

# The Geography Top 20

1. **Climate:** the average weather conditions in a particular place over a period of time.
2. **Development:** economic growth level in a place and the steps taken to change it.
3. **Environment:** the surroundings where people, animals and plants live.
4. **Exports:** goods sent from one country for sale in another.
5. **Imports:** sale goods brought into one country from another.
6. **Infrastructure:** a country's roads, communications, water supply, etc.
7. **Model:** a simplified representation of the world using a theory to explain reality.
8. **Raw materials:** mined, quarried or farmed for manufacture into products.
9. **System:** a series of inputs and the processes performed on them to make outputs.
10. **Trade:** the sale and movement of goods from one place to another.
11. **CAP:** Common Agricultural Policy.
12. **CBD:** Central Business District.
13. **EU:** European Union.
14. **GDP:** Gross Domestic Product.
15. **GNP:** Gross National Product.
16. **NEP:** Hydro Electric Power.
17. **LEDC:** Less Economically Developed Country.
18. **MEDC:** More Economically Developed Country.
19. **MNC:** Multi-National Company.
20. **NIC:** Newly Industrialised Country.