

Weekly Sheet for MS2 GEOGRAPHY

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Topics/Content/Skills:

GEOGRAPHY: CH. 4 -The Great Lakes: The U.S. and Canada’s Freshwater Treasures

Essential Question: How can people best use and protect Earth’s freshwater ecosystems?

Students will

- apply the steps in the geographic inquiry process.
- define and explain the importance of these key geographic terms: *ecosystem, food chain, food web, freshwater, watershed.*
- evaluate the environmental health and management of the Great Lakes freshwater ecosystem.
- examine the environmental challenges facing global freshwater ecosystems and the impending crisis in freshwater supplies.

Vocabulary/Key Terms/Formulas:

ecosystem, food chain, food web, freshwater, watershed

Homework/Classwork: (All homework is due the next class day unless indicated.)

	<u>In Class</u>	<u>Homework</u>
<u>Monday</u>	Mapping Lab of Canada & United States Complete Challenge 4 and Introduction to Challenge 5	Complete Challenge 5 (both pages) using the maps in the back of your textbook. Study the names and capitals of the provinces and territories of <u>Canada</u>.
<u>Tuesday</u>	Review Answers to Challenges. Practice quiz on Canadian provinces and territories. Preview 4 – <i>Where in the World Is This?</i> Game Read Section 4.1	Study the names and capitals of the provinces and territories of <u>Canada</u>. Review notes on Mapping Lab. Read Section 4.2. Complete Geoterms p.32 in ISN
<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>No Class on Wednesdays</u>	Study the names and capitals of the provinces and territories of <u>Canada</u>. Review notes on Mapping Lab for test.
<u>Thursday</u>	Test on Mapping Lab; Test on Canadian provinces, territories and their capitals	None
<u>Friday</u>	<u>No Class on Fridays</u>	

Tests/Due Dates:

Thurs. 10/6 – Test on names of Canada’s provinces and territories and their capitals.

Special Events/News:

Friday, Oct. 7 – Topsfield Fair Field Trip

Extraordinaries/Mastery Review Topics:

Extraordinary skill: Names and capitals of Canadian provinces and territories