

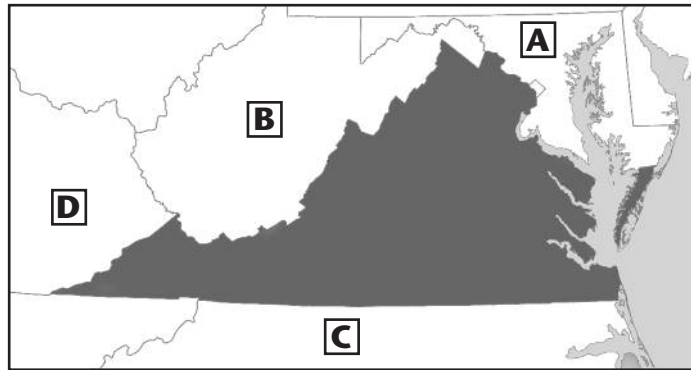
CHAPTER 1 TEST

Name _____

DIRECTIONS: Read each question and choose the best answer.

- 1 **What region of Virginia is located just west of the Fall Line and has rolling hills and fields?**
 - A Coastal Plain
 - B Blue Ridge Mountains
 - C Piedmont
 - D Valley and Ridge

- 2 **What natural border between the Coastal Plain (Tidewater) and the Piedmont prevents further travel on the river?**
 - A Chesapeake Bay
 - B Eastern Shore
 - C James River
 - D Fall Line



- 3 **According to the map above, what state borders Virginia to the south?**
 - A Maryland
 - B West Virginia
 - C North Carolina
 - D Kentucky

- 4 **The four major rivers of Virginia all flow into the—**
 - A Appalachian Mountains
 - B Chesapeake Bay
 - C Pacific Ocean
 - D Shenandoah River

- 5 **Sarah is hiking in the Blue Ridge Mountains. She is in part of what larger mountain system?**
 - A Rocky Mountains
 - B Smoky Mountains
 - C Alleghany Mountains
 - D Appalachian Mountains

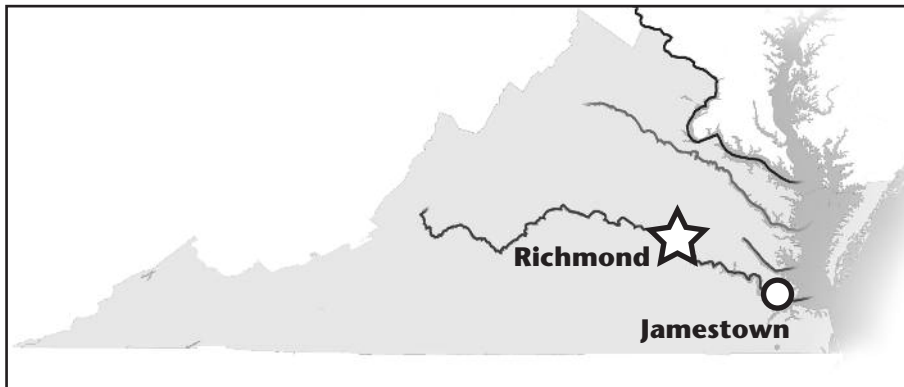
DIRECTIONS: *Circle the correct answers.*

6 What are Virginia's two bordering bodies of water?

Rappahannock River	Atlantic Ocean	James River
Chickahominy River	Pacific Ocean	Chesapeake Bay

7 The Chesapeake Bay was a major source of—

- A** food and transportation
- B** farming and manufacturing
- C** skiing and mountain hiking
- D** mining and drilling



8 The places on the map above are located along the—

- A** James River
- B** York River
- C** Rappahannock River
- D** Potomac River

9 Piedmont is a French word that means—

- A** "with rolling hills"
- B** "next to the water"
- C** "at the foot of mountains"
- D** "mountains with many valleys"

10 What water feature provided transportation links between Virginia and other places, such as Europe, Africa, or the Caribbean?

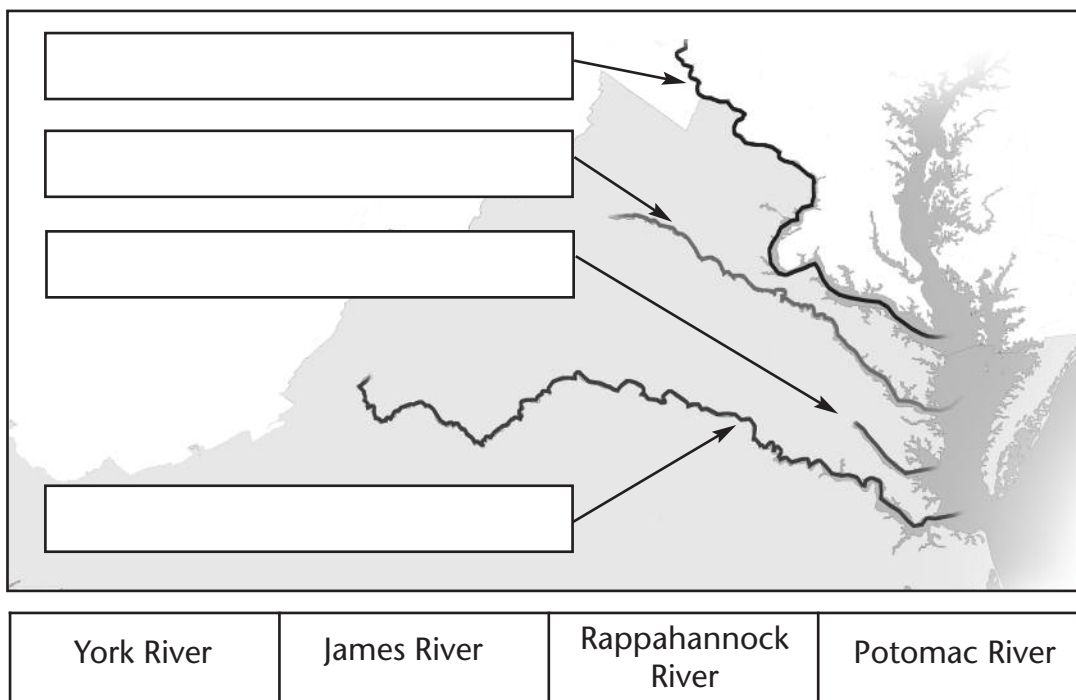
- A** Chesapeake Bay
- B** James River
- C** Atlantic Ocean
- D** York River

