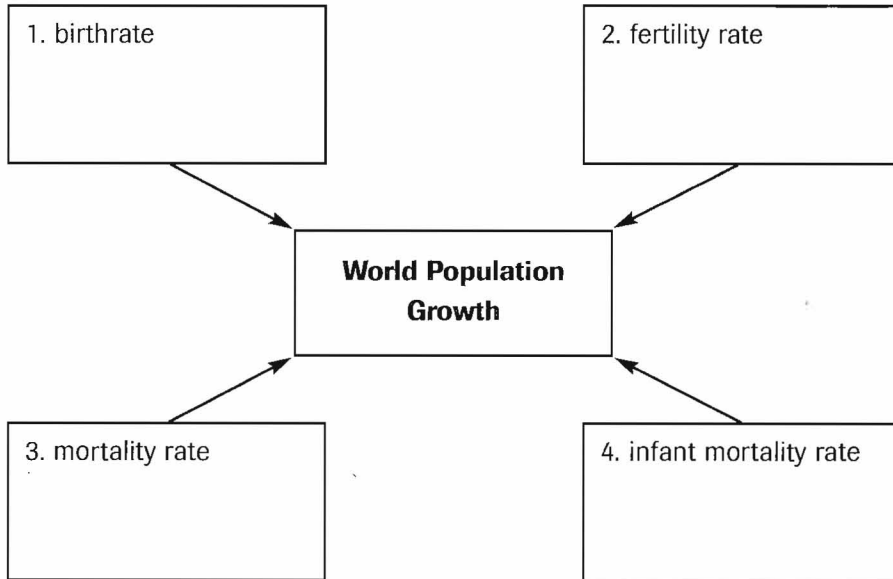


Guided Reading

Read pages 78 to 82. Answer the questions below, using the graphic organizers where provided.

A. Making Generalizations Use the organizer below to generalize about the factors that affect world population growth.



B. Finding Main Ideas Use the chart below to write a brief paragraph explaining the following terms.

1. rate of natural increase	2. population pyramid
3. population density	4. carrying capacity

C. Map and Graph Skills Use the map on page 80 of your textbook to answer the following questions.

1. **Place** What are South America's megacities?

2. **Region** In what ways does this map support what the text says about habitable lands?

Guided Reading

Read pages 83 to 86. Answer the questions below, using the graphic organizers where provided.

A. Seeing Patterns Use the chart below to better understand the patterns of how geographic characteristics affect nations.

Characteristic	Conclusion
Size	1.
Shape	2.
Location	3.
Natural Boundaries	4.
Artificial Boundaries	5.

B. Finding Main Ideas Use the chart below to write a brief definition explaining each term.

1. state	2. nation
3. nation-state	4. stateless nation
5. democracy	6. monarchy
7. dictatorship	8. communism

C. Map and Graph Skills Use the map on page 84 of your textbook to answer the following questions.

1. Region What are the natural boundaries of North Korea?

2. Movement What geographic factors favor the movement of ideas and people between China and North Korea?
