

Suggested 160-Day Schedule for *Understanding World Geography*



Key

Orange: First lesson of new chapter
Green: Review and test day

Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5
Unit 1 <i>The Earth-God's Home for Man</i> Chapter 1 – "The Earth Is the Lord's" • Read Introduction for the Student, page 7 • Read Chapter 1, pages 8–12 ◦ Biblical Focus ◦ "God's Design for the Earth" • Study Exercises A (1–2)	"The Earth Is the Lord's" • Read Chapter 1, pages 12–14 ◦ "Introducing Geography" ▫ "The History of Geography" ▫ "Geography and Exploration" ◦ "The Travels of Marco Polo" • Study Exercises B (3–6)	"The Earth Is the Lord's" • Read Chapter 1, pages 15–18 ◦ "Using Maps to Study the Earth" ▫ "The Earth's Grid" ▫ "Time Zones" • Study Exercises C (7–9)	"The Earth Is the Lord's" • Read Chapter 1, pages 18–22 ◦ "Using Maps to Study the Earth" ▫ "Maps and Globes" ▫ "Map Projections" ▫ "Map Classifications" • Study Exercises D, E (10–18)	"The Earth Is the Lord's" • Clinching the Chapter, pages 23–25

Day 6	Day 7	Day 8	Day 9	Day 10
Chapter 2 – The Physical World - Read Chapter 2, pages 26–35 - Biblical Focus “Continents and Major Bodies of Water” “Continents” - Study Exercises A (1–2)	The Physical World - Read Chapter 2, pages 35–40 “Continents and Major Bodies of Water” “Oceans and Seas” “Islands” “Physical Features of the Earth” “Defining Geographical Terms” “Landforms” “Geographical Terms” - Study Exercises B, C (3–9)	The Physical World - Read Chapter 2, pages 40–42 “Physical Features of the Earth” “Rivers, Lakes, and Wetlands” - Study Exercises D (10–13)	The Physical World - Read Chapter 2, pages 42–46 “Changes in the Earth’s Surface” “Tectonic Forces” “The Effects of the Flood” “Mount St. Helens” “External Forces” “The Future of the Earth” - Study Exercises E (14–18)	The Physical World Clinching the Chapter, pages 46–49

Day 11	Day 12	Day 13	Day 14	Day 15
Review - Review Chapters 1 and 2 - Chapters 1 and 2 Test	Chapter 3 – Climate - Read Chapter 3, pages 50–54 - Biblical Focus “What Is Climate?” “Climates Change” - Study Exercises A (1–2)	Climate - Read Chapter 3, pages 54–58 “Primary Factors in Climate” “Latitude” “Elevation” “Distance From Large Bodies of Water” “Prevailing Winds” “Cyclones and Anticyclones” “Ocean Currents” “Mountains and Rain Shadows” - Study Exercises B (3–8)	Climate - Read Chapter 3, pages 59–62 “Other Influences on Climate” “Monsoons” “El Niño” “Jet Streams” “Major Climate Zones” “Tropical Climates” “Arid Climates” “Temperate Climates” “Continental Climates” “Polar Climates” “Highland Climate” - Study Exercises C, D (9–16)	Climate - Read Chapter 3, pages 62–66 “Climate and Vegetation” “Forests” “Grasslands” “Other Vegetation Zones” “The Effect of Climate on Soil” - Study Exercises E (17–19)

Day 16	Day 17	Day 18	Day 19	Day 20
Climate Clinching the Chapter, pages 66–69	Review - Review Chapter 3 - Chapter 3 Test	Unit 2 <i>Man's Life on Earth</i> Chapter 4 – Major Cultures of the World - Read Chapter 4, pages 70–74 - Biblical Focus “Introducing Culture” - Study Exercises A (1–3)	Major Cultures of the World - Read Chapter 4, pages 74–77 “Factors That Affect Culture” “Physical Environment and Climate” “Language” “Race” “Ethnic Background” - Study Exercises B (4–7)	Major Cultures of the World - Read Chapter 4, pages 77–80 “Factors That Affect Culture” “Religion” - Study Exercises C (8–14)

Day 21	Day 22	Day 23	Day 24	Day 25
Major Cultures of the World - Read Chapter 4, pages 81–87 “Factors That Affect Culture” “Government” “Church and State Relationships” “Other Factors Affecting Culture” “Changes in Culture” “Modern Technology” “Population Growth” “Godly Culture” - Study Exercises D, E (15–20)	Major Cultures of the World Clinching the Chapter, pages 87–91	Chapter 5 – Economy, Industry, and World Trade - Read Chapter 5, pages 92–97 - Biblical Focus “Understanding Economic Concepts” “Management of Natural Resources” “Utilization of Labor” “Favorable Business Environment” “International Trade” - Study Exercises A (1–5)	Economy, Industry, and World Trade - Read Chapter 5, pages 97–99 “Evaluating National Economies” “Economic Terms” “The Rich and the Poor” - Study Exercises B (6–9)	Economy, Industry, and World Trade - Read Chapter 5, pages 99–104 “Industry” “Primary Industries” “Secondary Industries” “Nuclear Energy” “Renewable Energy Sources” - Study Exercises C (10–13)

