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P R E F A C E.

THE object of the present work is to furnish a convenient, short, and sufficiently elementary text book for students of Geography preparing for the examinations on that subject prescribed by the Department of Science and Art, or by the General Committee of Council on Education. In the tables of specific subjects of the new Code, both for England and Scotland, scholars of the third year, who have chosen Physical Geography as their subject, are required to know something of "the form and size of the earth, and its motions—day and night—the seasons of the year, how they depend upon the relative positions of the earth and sun; the moon's dimensions and distance—her phases, and the general arrangement of the planetary system." In the advanced stage of the Physical Geography, of the Science Directory, students are expected to have acquired "so much elementary astronomy as relates to the position of the earth in the solar system, its magnitude and rotation, and the influence of the sun, moon and other bodies distributed through space on terrestrial phenomena." In the Government examinations for certificates as teachers, a familiar knowledge of the shape, size, and movements of the earth—and indeed, of all such geographical phenomena as depend upon Astronomy for explanation, is required. There are many excellent treatises on Astronomy from which the student might cull the truths and the explanations required; but the very seeking for them in such books implies a knowledge of the things sought; and, even when found, it is difficult to make note of them, because the explanations often depend upon previous explanations of purely astronomical facts.

The author has, therefore, selected the chief doctrines of Astronomy which bear upon Geography, and tried to explain them in simple language, assuming no previous mathematical study, and using such illustrations, and modes of explanation, as a somewhat lengthened experience in teaching the subject has led him to see are most easily understood and remembered. He has thus sought to produce a work which, while meeting the immediate wants of students of Geography, might also be a fitting introduction to more complete treatises on Mathematical Geography, and to the study of Astronomy as a science.

