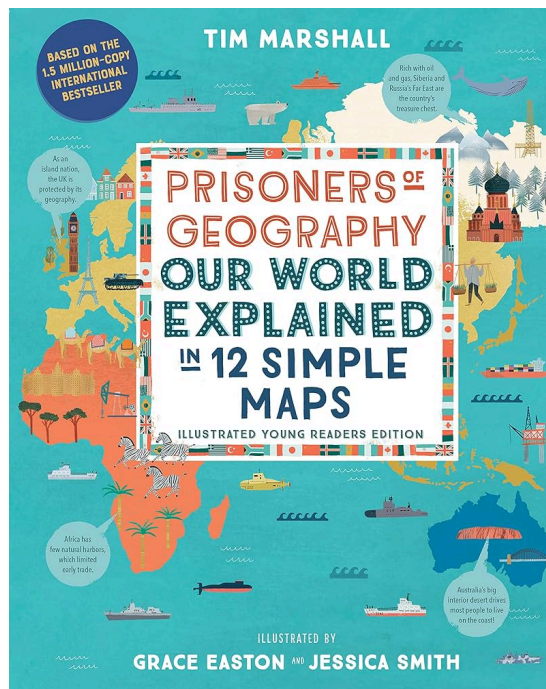


7th Grade Summer Reading Assignment
Prisoners of Geography: Our World Explained in 12 Simple Maps
By Tim Marshall



Instructions:

Please compose a handwritten 150-word response that addresses the following prompt. Please ensure that your response adheres to all proper grammatical and punctuation guidelines.

Imagine you could redesign the geography of one country that struggles economically or politically. What geographic features would you give it — mountains, rivers, coastlines, fertile land — and how do you think those changes would affect its culture, government, and economy?

Please submit your response along with any other draft planning work to your Social Studies teacher on the first day of class. This assignment will be worth 20 points (1 Quiz Grade) and included in your Q1 Average