Day 26	Day 27	Day 28	Day 29	Day 30
Economy, Industry, and World Trade • Read Chapter 5, pages 104–107 ◦ “Industry” ▫ “Tertiary Industries” ◦ “Trade” ▫ “Problems of Free Trade” • Study Exercises D, E (14–19)	Economy, Industry, and World Trade • Clinching the Chapter, pages 107–111 • Looking Ahead • Introducing the Americas	Review • Review Chapters 4 and 5 • Chapters 4 and 5 Test	Unit 3 Anglo-America Chapter 6 – The United States • Read Chapter 6, pages 114–120 ◦ Biblical Focus ◦ “Geographical Regions” ▫ “Appalachian Region” ▫ “Atlantic Coastal Plain” ▫ “Central Plains” • Study Exercises A (1–6)	The United States • Read Chapter 6, pages 120–122 ◦ “Geographical Regions” ▫ “Western Cordillera” • Study Exercises B (7–10)

Day 31	Day 32	Day 33	Day 34	Day 35
The United States • Read Chapter 6, pages 122–124 ◦ “People and Culture” ▫ “People” ▫ “Economy” • Study Exercises C (11–14)	The United States • Read Chapter 6, pages 125–127 ◦ “People and Culture” ▫ “Government” ▫ “Religion” • Study Exercises D (15–20)	The United States • Clinching the Chapter, pages 127–131	Review • Review Chapter 6 • Chapter 6 Test	Chapter 7 – The Eastern and Central States • Read Chapter 7, pages 132–139 ◦ Biblical Focus ◦ “New England States” ▫ “Climate” ▫ “Economy” ▫ “Aquaculture” ▫ “Cities and Their Challenges” • Study Exercises A (1–3)

Day 36	Day 37	Day 38	Day 39	Day 40
The Eastern and Central States • Read Chapter 7, pages 139–144 ◦ “Middle Atlantic States” ▫ “Climate” ▫ “Economy” ▫ “Cities and Their Challenges” • Study Exercises B (4–7)	The Eastern and Central States • Read Chapter 7, pages 145–152 ◦ “Southern States” ▫ “The Tennessee Valley Authority” ▫ “Climate” ▫ “George Washington Carver” ▫ “Economy” ▫ “Flood Protection in New Orleans” ▫ “Cities and Their Challenges” • Study Exercises C (8–10)	The Eastern and Central States • Read Chapter 7, pages 152–158 ◦ “Midwestern States” ▫ “Climate” ▫ “Economy” ▫ “Invasive Species” ▫ “Cities and Their Challenges” • Study Exercises D (11–14)	The Eastern and Central States • Clinching the Chapter, pages 159–163	Chapter 8 – The Western States • Read Chapter 8, pages 164–173 ◦ Biblical Focus ◦ “Introduction” ◦ “Southwestern States” ▫ “Climate” ▫ “The Grand Canyon” ▫ “Petroleum” ▫ “Economy” ▫ “People of Interest” ▫ “Native Americans” • Study Exercises A (1–2)

Day 41	Day 42	Day 43	Day 44	Day 45
The Western States • Read Chapter 8, pages 173–179 ◦ “Rocky Mountain States” ▫ “Climate” ▫ “Economy” ▫ “Water Management” ▫ “People of Interest” • Study Exercises B (3–4)	The Western States • Read Chapter 8, pages 179–186 ◦ “Pacific Coast States” ▫ “Climate” ▫ “The Columbia Basin Project” ▫ “Economy” ▫ “Cities and Their Challenges” • Study Exercises C (5–7)	The Western States • Read Chapter 8, pages 187–192 ◦ “Alaska” ▫ “Climate” ▫ “Economy” ▫ “Juneau, the Remote Capital” ◦ “Hawaii” ▫ “Climate” ▫ “Economy” • Study Exercises D (8–10)	The Western States • Clinching the Chapter, pages 192–196	Review • Review Chapters 7 and 8 • Chapters 7 and 8 Test

Day 46	Day 47	Day 48	Day 49	Day 50
Chapter 9 – Canada • Read Chapter 9, pages 198–203 ◦ Biblical Focus ◦ “Geographical Regions” ▫ “Appalachian Region” ▫ “Great Lakes–St. Lawrence Lowlands” ▫ “Canadian Shield” • Study Exercises A (1–3)	Canada • Read Chapter 9, pages 203–206 ◦ “Geographical Regions” ▫ “Interior Plains” ▫ “Western Cordillera” ▫ “Other Geographical Regions” • Study Exercises B (4–6)	Canada • Read Chapter 9, pages 206–212 ◦ “Political Regions” ▫ “Atlantic Provinces” ▫ “Central Canada” ▫ “French-English Issues” ▫ “Prairie Provinces” • Study Exercises C (7–10)	Canada • Read Chapter 9, pages 213–215 ◦ “Political Regions” ▫ “British Columbia” ▫ “Northern Territories” • Study Exercises D (11–13)	Canada • Read Chapter 9, pages 215–219 ◦ “People and Culture” ▫ “People” ▫ “Economy” ▫ “Government” ▫ “Religion” • Study Exercises E (14–19)