11 An area of elevated land that is flat on top is called a(n)–

- A** peninsula
- B** Fall Line
- C** estuary
- D** plateau

DIRECTIONS: Write the answers in the correct boxes.

12 Label Virginia's four major rivers.



13 The first European settlers in Virginia built their homes east of the Fall Line because–

- A** the land was better for farming
- B** they liked the climate better
- C** there were more natural resources
- D** it was easier to transport goods and people

14 Jeremiah lives in Alexandria City. Which major Virginia river is closest to him?

- A** James River
- B** York River
- C** Rappahannock River
- D** Potomac River

15 What separates the Eastern Shore from the mainland of Virginia?

- A** Dismal Swamp
- B** Atlantic Ocean
- C** Chesapeake Bay
- D** Lake Drummond

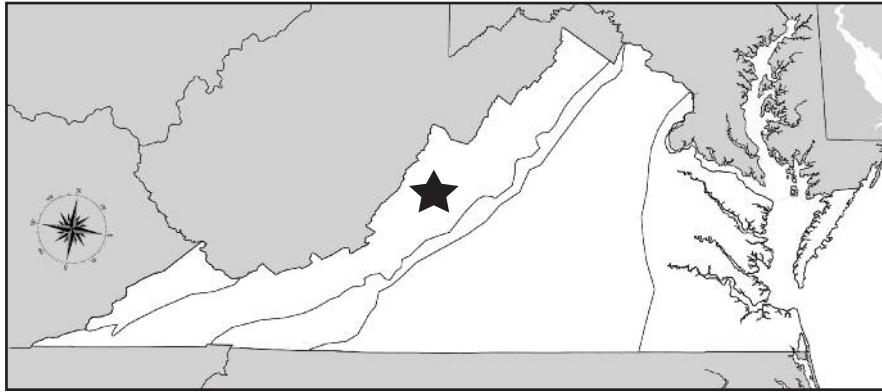
- 16 The four major rivers of Virginia that flow into the Chesapeake Bay are separated by—**
- A islands
 - B peninsulas
 - C the Fall Line
 - D an ocean
- 17 Which region has only a small part located in Virginia and the rest in bordering states?**
- A Appalachian Plateau
 - B Valley and Ridge
 - C Piedmont
 - D Coastal Plain (Tidewater)

DIRECTIONS: *Circle the correct answers.*

- 18 What three phrases are associated with the Coastal Plain (Tidewater)?**

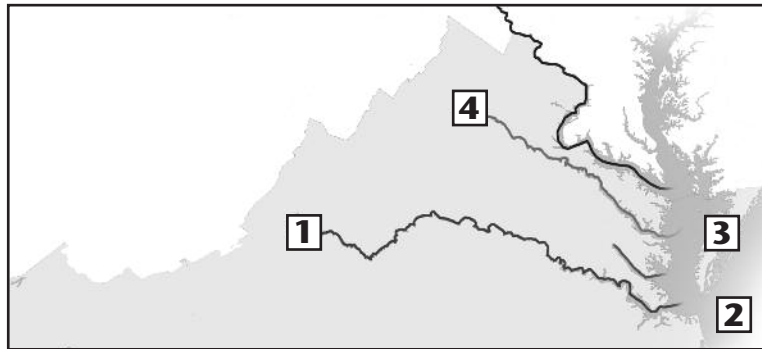
Eastern Shore	Dismal Swamp	West of the Fall Line
Great Valley	Source of many rivers	Lake Drummond

- 19 A piece of land bordered by water on three sides is called a (an)—**
- A peninsula
 - B island
 - C bay
 - D estuary
- 20 In which region do we find the Great Valley of Virginia?**
- A Valley and Ridge
 - B Blue Ridge Mountains
 - C Piedmont
 - D Appalachian Plateau
- 21 Which two states border Virginia's Appalachian Plateau?**
- A Maryland and West Virginia
 - B North Carolina and Kentucky
 - C Tennessee and Maryland
 - D Kentucky and West Virginia
- 22 Which Virginia region is located between the Piedmont and the Valley and Ridge regions?**
- A Coastal Plain
 - B Blue Ridge Mountains
 - C Appalachian Plateau
 - D Tidewater



23 Name the region where the star is located on the map above.

- A** Piedmont
- B** Blue Ridge Mountains
- C** Valley and Ridge
- D** Appalachian Plateau



24 Which number on the map above represents the Eastern Shore?

- A** 1
- B** 2
- C** 3
- D** 4

DIRECTIONS: Write each number in the correct locations.

25 Which characteristics best complete each section of the diagram?



1 Flows into the Chesapeake Bay	2 Flows through Fredericksburg, Virginia
3 Flows through Richmond, Virginia	4 Is a major Virginia river