

APHG – Chapter 9
Key Issues 2, 3, and 4 Outline

Key Issue 2

This is simple. Look at the More Developed Regions and the Less Developed Regions. Write what you think are the characteristics that make the regions more or less developed.

Key Issue 3

This key issue is only about the two vocab terms, **gender-related development index** and **gender empowerment measure**.

Page 290 is key. All the info you need to know is on this page.
The maps on pages 291, 292, and 293 help to explain these two terms.
Be familiar with these maps because they also tell you how the genders are different.

Key Issue 4

To reduce the gap between MDCs and LDCs, LDCs must develop more rapidly.
They have to increase GDP and use additional funds to improve social and economic conditions.

LDCs face two major obstacles in trying to encourage more rapid development.

1. Adopting policies that successfully promote development
2. Finding money to pay for development

How do they do it?

LDCs choose between two models:

1. One emphasizes **self sufficiency**
2. The other emphasizes **international trade**

Development Through Self-Sufficiency

What are the advantages of using self-sufficiency for development?
What are the problems with using the self-sufficiency approach?

Development Through International Trade

Through this model of development, a country identifies its unique economic asset, whatever it may be, and then gets other countries to buy it. This brings capital (money) into the country who then uses it for developing their country.

Rostow's Development Model

*YOU NEED TO KNOW THIS 5 STAGE MODEL. AP **LOVES** THIS MODEL!
KNOW THE CHARACTERISTICS OF EACH STAGE AND HOW THEY APPLY
TO A COUNTRY'S DEVELOPMENT*

Examples of the International Trade Approach

Know the two groups, the Asian Dragons and the Oil-rich Arabian countries, who chose to develop through international trade.

Problems with the International Trade Alternative

What 3 problems have prevented countries from developing through the international trade approach?

International Trade Triumphs

What are some examples of where International Trade helped countries develop?

World Trade Organization (WTO)

What is its goal?

What are the criticism of it?

Foreign Direct Investment

What is it?

Where does most of it go? Why do you think?

Financing Development

Where do countries get the money for development?

Why are some programs unsuccessful?

Structural Adjustment Programs

What are they, what do they do, and what are the requirements placed on LDCs who receive them?

Fair Trade

What is it?

What are the standards of fair trade for both producers and workers?

How are those standards beneficial and/or harmful?

*****Of course, know all your vocab*****