

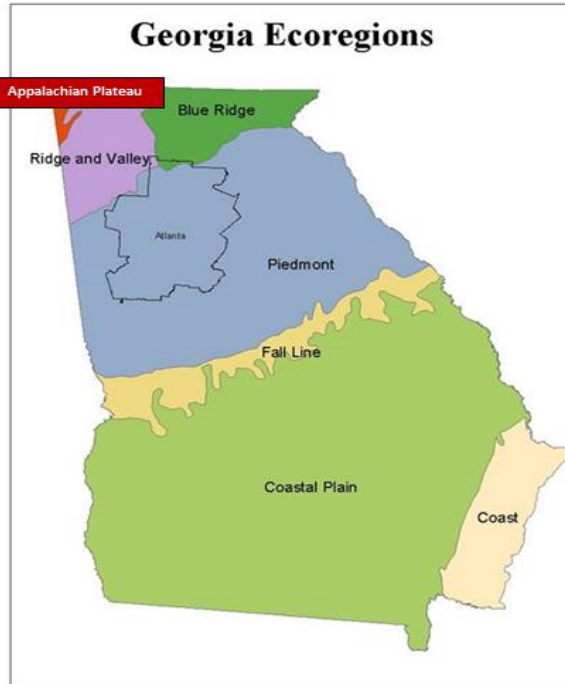


# Georgia's Geography



## Essential Questions

- 1) Where is Georgia located in relation to the rest of the world?
- 2) What are Georgia's five geographical regions?
- 3) How do Georgia's five geographical regions vary from one another?
- 4) What significant role do the following physical features play in the development of Georgia: Fall Line, Okefenokee Swamp, Chattahoochee River, Savannah River, Appalachian Mountains, and the barrier islands?
- 5) What role does Georgia's climate play in the development of the state?
- 6) How do the four transportation systems provide domestic and international goods to people?
- 7) How do the four transportation systems lead to the development of national and international markets?
- 8) How do the four transportation systems help provide jobs for Georgians?



## GPS Standards

SS8G1 and SS8G2

- Relative location
- Absolute location
- Hemisphere
- Equator
- Parallels
- Prime Meridian
- Meridians
- Latitude
- Longitude
- Compass Rose
- Scale
- Goods
- Services
- Imports
- Exports
- Climate
- Weather

## Vocabulary

## Key Places & Topics



- The Five Regions: Appalachian Plateau, Ridge and Valley, Blue Ridge, Piedmont and Coastal Plain
- Fall Line
- Chattahoochee River
- Savannah River
- Appalachian Mtns.
- Okefenokee Swamp
- Barrier Islands

- Atlanta
- Savannah
- Brunswick
- Hartsfield-Jackson Airport
- Interstate Highways: I-95, I-85, I-75, I-20
- CSX & Norfolk Southern
- Railroads, ports, interstates, and planes

