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# Using Your Nystrom World Atlas

Use your **Nystrom World Atlas** to answer the following questions.

1. Where in the Atlas can you find tables of world facts? \_\_\_\_\_

2. In what section can you find a list of the places named in the Atlas? \_\_\_\_\_

3. Look at the following information:

Green Mts., Vermont, 44°N, 73°W 39, 43

a. What does *Mts.* stand for? \_\_\_\_\_

b. What does 44°N mean? \_\_\_\_\_

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c. What does 39, 43 mean? \_\_\_\_\_

4. Greenland is a territory of what country? \_\_\_\_\_

5. How did you find the answer to question 4? \_\_\_\_\_

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6. What type of projection does the map on page 2 use? \_\_\_\_\_

7. How did you find the answer to question 6? \_\_\_\_\_

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8. What does the white color on a land cover map represent? \_\_\_\_\_

- 9.** Draw the symbol for a dam here. \_\_\_\_\_
- 10.** What are the names of the continents? \_\_\_\_\_  
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- 11.** What is the elevation for the Plateau of Tibet in Asia? \_\_\_\_\_  
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- 12.** Which map of Africa best shows which areas have more people living in them? \_\_\_\_\_
- 13.** Describe what a house in a village in Niger looks like. \_\_\_\_\_  
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- 14.** On page 95, find the People per Car graph. Which of the Asian countries shown on the graph probably has the highest standard of living? \_\_\_\_\_
- 15.** When it is 3 p.m. in Moscow, what time is it on the Kamchatka Peninsula? \_\_\_\_\_
- 16.** Find the distance, in miles, from Singapore east to Ecuador. \_\_\_\_\_
- 17.** How do the 48 States and Brazil compare in size? Give their areas in square miles in your comparison. \_\_\_\_\_  
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- 18.** Describe a continental climate. \_\_\_\_\_  
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- 19.** How is most of the land in the eastern half of the United States used? \_\_\_\_\_