

APHuG
Unit 7 Response Essay

Please read “We Need a Massive Climate War Effort”, linked on the class website, with a link reproduced below:

<https://www.motherjones.com/politics/2019/12/kevin-drum-climate-change-research/>

Default Grade	0
Fails to directly and accurately answer the question	No credit
Clear, identifiable, and plausible answer to question	+1 letter grade
Uses appropriate and specific evidence in support	+1 letter grade
Explains and analyzes the evidence/response	+1 letter grade
Appropriate transitions and length of response	+1 letter grade
Appropriate vocabulary, grammar & spelling	+1 letter grade

Be sure to actually answer the question being asked. Ideally you should be trying to find and explain ***at least two*** human geographic concepts that support each of your answer. You are welcome to use outline and/or bullet-point format for this assignment – just be sure to explain sufficiently.

1-3. Briefly explain three elements of the proposed fight against climate change: at least one *critique* of current approaches that you found baffling, surprising, or upsetting – and at least one *proposed solution* that you found baffling, improbable, or disturbing. It is fine if your choices match more than one criteria.

If you found nothing in the article to be either surprising or upsetting, pick three aspects of the fight against climate change that will profoundly challenge both core and/or periphery nations, and explain why.

4. Explain any one of the following:

- (a) How climate change is affected by development in the periphery
- (b) How climate change is an unusual challenge for human beings and psychology
- (c) How climate change responses will significantly change industrialized society
- (d) How climate change responses require harnessing non-existent technologies

EXTRA CREDIT (for each of the following): Write your responses in full essay format. Hand-write your response. Pick a second option to answer in (4), above. Include MLA citations for any outside sources.