**Unit I: The World in Spatial Terms**

**Human-Environment Interaction**

Circle the terms you are not familiar with:

* Human-Environment Interaction
* Desertification
* Sahel
* Desalinization
* Aral Sea
* Chernobyl
* Natural Resource
* Renewable resource
* Nonrenewable resource
* Inexhaustible energy source

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| **Human-Environment Interaction** |

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| **Adaptation**  **Examples:** | **Modification**  **Examples:** | **Dependency**  **Examples:** |

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| **Important HEI Examples** | **Desertification** | **Sahel** |
| **Desalinization** | **Aral Sea** | **Chernobyl** |

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| **Natural Resources**  Examples: |

Renewable vs Nonrenewable

* **Natural resources** are abundant but are not distributed equally around the world.
* Geographers divide natural resources into three basic types:
  + **Renewable resources**:
    - **Examples**:
  + **Non-renewable resources:**
    - **Examples**:
  + **Inexhaustible energy sources**:
    - **Examples**: