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**Texas Geography**

**Directions:** Use your knowledge of Texas history and the maps at your station to answer the questions below. You may need to make comparisons between maps or use a map on its own.

1. **What is a physical characteristic?** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
2. **What is a human characteristic?** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
3. **What physical characteristic determines where people build settlements? Why?**

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1. **What region of Texas would a hurricane most heavily impact?**

a. Mountains and Basins b. Great Plains c. North Central Plains d. Coastal Plains

1. **How could a hurricane impact the rest of the state?**

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1. **If you lived in the Panhandle, what would most likely be your main source of water?**

a. the Gulf of Mexico b. an aquifer c. the Rio Grande d. rain

1. **If you were a farmer living in the Mountains and Basins away from rivers and aquifers and received little rain, how could you direct water to your community and farm?**

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1. **What region of Texas was impacted most heavily by the Dust Bowl?**

a. Mountains and Basins b. Great Plains c. North Central Plains d. Coastal Plains

1. **How did the Dust Bowl impact the people and land in this area?**

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1. **What method of transportation grew during the late 1800s and connected the regions?**

a. Stagecoaches b. Automobiles c. Railroads d. Airplanes

***Know the general characteristics of each region (climate, physical characteristics, human characteristics, etc.) for the End-of-Year Exam!* ☺**