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5. Environmental Determinism
6. Field data (What it is & why it’s important)
7. Geospatial Data Systems (Ex. GIS, GPS, remote sensing)
8. Globalization
9. Latitude
10. Longitude
11. Map Distortions (Types of map distortions and map projections)
12. Prime Meridian
13. Pattern (Clustered, Dispersed)
14. Place
15. Possibilism
16. Reference Maps
17. Region (List & explain all 3 types)
18. Relative location
19. Scale of Analysis
20. Site
21. Situation
22. Space (As it relates to place, or the spatial perspective)
23. Sustainability
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