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Population words

As we progress with this unit, collect definitions in this packet

Word/Concept	Definition	Example/Picture
Natural Resources	stuff we get from the environment that we need to live	
Ecological Footprint	the impact you make on the earth... the amount of land and resources you need to live	
Sustainability	using resources in a way so that they don't run out	
Developed Country	a good economy, richer, more services (school, clean water, sanitation, medical services)	
Developing Country	might not have good economy, less services for people, poorer,	
Birth rate	number of births per 1000 people per year	
Death rate	number of deaths per 1000 people per year	
doubling time	the amount of time it takes for a population to double	
literacy rate	the percentage of people who can read or write	

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per capita	per person	
finite	limited	
fertile soil	soil with lots of minerals, good for growing crops	
industrial revolution	a period in history with w surge of technological advances	
carrying capacity	how much stuff a place can hold	
sanitation	being clean, the prevention of disease, clean water	
Fertility rate	the average number of babies born per woman.	
School life expectancy	how many years a person will be in school for.	
GDP	a measure of the wealth of a country	
GDP per capita	the wealth of a country per person	

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