

**Mastery Level (ML) Codes: 1=Standard should be taught in depth; 2=Students need a basic foundation; 3=If time permits**

ML	Expectation	Explanation	Pacing	Assessment	Resources
<b>6.7.1 Basic Geographic Literacy</b>					
1	1. Use and create a variety of maps (political, relief, population, etc.) to organize and interpret information about people, places, and environment.				
1	2. Describe and locate places in the Western Hemisphere as defined by physical and human features.				
2	3. Define population density and its impact.				
<b>6.7.2 Physical Characteristics of Places and Regions</b>					
1	1. Locate the major waterways and landforms of the Western Hemisphere.				
1	2. Describe the physical characteristics of the Western Hemisphere.				
2	3. Cite examples of how changes in physical features due to physical processes have changed the lives of people in the region.	Physical processes are rain, wind, earthquakes, erosion, etc.			
<b>6.7.3 Human Characteristics of Places and Regions</b>					
1	1. Describe the human characteristics of the Western Hemisphere using the following criteria: population, settlement, economic activities, and forms of government.	human = man-made			
<b>6.7.4 Interactions between People and the Environment</b>					
1	1. Explain the effects of land and water formation on migration, settlement, trade routes and transportation.				
2	2. Identify ways that people have changed the geography of the Western Hemisphere.	canals, mining, roads, deforestation, etc.			
1	3. Using the Book of Psalms, explain the relationship between God and the environment.	Psalms 19, 104, 148			