$\qquad$ Date: $\qquad$ Assignment \#__

## South Asia Atlas Data Analysis

## Common Core Objectives:

R.H.9-10.2: Determine the central ideas or information of a primary or secondary source; provide an accurate summary of how key events or ideas develop over the course of the text.
R.H.9-10.7: Integration of Knowledge and Ideas: Integrate quantitative or technical analysis (e.g., charts, research data) with qualitative analysis in print or digital text.

Directions: Using your atlas and following the steps, answer the questions. Then, complete the summary in sentences.

## Step 1: Read pages 92 and 94...Don't forget to check out the images, captions, and the timeline.

1. Approximately how many people live in India?
2. According to the timeline, what happened in 1947?
3. Mount Everest is located between which two countries?
4. Now, using pages 93, 96 and 97, identify three countries within South Asia.

Step 2: Now, read the captions and check out the maps on page 104-105.
5. Looking at the "Climate" map, what are three climate zones located in India?
6. What two climate zones are found in Pakistan?
7. According to the "Economic Activities" map, what is the top economic activity in India?
8. According to the "Economic Activities" map, what are the top two economic activities in Pakistan?
9. Looking at the "Population Density Map" and page 97, which country in South Asia is the most densely populated?
10. Based on our in-class PowerPoint notes and the atlas, what rivers do the people from question \#9 live around?
11. According to the "India and China Population Growth" Chart on page 105, when will India become the most populous nation in the world?
12. Looking at the chart, the reading, and the map, why do you think that India's population growth rate is (and will be) a problem for the country now and in the future? Explain in at least 2 sentences.

Step 3: Now, read the captions, check out the maps, and read the passages on pages 106 and 107.
13. According to the "Environments" map, what are three types of environments in India?
14. According to the "Environments" map, what are three types of environments in Pakistan?
15. What is the primary type of environment in Nepal?
16. Define the term "tsunami."
17. Looking at the "Natural Hazards" map, which areas do tropical storms tend to hit India?
18. According to the "Mineral Fuel Deposits Map," identify three resources that India has.

Step 4: Now, write a 5 sentence summary regarding the climate, environment, resources, and economic activities of South Asia.

