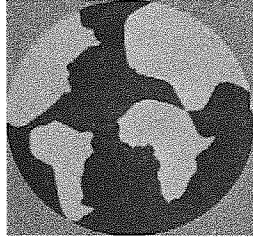


Word Cards

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continent

an expanse or mass
of continuous land



Example: Sometime Europe and Asia are referred to as a single continent called Eurasia.

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Afroeurasia

a large
geographical
region spanning
Africa, Europe, and Asia



Example: Humans migrated across Afroeurasia to the Americas about 15,000 years ago

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Americas

a large geographical
region consisting of
North and South
America

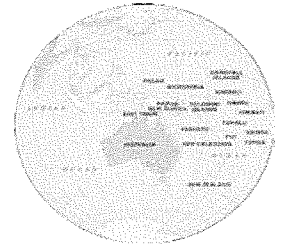


Example: Humans living in the Americas interacted quite commonly before the arrival of European explorers.

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Oceania

a geographic region
in the basin of the
Pacific Ocean
containing 25,000
islands including New Guinea and
Australia

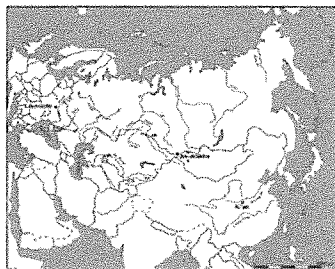


Example: Humans settled islands in Oceania as early as 1600 BC/BCE.

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Eurasia

the land mass
of both Europe
and Asia

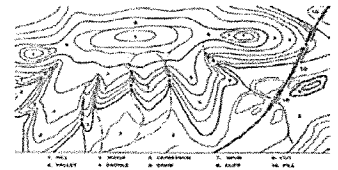


Example: The Ural mountains separate Europe and Asia, but many scholars see Eurasia as a single continent.

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topography

a way of showing
contrasting
features on a map



Example: Topographical maps of the Earth commonly show various elevations.

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