Human Geography: Chapter 1 – Time Zones & Travel

Part I: Directions: Use Figure 1.4.3 (Time Zones) or similar internet-based illustration to answer the following questions correctly as a demonstration of your KNOWING how time zones are set up and impact how humans communicate with each other.

1. In general, how many degrees longitude are in each time zone? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
2. How many time zones does the USA include? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
3. You live in Glendale, CA in the Los Angeles area. If you promised to call your relative in New York City at 6pm their time, what time do you need to make the call? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
4. If a Chicago based sports team is playing a televised (live) game in Los Angeles with a 730PM start time, what time will the game begin to broadcast on TV in Chicago? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
5. An immigrant from Mexico City travels north to the USA and ends up settling in Chicago. He wants to call his family in Mexico City to let them know he is safe. He makes the call at 9PM from Chicago. What time is it in Mexico City? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
6. A soccer fan in Los Angeles wants to watch a live broadcast of his / her favorite soccer team, Paris St. Germain, which is playing a home game in Paris with a start time of 7:30PM. What time should the fan turn on his / her TV to catch the game? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
7. A businessperson located in Honolulu, Hawaii needs to travel to Tokyo, Japan for a meeting. The flight takes about 8 hours. If the business person leaves Honolulu about 10AM on a Monday, what day and time will they arrive in Tokyo? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_
8. A young college student from Vladivostok, Russia earns a scholarship to a university in Sydney, Australia. She sets up a weekly time to facetime her parents at 6PM on Sunday nights. What time does she make the phone call from her apartment? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Part II: Research the arrangements required to complete the following travel problem, and then answer the questions provided.

Problem: You live in the Los Angeles area, have worked at your job for a year and have earned a 1-week vacation, but your boss is requiring you to take it in mid-January. The trip will take 7 days total, including 1 travel day there, 1 travel day home and a 5-day beach or outdoor experience where it will be warm in January. The location you choose must be easy to fly to, with adequate accommodations, the opportunity for at least ONE unique adventure of your choice and that you can afford with a total budget of $2500. Assume a friend will take you to LAX for free and that the hotel has a free shuttle so there are no transportation costs to and from the airport. Figure your food at about $50 per day. Any money you can save on travel expenses will allow you to buy a gift for someone special, other than yourself.

Complete your on-line research and then complete the summary of the arrangements below:

Destination: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Budget: $2500 Total

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| Information | Expense / Cost ($) |
| Beginning Amount to Spend: | (A) $2500 |
| Travel Dates: January \_\_\_\_, 2020 & January \_\_\_\_\_, 2020 |  |
| Airline Name(s) & Flight Number(s): -To Destination =-Returning from destination = |  |
| Round Trip Flight Cost = | Minus (B) $ |
| Baggage Allowed: \_\_\_\_\_\_ free bag Need an extra suitcase? Baggage Fee per Extra Bag = | Minus (C)$ |
| Hotel Name: Hotel Address: How do I get to Hotel from Airport? |  |
| Hotel Cost per Night: $ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ per Night x 5 =  | Minus (D) $ |
| Food Cost: $50 x 7 days =  | Minus (E) $ |
| Adventure Description:  |  |
| Adventure Cost = | Minus (F) $ |
| Balance Left after Travel Expenses = | Subtotal (G) $ |
| Person you wish to gift: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Description of unique gift relevant to your trip:Cost of Gift =  | Minus (H) $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ = $\_\_\_\_\_\_ left 4U |
| In the adjacent box please list the items you need to pack. Suitcase Packing List for seven (7) days:-Yes, you need underwear & personal care items-What kind of pants, shorts or leggings? How many?-What kind of shirts / tops? How many?-What kind of shoes? How many pairs?-Other personal items such as sunglasses, binoculars, sports equipment, etc. |  |

Part III: On 8.5 x 11” paper CREATE a full color travel poster (digitally or by hand) that: 1) shows WHERE on the globe your destination is; 2) THREE reasons to travel there in bullet points; 3) TWO visuals of its geography and ONE visual of a fun activity available there; 4) on the back summarize what you learned abut travel AND this place