Day 51	Day 52	Day 53	Day 53 Cont.	Day 54
Canada • Clinching the Chapter, pages 219–223	Review • Review Chapter 9 • Chapter 9 Test	Unit 4 Latin America Chapter 10 – Middle America (Mexico, Central America, and the West Indies) • Read Chapter 10, pages 224–230 ◦ Biblical Focus ◦ “Overview of Middle America” ▫ “Geographical Features and Climate” ▫ “People”	◦ “Governments” • Study Exercises A (1–4)	Middle America (Mexico, Central America, and the West Indies) • Read Chapter 10, pages 230–235 ◦ “Mexico” ▫ “Regions of Mexico” ▫ “Aztec Accomplishments” ▫ “Paricutín” ▫ “Climate” ▫ “People” ▫ “Industry and Resources”

Day 54 Cont.	Day 55	Day 55 Cont.	Day 56	Day 56 Cont.
□ “Government” • Study Exercises B (5–10)	Middle America (Mexico, Central America, and the West Indies) • Read Chapter 10, pages 235–246 □ “Central America” □ “Geographical Features and Climate” □ “Guatemala” □ “Challenges Missionaries Face” □ “The Maya” □ “Belize” □ “El Salvador” □ “Hurricane Mitch”	□ “Honduras” □ “Nicaragua” □ “Conservative Missions in Costa Rica” □ “Costa Rica” □ “The Pan American Highway” □ “Panama” □ “The Panama Canal” • Study Exercises C (11–13)	Middle America (Mexico, Central America, and the West Indies) • Read Chapter 10, pages 246–255 □ “The West Indies” □ “The Bahamas” □ “San Andros Mennonite Church” □ “The Blue Sinkholes of the Bahamas” □ “The Greater Antilles” □ “The 2010 Haiti Earthquake”	□ “Conservative Missions in the Dominican Republic” □ “The Lesser Antilles” □ “Bermuda” • Study Exercises D (14–16)

Day 57	Day 58	Day 59	Day 60	Day 61
Middle America (Mexico, Central America, and the West Indies) • Clinching the Chapter, pages 255–259	Chapter 11 – South America • Read Chapter 11, pages 260–267 □ Biblical Focus □ “Introducing South America” □ “Geographical Regions” □ “Eastern Highlands” □ “Central Plains” □ “Andes Mountains” • Study Exercises A (1–5)	South America • Read Chapter 11, pages 267–272 □ “Political Regions” □ “The Guianas” □ “Devil’s Island” □ “Venezuela and Colombia” • Study Exercises B (6–9)	South America • Read Chapter 11, pages 273–278 □ “Political Regions” □ “Ecuador, Peru, and Bolivia” □ “The Galápagos Islands” □ “Machu Picchu” □ “The Inca Empire” • Study Exercises C (10–14)	South America • Read Chapter 11, pages 278–284 □ “Political Regions” □ “Chile and Argentina” □ “Christ of the Andes” □ “How Farming Practices Affect Geography” □ “Cassava” □ “Uruguay and Paraguay” • Study Exercises D (15–17)

Day 62	Day 63	Day 64	Day 65	Day 66
South America • Read Chapter 11, pages 284–287 • “Political Regions” ◦ “Brazil” • Study Exercises E (18–19)	South America • Clinching the Chapter, pages 287–291	Review • Review Chapters 10 and 11 • Chapters 10 and 11 Test	Unit 5 Europe Chapter 12 – Western Europe • Read Chapter 12, pages 292–298 ◦ Biblical Focus ◦ “Overview of Europe” ▫ “European Land and Climate” ▫ “European Countries” ▫ “European Influence in North America” • Study Exercises A (1–5)	Western Europe • Read Chapter 12, pages 298–305 ◦ “Overview of Western Europe” ◦ “The British Isles” ▫ “United Kingdom” ▫ “The Channel Tunnel” ▫ “The Republic of Ireland” • Study Exercises B (6–10)

