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Key Issue 2 Urban Models Assignment

Ch. 13 KI2 Assignment

Learning Targets:

- 13.2.1: Describe the concentric zone, sector, and multiple nuclei models.
- 13.2.2: Analyze how the three models help to explain where people live in an urban area.

1. Rank the following values from most important to least important: (1=least important, 6=most important)

- Comfort
- Time/efficiency
- Beauty of nature
- Religion/personal beliefs
- Culture/legacy
- Career/finances/stability

2. Explain your rankings:

Group Activity Instructions:

- Look up images of the cities (use google images)
- After 10 minutes, discuss as a group what you learned from your city.

Activity 1: Compare the images of these squatter settlements with the wealthy regions of the capital cities. Write a description next to each city comparing the two parts. (**hint:** each person look up 1 city, then you'll show each other your images and discuss all of them together)

- Tijuana vs. Mexico City (Mexico)
- The slums of Sao Paulo vs. the city of Sao Paulo (Brazil)
- Soweto vs. Johannesburg (South Africa)
- The slums of Istanbul vs. the city of Istanbul (Turkey)
- The slums of Kuala Lumpur vs. the city of Kuala Lumpur (Malaysia)
- Pune vs. New Delhi (India)

3. How is the contrast of the lower and higher classes in these developing countries different from the contrast between U.S. regions?

4. Which model (Concentric, Zone, Nuclei) does each city exemplify? Why? (Infer based on your observations of the cities)

Activity 2: What values are demonstrated just by the image of the following cities? (write it next to each city). (Hint: Each person should look up one city, after everyone has found several images, show them to one another and discuss what you found.)

1. Washington D.C.
2. Mecca, Saudi Arabia
3. Ile de la Cité, Paris, France
4. Tiergarten, Berlin, Germany
5. Tokyo, Japan
6. Cairo, Egypt

5. In what ways are modern cities alike? How does globalization affect urban development?

6. How do the differences of cities outside the United States demonstrate our differing values?

7. How would U.S. cities look different if we valued different things?

8. How can we use this information?