

Georgia Studies

Unit 1: Geography of Georgia/Georgia's Beginnings

Lesson 1: Where in the World is Georgia? Study Presentation



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- **ESSENTIAL QUESTION**
 - Where is Georgia located?
 - How did the climate of Georgia impact its development?

Geography of Georgia

- **Region** – An area of land that shares common characteristics with itself but whose characteristics are different than other surrounding areas.
- **Nation** – Political division of land; also known as a country.
- **Continent** – One of the seven large areas of land that cover the surface of the Earth. The seven continents are: North America, South America, Europe, Asia, Africa, Australia, and Antarctica.
- **Hemispheres** – Half of the earth. Refers to the halves of the earth formed by the Equator (northern and southern) and the Prime Meridian (eastern and western).

Geography of Georgia

- Georgia is located in the following areas:
 - **Region**: South, Southeast, etc.
 - **Nation** (Country): U.S.A.
 - **Continent**: North America
 - **Hemispheres**: Northern and Western
- Georgia's warm and humid temperate **climate** help to make GA both a good farming area and a good tourist spot. Each of these factors help to bring businesses and people to Georgia.