World Geography 3202 - Outcome Report, June 2011

Curricular Content Area	Question Distribution by Reporting Category			
	Knowledge	Application	Integration	
Unit 1 Land Forms and Water Forms	1, 2, 4, 6, 7, 9	3, 5, 8		
Unit 2 World Climate Patterns	12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17,	10, 11, 18, 63, 59		
Unit 3 Ecosystems	19, 21	20, 21, 22, 63	65	
Unit 4 Primary Resource Activities	23, 25, 27, 28, 31, 32	24, 26, 29, 30, 60, 64	65	
Unit 5 Secondary and Tertiary Activities	34, 36, 37, 38, 39, 41	33, 35, 40, 42, 66, 67	68	
Unit 6 Population Distribution and Growth	43, 45, 47, 48, 49, 50	44, 46, 47, 61, 69	70	
Unit 7 Settlement and Urbanization	51, 52, 53, 54, 56, 57	55, 58, 62, 71	72	

Question	Outcome	Level	Curricular Concept	
1.	1.1.5	Knowledge	Landforms/Waterforms	
2.	1.1.9	Knowledge	Landforms/Waterforms	
3.	1.2.4	Application	Landforms/Waterforms	
4.	1.5.1	Knowledge	Landforms/Waterforms	
5.	1.3.3	Application	Landforms/Waterforms	
6.	1.3.5	Knowledge	Landforms/Waterforms	
7.	1.4.1	Knowledge	Landforms/Waterforms	
8.	1.4.2	Application	Landforms/Waterforms	
9.	1.5.2	Knowledge	Landforms/Waterforms	
10.	2.2.2	Application	World Climate Patterns	
11.	2.5.2	Application	World Climate Patterns	
12.	2.1.3/2.1.4	Knowledge	World Climate Patterns	
13.	2.3.3 /2.3.4	Knowledge	World Climate Patterns	
14.	2.4.1	Knowledge	World Climate Patterns	
15.	2.3.6/2.3.7	Knowledge	World Climate Patterns	
16.	2.6.2	Knowledge	World Climate Patterns	
17.	2.1.2	Knowledge	World Climate Patterns	
18.	2.8.2	Application	World Climate Patterns	
19.	3.3.1	Knowledge	Ecosystems	
20.	3.5.4	Application	Ecosystems	
21.	3.2.1/3.2.3	Knowledge/	Ecosystems	
		Application		
22.	3.4.2	Application	Ecosystems	
23.	4.1.1	Knowledge	Primary Resource Activities	
24.	4.2.4	Application	Primary Resource Activities	
25.	4.6.1	Knowledge	Primary Resource Activities	
26.	4.4.5	Application	Primary Resource Activities	
27.	4.4.3	Knowledge	Primary Resource Activities	
28.	4.6.1	Knowledge	Primary Resource Activities	
29.	4.3.3	Application	Primary Resource Activities	
30.	4.3.6	Application	Primary Resource Activities	
31.	4.5.2	Knowledge	Primary Resource Activities	
32.	4.5.1	Knowledge	Primary Resource Activities	
33.	5.1.3/5.1.2	Application	Secondary/Tertiary Activities	
34.	5.1.1	Knowledge	Secondary/Tertiary Activities	
35.	5.2.2/5.2.4	Application	Secondary/Tertiary Activities	
36.	5.3.6	Knowledge	Secondary/Tertiary Activities	
37.	5.3.4	Knowledge	Secondary/Tertiary Activities	
38.	5.5.2	Knowledge	Secondary/Tertiary Activities	
39.	5.5.4	Knowledge	Secondary/Tertiary Activities	
40.	5.6.2	Application	Secondary/Tertiary Activities	

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41.	5.8.1	Knowledge	Secondary/Tertiary Activities	
42.	5.8.6	Application	Secondary/Tertiary Activities	
43.	6.1.1	Knowledge	Population Distribution and Growth	
44.	6.2.3	Application	Population Distribution and Growth	
45.	6.3.1	Knowledge	Population Distribution and Growth	
46.	6.3.8	Application	Population Distribution and Growth	
47.	6.4.2/6.4.3	Knowledge/	Population Distribution and Growth	
		Application		
48.	6.5.1	Knowledge	Population Distribution and Growth	
49.	6.5.5	Knowledge	Population Distribution and Growth	
50.	6.6.1	Knowledge	Population Distribution and Growth	
51.	7.1.1/7.1.2	Knowledge	Settlement and Urbanization	
52.	7.3.2	Knowledge	Settlement and Urbanization	
53.	7.2.1/7.2.2	Knowledge	Settlement and Urbanization	
54.	7.4.1	Knowledge	Settlement and Urbanization	
55.	7.5.7	Application	Settlement and Urbanization	
56.	7.5.1	Knowledge	Settlement and Urbanization	
57.	7.6.1	Knowledge	Settlement and Urbanization	
58.	7.1.4	Application	Settlement and Urbanization	
59.	2.4.2/2.3.4	Application	Landforms/Waterforms	
60.	4.7.5/4.7.1	Application	Primary Resource Activities	
61.	6.2.3/6.2.5/	Application	Population Distribution and Growth	
	6.3.3		•	
62.	7.5.4	Application	Settlement and Urbanization	
63.	2.8.2/3.5.1	Application	Landforms/Waterforms	
64.	4.6.4	Application	Landforms/Waterforms	
65.	3.5.2/4.6.4/	Integration	Landforms/Waterforms	
	4.6.5			
66.	5.3.1	Application	Primary Resource Activities	
67.	5.8.5/5.8.6	Application	Primary Resource Activities	
68.	5.4.4	Integration	Primary Resource Activities	
69.	6.2.5/6.3.3/	Application	Population Distribution and Growth	
	6.2.3			
70.	6.6.2/6.2.7	Integration	Population Distribution and Growth	
71.	7.7.1/7.7.2	Application	Settlement and Urbanization	
72.	7.7.4	Integration	Settlement and Urbanization	

Marking Board's Qualitative Comments

1) Attempting questions

"... for a question that was directly from the outcomes, fairly stated, and had a lot of evidence to use, there were too many students who did not attempt it"

2) Students often confuse geographic terms such as land and sea breezes with prevailing winds in their responses.

3) Reading instructions carefully

"Some students provided one reason/explanation for the question instead of the asked two. This error appeared to be carelessness on the students' part and not for lack of knowledge"

4) Lack of explanation

"Overall the question was generally well done The biggest issue with the question was the lack of explanation. Students would provide strategies but would do little in the way of explanation, thus resulting in lower scores."

"Many students only listed reasons and did not supply any explanation for their answers."

5) Ability to analyze and synthesize information

"... students could easily provide two knowledge/comprehension responses, and many did. Where students fell short was in the area of application and synthesis. In my experience, this is where students struggle the most. Despite that, I had the opportunity to read many well-constructed responses"