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Urbanization and Economic Geography — Practice Test

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1 **The site of a city and its situation differ because site describes the physical features of the place itself, while situation describes**

- **A** only its population
- **B** its location relative to other places, markets, and routes
- **C** its climate alone
- **D** its mayor

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2 **In an urban hierarchy, settlements are ranked by size and services from largest to smallest as**



A city, town, village, hamlet

B town, hamlet, city, village

C hamlet, village, town, city

D village, city, hamlet, town

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3 **A central place is a settlement that**

- A provides goods and services to people in the surrounding area
- B has no services at all
- C is always a national capital
- D never trades with neighbours

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4 **Gentrification can displace lower income residents when investment in an area**

- A raises rents and property prices so some residents can no longer afford to stay
- B lowers all rents
- C closes every shop
- D stops all new building

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5 **Common problems of rapid urban growth include**

A too much empty housing everywhere

B congestion, high housing costs, and pollution as services struggle to keep up

C a fall in demand for transport

D no demand for jobs

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ANSWER KEY

1. B
2. A
3. A
4. A
5. B

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