



## AP Human Geography

### Analyzing Population Density Maps

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Directions: Use the printout of the World Physical Map and the transparency overlay of the world population density map to answer the following questions.

- Using the population density map alone explain generally where a majority of people in the world live (not specific continents). What might explain this reasoning for why people might live there?
- What major areas are almost completely void of human life on the following continents (list at least 3 per continent)
  - Africa
  - Australia (Only 2 needed)
  - Asia
  - South America
  - North America
  - Europe
- Generally speaking what types of landforms are the least sparsely populated? (list 2 and explain why you think they would be difficult for humans to live in/or) (no waterforms)
- Explain the trends you notice about human population as you travel further north and south away from the equator.
- Overall which continent seems to be the most densely populated? The least? Explain what led you to believe this (area you factored into your reasoning)

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