

Week 1: Population	Week 2: World Population	Week 3: Asia's Population
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Population: The number of people in a given area • World population: The number of people in the world • World population distribution: describes how people are spread out across the globe • Densely populated: Many people live in an area • Sparsely populated: Few people live in an area • Life expectancy: The average age of death of people in an area • Birth rate: The number of babies born in a year • Death rate: The number of people who die in a year 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Currently the world's population is growing quickly • World population distribution describes how people are spread out across the globe • The human population is not spread evenly • Until the 1800s the world's population grew slowly • In the early 1970s, the world's population reached three billion • In 1999, less than 30 years later, the population doubled to six billion • The global rate of population growth is now one billion every 15 years. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Asia is the largest of the world's continents • Asia covers 30 percent of the Earth's land area • 60 percent of the total population of the world live in Asia • 4,216 million people lived in Asia in 2011 • Both India and China are located in Asia • China has the highest population in the world • India has the second highest population in the world • China contains nearly one fifth of the world's population
Week 4: China's Population	Week 5: Reasons for a Large Population	Week 6: China's One Child Policy
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • China is the fourth largest country in the world by area. • It lies in the Northern Hemisphere in the continent of Asia • It is located in the southeast of Asia • The capital city is Beijing. It has a population of nearly 21 million • The population of China is not evenly distributed • High population densities in China occur in river basins • There is a high population density in Yangtze delta region and the Pearl River Delta region • China's population is currently China. 1,439,323,776 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • China's population grew rapidly from 1949 to 1980 • The birth rate was very high • The death rate was low • During this time people began to move from the countryside to towns and cities • In the past the Chinese government encouraged people to have children to provide a workforce • In 1950 the rate of population change in China was 1.3% • 3% will cause the population of a country to double in less than 24 year 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In the late 1970s, the Chinese government introduced a number of measures to reduce the country's birth rate and slow the population growth rate. • The most important of the new measures was a one-child policy • This decreed that couples in China could only have one child • Those who had more than one child didn't receive were fined • The birth rate in China has fallen since 1979, and the rate of population growth is now 0.7

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