

Unit 5: Africa

Directions: Fill in the correct geoterm answers, one letter per square, both across and down, from the given clues.

Across

- 2 an unusually long period in which little or no rain falls
- 7 made up of people from several ethnic groups
- 9 the part of the economy in which goods and services are exchanged outside of government control
- 10 the area drained by a river and its tributaries
- 12 the process by which land becomes more and more dry until it turns into desert
- 13 a group of people who share a common language
- 14 the movement of water from the surface of Earth to the atmosphere and back again
- 16 the way people or things are spread out over an area or space
- 17 groups of herders who move with their animals from place to place in search of pasture and water
- 18 a person who starts and runs a very small business
- 19 a variety of people from different ethnic groups
- 20 the division of work into two categories based on sex. or gender

Down

- 1 the separation of one group from another, such as by race
- 3 the electrical power that can be generated from flowing water
- 4 a very small business with few or no employees
- 5 land that is not well suited for growing crops
- 6 the former official South African policy of separating people according to race
- 8 a system in which one country rules another area as a colony
- 11 a system that allows for the year-round watering of crops
- 15 an area that is set apart from other places by the way of life of the people who live there

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