

spatial distribution: how people, places, things, or events are arranged across the earth; anything that can be mapped has a spatial distribution

location: the position of a particular point on the surface of the earth

patterns: the recurring or nonrecurring arrangement of people, places, or things across the earth

place: an area having unique physical and human characteristics that distinguish it from other areas or places

processes: the physical or human actions that create and change the earth's features

region: any area on the earth with one or more common characteristics or features

relationship: how human and physical features of the earth are connected to each other