to use the corresponding skills:***

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| * **5 main Map Components:**   + **Title, Compass Rose, Grid, Key(Legend), Scale** * **Cardinal Directions (Soggy Waffles!)**   + **Intermediate Directions**      - **(NE, SE, SW, NW)** * **Physical, Political & Thematic Maps**    + ***Differences between maps*?** * **Latitude & Longitude**   + **Prime Meridian & Equator**   + **Parallels & Meridians** * **International Date Line** * **Time Zone Conversion** * **Tropics of Cancer & Capricorn** | * **6 Themes of SS & Application**   + **Geography**   + **Culture**   + **Economics**   + **Government**   + **Belief Systems**   + **Science & Technology** * **Rivers (Yellow & Yangtze)**   + **Irrigation, Silt, Reservoir, Dike** * **Mountains (Himalayas)**   + **Barrier, Pass, Gap, Plateau**   + **Terracing & Avalanche**   + **Mt. Everest & dangers of climb** |

**Geography: You should be able to…**

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| * **Name and locate the 7 Continents and 4 Oceans** * **Shanghai: Name and locate Puxi as well as the 8 districts and 1 county surrounding it** | * **Name and locate the 34 areas of China and their capitals**   + **Know the 4 types of zones: Provinces, SARs, Autonomous Regions & Municipalities** |

**Short Answer: You should be able to address the following topics & questions in complete sentences. Don’t forget to use SPECIFIC DETAILS to support your answer.**

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| * **How will understanding the 6 themes of Social Studies prepare you for success?** * **Name & Describe how two natural features have helped make Shanghai successful** * **Time Zones (why we have them & how they work)** | * **Why was the Three Gorges Dam built and what were some of the costs?** * **Explain 4 ways that mountains can be resources for humans** * **How do mountains act as barriers and what are some ways to overcome those barriers?** |