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| **Group Member** | **Period** |
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Empire State of Mind

As you have found, every place has a sense of place, something that makes it unique to you. To further illustrate this point, you are going to work with your classmate to make a **video** that parodies the song “Empire State of Mind,” like the examples that we watched in class.

Your **video** should answer the question ... What makes , ?

Assignment Guidelines:

1. Your **video** should be NO LONGER than 2.30 minutes! **Videos** that are longer will not be

accepted.

2. Your **video** should include a minimum of TEN places that make your location unique. It should go without saying that ALL places and activities that appear in the **video** should be school appropriate. Please see me if you have concerns.

3. You must include a write up that showcases how each location relates to at least one of the five themes of geography. Each of the five themes must be included in your project. This is not an essay but a caption on the location and its sense of place. You will present this to the class after your video.

4. Remember this is a music **video** so it should have some sort of beat or background music. You can write your own original lyrics or just use background music.

5. You may (but are not required to) work with up to three people from any period of Human Geography THIS SEMESTER. All participants must appear on film even if for a brief amount of time. The **video** will be required to be played in each participant’s period. All group members will receive the same grade so select your partners wisely!

6. HAVE FUN ... this is wide open to interpretation, a sense of humor and memorable experiences!!!

Videos are due on .

Late videos will be deducted 8 points per day. [This INCLUDES technical difficulty!!!]

Rubric:

Video is no longer than 2.30 minutes

Video includes all group members

Video includes background music

Video includes at-least TEN images

Video is original and creative

Video write up

 / 5 points

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 / 15 points

 / 45 points

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