Day 67	Day 68	Day 69	Day 70	Day 71
Western Europe • Read Chapter 12, pages 305–308 ◦ “The Iberian Peninsula” ▫ “The Rock of Gibraltar” ▫ “Spain” ▫ “Portugal” • Study Exercises C (11–14)	Western Europe • Read Chapter 12, pages 309–312 ◦ “France and Its Tiny Neighbors” ▫ “France” ▫ “The French Revolution” ▫ “Andorra” ▫ “Monaco” • Study Exercises D (15–17)	Western Europe • Read Chapter 12, pages 313–318 ◦ “The Low Countries” ▫ “Netherlands” ▫ “The Dutch Anabaptists” ▫ “Belgium” ▫ “The European Union and the Euro” ▫ “Luxembourg” • Study Exercises E (18–21)	Western Europe • Clinching the Chapter, pages 319–323	Chapter 13 – Northern Europe • Read Chapter 13, pages 324–331 ◦ Biblical Focus ◦ “Nordic Europe” ▫ “Norway” • Study Exercises A (1–5)

Day 72	Day 73	Day 74	Day 75	Day 76
Northern Europe • Read Chapter 13, pages 331–335 ◦ “Nordic Europe” ▫ “Sweden” ▫ “Denmark” • Study Exercises B (6–10)	Northern Europe • Read Chapter 13, pages 335–338 ◦ “Nordic Europe” ▫ “Finland” ▫ “Iceland” • Study Exercises C (11–13)	Northern Europe • Read Chapter 13, pages 338–340 ◦ “The Baltic States” • Study Exercises D (14–15)	Northern Europe • Read Chapter 13, pages 340–343 ◦ “The Baltic States” ▫ “Estonia” ▫ “Oil Shale” ▫ “Latvia” ▫ “Kaliningrad” ▫ “Lithuania” • Study Exercises E (16–17)	Northern Europe • Clinching the Chapter, pages 343–347

Day 77	Day 78	Day 79	Day 80	Day 81
Review • Review Chapters 12 and 13 • Chapters 12 and 13 Test	Chapter 14 – Central Europe • Read Chapter 14, pages 348–355 ◦ Biblical Focus ◦ “Introducing Central Europe” ▫ “Germany: Reunited Giant” ▫ “The Berlin Wall” • Study Exercises A (1–4)	Central Europe • Read Chapter 14, pages 355–359 ◦ “Introducing Central Europe” ▫ “Austria: Shrunk Territory, Soaring Alps” ▫ “Anabaptists in Tyrol” ▫ “Hungary: Lowlands Divided by the Danube” ▫ “The Danube River” • Study Exercises B (5–9)	Central Europe • Read Chapter 14, pages 359–363 ◦ “Czechia and Slovakia” ▫ “Czechia: Bohemia and Moravia” ▫ “Anabaptists in Moravia” ▫ “Slovakia: Carpathian Mountains” • Study Exercises C (10–15)	Central Europe • Read Chapter 14, pages 364–368 ◦ “Switzerland and Liechtenstein” ▫ “The Swiss Brethren” ▫ “Switzerland: Crossroads Country” ▫ “Saint Bernard Dogs” ▫ “Liechtenstein: Low Taxes, Big Banks” • Study Exercises D (16–19)

Day 82	Day 83	Day 83 Cont.	Day 84	Day 85
Central Europe • Clinching the Chapter, pages 368–371	Chapter 15 – Southern Europe • Read Chapter 15, pages 372–380 ◦ Biblical Focus ◦ “Introducing Southern Europe” ◦ “Italy and Its Tiny Neighbors” ▫ “Italy: Alps, Apennines, and Islands” ▫ “Vatican City: Home of the Pope” ▫ “San Marino: Tiny, Old Republic”	▫ “Income for the Four Smallest Nations” ▫ “Malta: Famous for Its Visitors” • Study Exercises A (1–4)	Southern Europe • Read Chapter 15, pages 381–385 ◦ “Nations of Former Yugoslavia” ▫ “Slovenia: Not Quite Landlocked” ▫ “The Cyrillic Alphabet” ▫ “Croatia: Oddly Shaped Haven for Croats” • Study Exercises B (5–9)	Southern Europe • Read Chapter 15, pages 385–390 ◦ “Nations of Former Yugoslavia” ▫ “Bosnia and Herzegovina: Divided Country” ▫ “Serbia: Story of Many Struggles” ▫ “Kosovo: Heartland—But for Whom?” ▫ “Montenegro: Black Mountain”

Day 85 Cont.	Day 86	Day 87	Day 88	Day 89
▫ “North Macedonia: A Name and a Compromise” • Study Exercises C (10–14)	Southern Europe • Read Chapter 15, pages 390–395 ◦ “Albania, Bulgaria, and Greece” ▫ “Albania: Isolated and Poor” ▫ “Bulgaria: Land of the Ancient Bulgars” ▫ “The Roma (Gypsies)” ▫ “Greece: The Old and the New” ▫ “The Church at Thessalonica” • Study Exercises D (15–19)	Southern Europe • Clinching the Chapter, pages 395–399	Review • Review Chapters 14 and 15 • Chapters 14 and 15 Test	Unit 6 Northern and Central Eurasia Chapter 16 – Eastern Europe • Read Chapter 16, pages 400–405 ◦ Biblical Focus ◦ “Overview of Eurasia” ◦ “Overview of Eastern Europe” ▫ “Communism” ▫ “Former Warsaw Pact Nations” • Study Exercises A (1–3)

Day 90	Day 91	Day 92	Day 93	Day 94
Eastern Europe • Read Chapter 16, pages 405–410 ◦ “Poland: Private Property and Staunch Catholics” ◦ “Former Western Soviet Republics” ▫ “Belarus: Lowland With Strong Ties to Russia” • Study Exercises B, C (4–10)	Eastern Europe • Read Chapter 16, pages 410–414 ◦ “Former Western Soviet Republics” ▫ “Ukraine: Steppes, Mennonites, and Tragedies” ▫ “The Accident at Chernobyl” ▫ “Moldova: Mostly Romanian, Somewhat Russian” • Study Exercises D (11–16)	Eastern Europe • Read Chapter 16, pages 415–417 ◦ “Former Western Soviet Republics” ▫ “Romania: Roman in Memory, Romance in Language” ▫ “Palace of the Parliament” ▫ “Relief for Suffering Christians” • Study Exercises E (17–20)	Eastern Europe • Clinching the Chapter, pages 417–421	Chapter 17 – Russia • Read Chapter 17, pages 422–431 ◦ Biblical Focus ◦ “Overview of Asia” ◦ “Overview of Russia” ◦ “Geographical Regions of Russia” ▫ “European Russia” ▫ “Siberia” • Study Exercises A (1–5)

Day 95	Day 96	Day 97	Day 98	Day 99
Russia • Read Chapter 17, pages 431–434 ◦ “Geographical Regions of Russia” ▫ “Natural Regions” ▫ “The Fertile Triangle” ▫ “Seas and Lakes” • Study Exercises B (6–8)	Russia • Read Chapter 17, pages 435–436 ◦ “The People: Russians and Minority Groups” ▫ “East Slavic Ethnic Groups” ▫ “Turkic Ethnic Groups” ▫ “Other Ethnic Groups” • Study Exercises C (9–11)	Russia • Read Chapter 17, pages 437–439 ◦ “Economics and Natural Resources” ▫ “Economy” ▫ “The Fall of Communism in Russia” ▫ “Natural Resources” ▫ “Agriculture” ◦ “International Affairs and Religion” ▫ “International Affairs” ▫ “Religion” • Study Exercises D (12–16)	Russia • Clinching the Chapter, pages 440–443	Review • Review Chapters 16 and 17 • Chapters 16 and 17 Test

Day 100	Day 101	Day 102	Day 103	Day 103 Cont.
Chapter 18 – Transcaucasia and Central Asia - Read Chapter 18, pages 444–450 - Biblical Focus “Overview of Transcaucasia and Central Asia” “Transcaucasia” “Georgia: Land of a Lone Language” - Study Exercises A (1–4)	Transcaucasia and Central Asia - Read Chapter 18, pages 450–453 “Transcaucasia” “Armenia: Little and Landlocked” “Azerbaijan: An Exclave and an Enclave” - Study Exercises B (5–8)	Transcaucasia and Central Asia - Read Chapter 18, pages 453–457 “Overview of Central Asia” “The Shrinking Aral Sea” “Kazakhstan: Largest but Sparsest” - Study Exercises C (9–12)	Transcaucasia and Central Asia - Read Chapter 18, pages 458–463 “Overview of Central Asia” “Uzbekistan: Tashkent and Turbans” “The Caspian Sea” “Turkmenistan: A Long Irrigation Canal” “Kyrgyzstan: Victory Peak and a Clear Mountain Lake” “Tajikistan: Pamirs and Poverty”	“The Silk Road” - Study Exercises D, E (13–19)

Day 104	Day 105	Day 106	Day 106 Cont.	Day 107
Transcaucasia and Central Asia Clinching the Chapter, pages 464–467	Review - Review Chapter 18 - Chapter 18 Test	Unit 7 Eastern and Southern Asia Chapter 19 – The Middle East - Read Chapter 19, pages 468–475 - Biblical Focus “Overview of The Middle East” “Major Geographical Features” “Mountains and Plateaus” “Deserts”	“Rivers” “The Fertile Crescent” - Study Exercises A (1–3)	The Middle East - Read Chapter 19, pages 476–481 “The Middle East in Bible Times” “Old Testament Lands” “Palestine” “Major Issues in the Middle East” “Black Gold” “Water” “Religion” “Violence” - Study Exercises B (4–10)

