

Skills Worksheet

Concept Review**MATCHING**

In the space provided, write the letter of the term or phrase that best matches the description.

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| _____ 1. highest birth rates | a. demography |
| _____ 2. the distribution of ages in a specific population at a certain time | b. age structure |
| _____ 3. percentage of members of a group that are likely to survive to a given age | c. emigration |
| _____ 4. movement of individuals out of a population | d. infrastructure |
| _____ 5. the study of populations | e. arable land |
| _____ 6. movement of people into cities from rural areas | f. least-developed countries |
| _____ 7. the basic facilities and services that support a community | g. survivorship |
| _____ 8. land that can be used to grow crops | h. demographic transition |
| _____ 9. a model that describes how changes in a population may occur | i. urbanization |
| _____ 10. average number of children a woman gives birth to in her lifetime | j. total fertility rate |

MULTIPLE CHOICE

In the space provided, write the letter of the word or statement that best answers the question or completes the sentence.

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| _____ 11. The human population doubled from 2 billion to 4 billion people in
a. about 130 years.
b. about 44 years.
c. about 95 years.
d. about 175 years. | _____ 13. Suburban sprawl, overcrowded schools, polluted rivers, and inadequate housing are symptoms of
a. stable population size.
b. overwhelming population growth.
c. declining population size.
d. slow population growth. |
| _____ 12. Some under-developed countries have tried to control population growth by
a. increasing fertility rate.
b. decreasing fertility rate.
c. increasing emigration.
d. decreasing emigration. | |

Concept Review *continued*

- _____ **14.** Access to adequate food, clean water, and safe sewage disposal have resulted in a decline in
a. life expectancy.
b. the birth rate.
c. the death rate.
d. infant health.
- _____ **15.** According to the theory of demographic transition, populations in Stage 1 tend to
a. increase.
b. decrease.
c. remain the same.
d. be large.
- _____ **16.** Suburban sprawl results in
a. traffic jams.
b. inadequate infrastructure.
c. reduction of land for farms, ranches, and wildlife habitat.
d. All of the above
- _____ **17.** A population's age structure is represented by a
a. population pyramid.
b. survivorship curve.
c. total fertility rate.
d. migration rate.
- _____ **18.** What is the main source of energy in the poorest countries?
a. coal
b. solar collectors
c. wood
d. nuclear reactors
- _____ **19.** The graph of human population growth since 1200 BCE looks like
a. a J-curve.
b. an S-curve.
c. a horizontal line.
d. a straight 45° line.
- _____ **20.** Infant mortality rates are least effected by
a. average income.
b. parents' access to education.
c. clean water.
d. adequate food.
- _____ **21.** Life expectancy in sub-Saharan Africa has declined due to the epidemic of
a. tuberculosis.
b. AIDS.
c. influenza.
d. bubonic plague.
- _____ **22.** A population will shrink if deaths + emigrants exceeds
a. deaths + births.
b. immigration – emigration.
c. births + immigrants.
d. the carrying capacity of a nation.
- _____ **23.** Which of the following is *not* part of a community's infrastructure?
a. public water supply
b. power plants
c. sewer lines
d. arable land
- _____ **24.** The movement of individuals between areas is called
a. migration.
b. life expectancy.
c. survivorship.
d. urbanization.