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**Grade 7 Geography** – Geography, the study of the earth’s physical and human characteristics, is a broad area of inquiry combining aspects of many different disciplines. In 7th grade Geography, we will examine patterns of human movement and migration, focusing on how the environment influences where humans live, how they live, and how they interact with each other. First, we will focus on the geography of the United States, followed by Western Massachusetts specifically. We will then move on to explore the geography of various countries in South America, South and East Asia, and Sub-Saharan Africa, paying particular attention to the cultural, political, linguistic, and religious composition of each country.