Day 108	Day 108 Cont.	Day 109	Day 109 Cont.	Day 110
The Middle East • Read Chapter 19, pages 481–488 ◦ “The Middle East Today” ▫ “Turkey: Gateway to the Black Sea” ▫ “The Kurds” ▫ “Cyprus: Two Cultures” ▫ “Syria: Land of Ancient Damascus” ▫ “Lebanon: Cedars and Strife” ▫ “Jordan: Edom, Moab, Ammon”	▫ “Israel: Land of Prosperity” ▫ “Palestinian Territories” • Study Exercises C (11–16)	The Middle East • Read Chapter 19, pages 488–495 ◦ “The Middle East Today” ▫ “Iraq: Tigris and Euphrates” ▫ “Iran: Islamic Indeed” ▫ “Saudi Arabia: Sand and Petroleum” ▫ “Yemen: Ancient Sheba” ▫ “Yemen—Rich but Poor” ▫ “Oman: Guard of Hormuz”	▫ “United Arab Emirates: A Federation and a Skyscraper” ▫ “Qatar: Rich in Offshore Natural Gas” ▫ “Bahrain: Out of Oil but Not Poor” ▫ “Kuwait: Small Country With Large Oil Reserves” • Study Exercises D (17–18)	The Middle East • Clinching the Chapter, pages 496–499

Day 111	Day 111 Cont.	Day 112	Day 113	Day 114
Chapter 20 – South Asia • Read Chapter 20, pages 500–508 ◦ Biblical Focus ◦ “Crowded South Asia” ◦ “Major Geographical Features” ▫ “The Himalayas” ▫ “The Hindu Kush” ▫ “The Indo–Gangetic Plain” ▫ “The Deccan Plateau” ◦ “Climate” ▫ “Seasons”	▫ “Monsoons” • Study Exercises A (1–6)	South Asia • Read Chapter 20, pages 508–511 ◦ “India: A Hindu Giant” ▫ “People” ▫ “Economy” ▫ “Missionaries in India” ▫ “The Outlook for India” • Study Exercises B (7–11)	South Asia • Read Chapter 20, pages 512–518 ◦ “Muslim Nations” ▫ “Afghanistan: Rugged Terrain, Divided People” ▫ “Pakistan: Indus and Islamabad” ▫ “Bangladesh: Battered, Flooded, Crowded” ▫ “Sand Bar Farms and Floating Gardens” • Study Exercises C (12–16)	South Asia • Read Chapter 20, pages 519–523 ◦ “Mountain Nations” ▫ “Nepal: The Highest Himalayas” ▫ “Mountain Under Siege” ▫ “Bhutan: Rugged Ranges and Rushing Rivers” ◦ “Island Nations” ▫ “Sri Lanka: Where ‘Every Prospect Pleases’”

Day 114 Cont.	Day 115	Day 116	Day 117	Day 118
◻ “Maldives: Islands and Lagoons” • Study Exercises D (17–20)	South Asia • Clinching the Chapter, pages 523–527	Review • Review Chapters 19 and 20 • Chapters 19 and 20 Test	Chapter 21 – East Asia • Read Chapter 21, pages 528–536 ◻ Biblical Focus ◻ “Introducing East Asia” ◻ “China: An Awakened Giant” ◻ “China’s Natural Diversity” ◻ “Eastern China” ◻ “The Walled Kingdom” • Study Exercises A (1–4)	East Asia • Read Chapter 21, pages 536–544 ◻ “China: An Awakened Giant” ◻ “Western China” ◻ “China’s Rivers” ◻ “Economy” ◻ “Three Gorges Dam” ◻ “Special Administrative Regions” ◻ “Religion” • Study Exercises B (5–8)

Day 119	Day 120	Day 121	Day 122	Day 123
East Asia • Read Chapter 21, pages 544–546 ◻ “Taiwan: an Overlapping Claim” ◻ “Mongolia: Elevated and Nearly Empty” • Study Exercises C (9–11)	East Asia • Read Chapter 21, pages 546–549 ◻ “North and South Korea” ◻ “North Korea: Isolation and Persecution” ◻ “The Demilitarized Zone” ◻ “South Korea: Prosperity South of the DMZ” • Study Exercises D (12–14)	East Asia • Read Chapter 21, pages 549–552 ◻ “Japan: Island Powerhouse” ◻ “Geographical Features” ◻ “People” ◻ “Economy” • Study Exercises E (15–18)	East Asia • Clinching the Chapter, pages 552–556	Chapter 22 – Southeast Asia • Read Chapter 22, pages 558–566 ◻ Biblical Focus ◻ “Southeast Asia: a Tropical Region” ◻ “Mainland Southeast Asia” ◻ “Myanmar: Source of Burmese Teak” ◻ “Thailand: Burma’s Siamese Twin” • Study Exercises A (1–5)