No.	Name	Sex	Age	Occupation	Blood Pressure		Heart Rate	Respiration	Temperature	Pulse	Systolic	Diastolic	Mean
					Systolic	Diastolic							
1	John	M	35	Teacher	120	80	72	18	98.6	72	120	80	93.3
2	Mary	F	42	Nurse	110	70	68	16	98.4	68	110	70	91.1
3	Robert	M	28	Student	130	90	75	20	98.8	75	130	90	95.0
4	Elizabeth	F	55	Homemaker	100	65	65	14	98.2	65	100	65	88.3
5	Michael	M	30	Engineer	125	85	70	18	98.5	70	125	85	93.3
6	Sarah	F	48	Accountant	115	75	68	16	98.3	68	115	75	91.1
7	David	M	25	Software Developer	135	95	75	20	98.7	75	135	95	95.0
8	Jennifer	F	38	Marketing Executive	118	78	68	16	98.4	68	118	78	91.1
9	Christopher	M	32	Sales Representative	122	82	70	18	98.5	70	122	82	93.3
10	Amanda	F	45	Human Resources	112	72	68	16	98.3	68	112	72	91.1
11	Matthew	M	27	Product Designer	132	92	75	20	98.7	75	132	92	95.0
12	Karen	F	50	Operations Manager	105	70	65	14	98.2	65	105	70	88.3
13	James	M	33	Business Analyst	128	88	70	18	98.5	70	128	88	93.3
14	Michelle	F	40	Project Manager	116	76	68	16	98.3	68	116	76	91.1
15	Andrew	M	29	Systems Administrator	138	98	75	20	98.8	75	138	98	95.0
16	Stephanie	F	43	Quality Assurance	114	74	68	16	98.3	68	114	74	91.1
17	Kevin	M	31	Operations Director	124	84	70	18	98.5	70	124	84	93.3
18	Rebecca	F	47	Business Development	117	77	68	16	98.3	68	117	77	91.1
19	Gregory	M	26	Software Engineer	134	94	75	20	98.7	75	134	94	95.0
20	Christina	F	41	Customer Support	111	71	68	16	98.3	68	111	71	91.1
21	Benjamin	M	34	Product Manager	126	86	70	18	98.5	70	126	86	93.3
22	Victoria	F	44	Business Operations	113	73	68	16	98.3	68	113	73	91.1
23	Jonathan	M	28	Software Engineer	136	96	75	20	98.7	75	136	96	95.0
24	Emily	F	39	Business Development	119	79	68	16	98.3	68	119	79	91.1
25	Nicholas	M	30	Software Engineer	131	91	75	20	98.7	75	131	91	95.0
26	Sophia	F	46	Business Development	115	75	68	16	98.3	68	115	75	91.1
27	Alexander	M	27	Software Engineer	133	93	75	20	98.7	75	133	93	95.0
28	Olivia	F	42	Business Development	118	78	68	16	98.3	68	118	78	91.1
29	Isaac	M	29	Software Engineer	137	97	75	20	98.8	75	137	97	95.0
30	Isabella	F	43	Business Development	116	76	68	16	98.3	68	116	76	91.1
31	Lucas	M	26	Software Engineer	139	99	75	20	98.8	75	139	99	95.0
32	Mia	F	44	Business Development	114	74	68	16	98.3	68	114	74	91.1
33	Henry	M	28	Software Engineer	135	95	75	20	98.7	75	135	95	95.0
34	Charlotte	F	45	Business Development	117	77	68	16	98.3	68	117	77	91.1
35	Sebastian	M	27	Software Engineer	137	97	75	20	98.8	75	137	97	95.0
36	Amelia	F	41	Business Development	119	79	68	16	98.3	68	119	79	91.1
37	Julian	M	29	Software Engineer	139	99	75	20	98.8	75	139	99	95.0
38	Harper	F	43	Business Development	115	75	68	16	98.3	68	115	75	91.1
39	Leo	M	26	Software Engineer	141	101	75	20	98.9	75	141	101	95.0
40	Evelyn	F	47	Business Development	113	73	68	16	98.3	68	113	73	91.1
41	Maxwell	M	28	Software Engineer	143	103	75	20	98.9	75	143	103	95.0
42	Abigail	F	49	Business Development	111	71	68	16	98.3	68	111	71	91.1
43	Samuel	M	27	Software Engineer	145	105	75	20	99.0	75	145	105	95.0
44	Madison	F	46	Business Development	109	69	68	16	98.3	68	109	69	91.1
45	Christopher	M	26	Software Engineer	147	107	75	20	99.0	75	147	107	95.0
46	Lucy	F	48	Business Development	107	67	68	16	98.3	68	107	67	91.1
47	Isaac	M	25	Software Engineer	149	109	75	20	99.1	75	149	109	95.0
48	Grace	F	50	Business Development	105	65	68	16	98.3	68	105	65	91.1
49	Julian	M	24	Software Engineer	151	111	75	20	99.1	75	151	111	95.0
50	Chloe	F	51	Business Development	103	63	68	16	98.3	68	103	63	91.1
51	Benjamin	M	23	Software Engineer	153	113	75	20	99.2	75	153	113	95.0
52	Victoria	F	52	Business Development	101	61	68	16	98.3	68	101	61	91.1
53	Jonathan	M	22	Software Engineer	155	115	75	20	99.2	75	155	115	95.0
54	Olivia	F	53	Business Development	99	59	68	16	98.3	68	99	59	91.1
55	Isaac	M	21	Software Engineer	157	117	75	20	99.3	75	157	117	95.0
56	Amelia	F	54	Business Development	97	57	68	16	98.3	68	97	57	91.1
57	Lucas	M	20	Software Engineer	159	119	75	20	99.3	75	159	119	95.0
58	Mia	F	55	Business Development	95	55	68	16	98.3	68	95	55	91.1
59	Henry	M	19	Software Engineer	161	121	75	20	99.4	75	161	121	95.0
60	Charlotte	F	56	Business Development	93	53	68	16	98.3	68	93	53	91.1
61	Sebastian	M	18	Software Engineer	163	123	75	20	99.4	75	163	123	95.0
62	Abigail	F	57	Business Development	91	51	68	16	98.3	68	91	51	91.1
63	Samuel	M	17	Software Engineer	165	125	75	20	99.5	75	165	125	95.0
64	Madison	F	58	Business Development	89	49	68	16	98.3	68	89	49	91.1
65	Christopher	M	16	Software Engineer	167	127	75	20	99.5	75	167	127	95.0
66	Lucy	F	59	Business Development	87	47	68	16	98.3	68	87	47	91.1
67	Isaac	M	15	Software Engineer	169	129	75	20	99.6	75	169	129	95.0
68	Grace	F	60	Business Development	85	45	68	16	98.3	68	85	45	91.1
69	Julian	M	14	Software Engineer	171	131	75	20	99.6	75	171	131	95.0
70	Chloe	F	61	Business Development	83	43	68	16	98.3	68	83	43	91.1
71	Benjamin	M	13	Software Engineer	173	133	75	20	99.7	75	173	133	95.0
72	Victoria	F	62	Business Development	81	41	68	16	98.3	68	81	41	91.1
73	Jonathan	M	12	Software Engineer	175	135	75	20	99.7	75	175	135	95.0
74	Olivia	F	63	Business Development	79	39	68	16	98.3	68	79	39	91.1
75	Isaac	M	11	Software Engineer	177	137	75	20	99.8	75	177	137	95.0
76	Amelia	F	64	Business Development	77	37	68	16	98.3	68	77	37	91.1
77	Lucas	M	10	Software Engineer	179	139	75	20	99.8	75	179	139	95.0
78	Mia	F	65	Business Development	75	35	68	16	98.3	68	75	35	91.1
79	Henry	M	9	Software Engineer	181	141	75	20	99.9	75	181	141	95.0
80	Charlotte	F	66	Business Development	73	33	68	16	98.3	68	73	33	91.1
81	Sebastian	M	8	Software Engineer	183	143	75	20	99.9	75	183	143	95.0
82	Abigail	F	67	Business Development	71	31	68	16	98.3	68	71	31	91.1
83	Samuel	M	7	Software Engineer	185	145	75	20	100.0	75	185	145	95.0
84	Madison	F	68	Business Development	69	29	68	16	98.3	68	69	29	91.1
85	Christopher	M	6	Software Engineer	187	147	75	20	100.0	75	187	147	95.0
86	Lucy	F	69	Business Development	67	27	68	16	98.3	68	67	27	91.1
87	Isaac	M	5	Software Engineer	189	149	75	20	100.0	75	189	149	95.0
88	Grace	F	70	Business Development	65	25	68	16	98.3	68	65	25	91.1
89	Julian	M	4	Software Engineer	191	151	75	20	100.0	75	191	151	95.0
90	Chloe	F	71	Business Development	63	23	68	16	98.3	68	63	23	91.1
91	Benjamin	M	3	Software Engineer	193	153	75	20	100.0	75	193	153	95.0
92	Victoria	F	72	Business Development	61	21	68	16	98.3	68	61	21	91.1
93	Jonathan	M	2	Software Engineer	195	155	75	20	100.0	75	195	155	95.0
94	Olivia	F	73	Business Development	59	19	68	16	98.3	68	59	19	91.1
95	Isaac	M	1	Software Engineer	197	157	75	20	100.0	75	197	157	95.0
96	Amelia	F	74	Business Development	57	17	68	16	98.3	68	57	17	91.1
97	Lucas	M	0	Software Engineer	199	159	75	20	100.0	75	199	159	95.0
98	Mia	F	75	Business Development	55	15	68	16	98.3	68	55	15	91.1
99	Henry	M	0	Software Engineer	201	161	75	20	100.0	75	201	161	95.0
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