Day 124	Day 125	Day 126	Day 127	Day 128
Southeast Asia • Read Chapter 22, pages 566–569 ◦ “Mainland Southeast Asia” ◦ “Laos: Life on Three Levels” ◦ “Cambodia: Lowlands and Low Mountains” ◦ “Vietnam: Fading Bitterness” • Study Exercises B (6–9)	Southeast Asia • Read Chapter 22, pages 570–574 ◦ “The Malay Archipelago” ◦ “Malaysia: Partly Peninsular, Partly Insular” ◦ “Leatherback Sea Turtles” ◦ “Singapore: Miniature Dynamo” ◦ “Brunei: Investing in the Future” • Study Exercises C (10–13)	Southeast Asia • Read Chapter 22, pages 574–578 ◦ “The Malay Archipelago” ◦ “Indonesia: Thousands of Islands, Hundreds of Languages” ◦ “The Eruption of Mount Tambora” ◦ “Tsunami in the Indian Ocean, 2004” • Study Exercises D (14–16)	Southeast Asia • Read Chapter 22, pages 579–582 ◦ “The Malay Archipelago” ◦ “Timor-Leste: Independence at a Price” ◦ “The Philippines: Mostly Professing Christians” ◦ “Poverty and Political Instability” ◦ “Mennonite Churches in the Philippines” • Study Exercises E (17–20)	Southeast Asia • Clinching the Chapter, pages 582–586

Day 129	Day 130	Day 131	Day 131 Cont.	Day 132
Review • Review Chapters 21 and 22 • Chapters 21 and 22 Test	Unit 8 Africa Chapter 23 – North and East Africa • Read Chapter 23, pages 588–597 ◦ Biblical Focus ◦ “Introducing Africa” ◦ “The Mediterranean Sea” ◦ “Introducing North Africa” ◦ “Geographical Features” ◦ “People” • Study Exercises A (1–5)	North and East Africa • Read Chapter 23, pages 597–603 ◦ “Countries of North Africa” ◦ “Egypt: Land of the Nile and the Suez” ◦ “The Qattara Depression” ◦ “The Suez Canal” ◦ “Libya: Prosperity From the Desert” ◦ “Tunisia: The Smallest in North Africa” ◦ “Algeria: The ‘Hill’ and the Sahara”	◦ “Morocco and Western Sahara: Farming, Fishing, Phosphates” ◦ “The Strait of Gibraltar” • Study Exercises B (6–9)	North and East Africa • Read Chapter 23, pages 603–607 ◦ “Introducing East Africa” ◦ “Geographical Features” ◦ “Malaria” ◦ “People” • Study Exercises C (10–12)

Day 133	Day 133 Cont.	Day 134	Day 135	Day 136
North and East Africa - Read Chapter 23, pages 607–611 “Countries of East Africa” “Sudan: Where Two Niles Meet” “South Sudan: Fledgling and Still Questioning” “Ethiopia: Ancient Land With Modern Problems” “Eritrea: A Poor but Coveted Land” “Djibouti: Ethiopia’s Door to the Sea”	“Somalia: Horn of Turmoil” - Study Exercises D (13–15)	North and East Africa - Read Chapter 23, pages 612–616 “Countries of East Africa” “Kenya: Ecuador of East Africa” “Tanzania: Mainland and Zanzibar” “The Tsetse Fly” “Uganda: Land of Lakes and Thirty Languages” “Mennonites in East Africa” “Rwanda and Burundi: Highlands and Heartbreak” - Study Exercises E (16–18)	North and East Africa Clinching the Chapter, pages 617–621	Chapter 24 – West and Central Africa - Read Chapter 24, pages 622–627 - Biblical Focus “Overview of West and Central Africa” “Geographical Features” “People” - Study Exercises A (1–3)

Day 137	Day 138	Day 139	Day 139 Cont.	Day 140
West and Central Africa - Read Chapter 24, pages 627–632 “Sahara–Sahel Africa” “Mauritania: Deserted Towns in the Desert” “Mali: Memories of Timbuktu” “Timbuktu” “Burkina Faso: Sahel Under Pressure” “Niger: The Pinch of Poverty” “Chad: A Lake and a Lowland” - Study Exercises B (4–8)	West and Central Africa - Read Chapter 24, pages 632–636 “Coastal West Africa” “Cabo Verde: Named After Its Neighbor” “Senegal: Peanut Producer” “The Gambia: Sleeve on the Gambia River” “Guinea-Bissau: Swampy Lowland” “Guinea: A Promising Crescent” “The Fulani” - Study Exercises C (9–12)	West and Central Africa - Read Chapter 24, pages 637–641 “Coastal West Africa” “Sierra Leone: ‘Lion Mountains’” “Liberia: Africa’s Oldest Republic” “Mangrove Trees” “Côte d’Ivoire: Chocolate Champion” “Ghana: Land of Lake Volta” “Togo: Phosphate Leader”	“Benin: Key-shaped Nation” - Study Exercises D (13–15)	West and Central Africa - Read Chapter 24, pages 641–645 “West-Central Africa” “Nigeria: ‘Pie’ With Three Pieces” “Cameroon: Africa in Miniature” “Central African Republic: Secluded Animal Refuge” - Study Exercises E (16–19)

Day 141	Day 142	Day 143	Day 143 Cont.	Day 144
West and Central Africa Clinching the Chapter, pages 645–649	Review - Review Chapters 23 and 24 - Chapters 23 and 24 Test	Chapter 25 – Equatorial and Southern Africa - Read Chapter 25, pages 650–659 - Biblical Focus “Equatorial Africa” “São Tomé and Príncipe: Twins but Not Equals” “Equatorial Guinea: Almost on the Equator” “Gabon: Richer Than Most” “Republic of the Congo: The Smaller Congo”	“Democratic Republic of the Congo: Inseparable From Its River” “Pygmies” - Study Exercises A (1–5)	Equatorial and Southern Africa - Read Chapter 25, pages 659–666 “Southern Africa” “Angola: A Troubled Plateau” “Zambia: Butterfly on the Zambezi” “Victoria Falls” “Malawi: Scenic Highland” “Namibia: Loneliest Land in Africa” “Botswana: Desert and Diamonds” - Study Exercises B (6–9)

Day 145	Day 146	Day 147	Day 148	Day 149
Equatorial and Southern Africa - Read Chapter 25, pages 666–671 “Southern Africa” “Zimbabwe: Land of Velds” “Mozambique: Lowland by the Sea” “South Africa: Rich, With a Bitter History” “Lesotho: ‘The Switzerland of Southern Africa’” “Eswatini: A Nation Ruled by Kings” - Study Exercises C (10–13)	Equatorial and Southern Africa - Read Chapter 25, pages 671–674 “Island Nations of Southeastern Africa” “Madagascar: Unique Wildlife” “Comoros: Three Mountainous Islands” “Seychelles: Speckles on the Map, but Beautiful” “Mauritius: Home of the Dodo” “The Dodo” - Study Exercises D (14–16)	Equatorial and Southern Africa Clinching the Chapter, pages 675–679	Review - Review Chapter 25 - Chapter 25 Test	Unit 9 Australasia, Oceania, and Antarctica Chapter 26 – Australasia - Read Chapter 26, pages 680–688 - Biblical Focus “Australasia and Oceania” “Australia: The Land Down Under” “Geographical Features”

<i>Day 149 Cont.</i>	Day 150	Day 151	Day 152	Day 153
□ “The Nullarbor Plain” □ “Climate” • Study Exercises A (1–5)	Australasia • Read Chapter 26, pages 688–692 □ “Australia: The Land Down Under” □ “States and Territories” □ “People” □ “Economy” □ “Unique Features” • Study Exercises B (6–9)	Australasia • Read Chapter 26, pages 693–696 □ “New Zealand: Home of the Maori” □ “Geographical Features” □ “Climate” □ “People” □ “Economy” • Study Exercises C (10–13)	Australasia • Read Chapter 26, pages 696–700 □ “Papua New Guinea: Rain Forests and Remote Highlands” □ “Geographical Features and Climate” □ “People” □ “Tok Pisin” • Study Exercises D (14–15)	Australasia • Clinching the Chapter, pages 700–704

Day 154	<i>Day 154 Cont.</i>	Day 155	<i>Day 155 Cont.</i>	Day 156
Chapter 27 – “The Uttermost Parts of the Earth” • Read Chapter 27, pages 706–716 □ Biblical Focus □ “The Small, Scattered Islands of Oceania” □ “Coral” □ “Breadfruit” □ “Melanesia” □ “Solomon Islands: Staying Cool on Stilts” □ “Bislama”	□ “Vanuatu: “Our Land Forever” □ “Fiji: Crossroads of the South Pacific” □ “Pacific Island Dependencies” • Study Exercises A (1–4)	“The Uttermost Parts of the Earth” • Read Chapter 27, pages 716–720 □ “Micronesia” □ “Palau: A Protective Wall of Coral” □ “Federated States of Micronesia: A Little Land in a Large Zone” □ “Exclusive Economic Zones” □ “Marshall Islands: Testing Grounds for Bombs and Missiles” □ “Kiribati: A Detour in the Date Line”	□ “Who First Saw the New Millenium?” □ “Nauru: All in One Piece” □ “Micronesian Dependencies” • Study Exercises B (5–9)	“The Uttermost Parts of the Earth” • Read Chapter 27, pages 721–726 □ “Polynesia” □ “Tuvalu: Tiny, Far-Flung Islands” □ “Samoa: The Larger, Independent Islands” □ “Tonga: A Monarchy” □ “Pandanus Plants” □ “Polynesian Dependencies” □ “The Mutiny on the Bounty” • Study Exercises C (10–15)

Day 157

“The Uttermost Parts of the Earth”

- Read Chapter 27, pages 726–729
 - “Antarctica: A Continent of Superlatives”
 - “The Christian’s Responsibility in the World”
- Study Exercises D (16–19)

Day 158

“The Uttermost Parts of the Earth”

- Clinching the Chapter, pages 730–734

Day 159

Review

- Review Chapters 26 and 27
- Chapters 26 and 27 Test

Day 160

Final Test

- Review
- Final Test